

Simcoe County Snapshots

BURY FREDERICK PILKEY STAYNER—The funeral of Frederick Pilkey, 67, was held from the Presbyterian church here. Rev. William Coultas officiated. Surviving are his wife, two daughters and one son, Noah.

SUN STARTS FIRE MIDLAND—The sun shining through a porthole in the side of a gasoline launch, in dry dock on the Midland wharf, caused spontaneous combustion and set the craft afire. The fire department managed to extinguish the blaze. The boat was owned by Bruce Hanley, Midland.

DRINKING TABOO COLLINGWOOD—“Excessive drinking at dances will not be tolerated,” warned Chief of Police Leonard Davidson, announcing opening of Liquor Control Act violators. Police officers launched a drive Christmas night when several merry-makers were allegedly revealing the abusive stage from over-consumption.

DEER WALKS INTO TOWN STAYNER—A large buck deer caused much excitement when it wandered into town. Citizens were amazed by its jumping prowess as it stalked through back yards and leaped over hedges and fences with ease. Dogs finally chased the animal into a nearby bush.

PLAY AIDS WELFARE FUND WAUBAUSHENE—Proceeds for welfare work were swelled by a record attendance at St. John's Church hall, Waubausene, when 13 members of Port Severn Dramatic Society presented “Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard”, a three-act comedy.

JACKRABBIT ON SPREE ORILLIA—The overgrown jack rabbit is said to be on the loose again. Gordon Bartlett, youthful milk farmer near here, started people talking with tales of the jack ripping his trousers in an attack, and sending a big St. Bernard dog to town to buy a glass windowpane. The jack rabbit, declared Mr. Bartlett, broke a window.

CONVERT STEAMER COLLINGWOOD—The big Great Lakes steamer, Osler, was moved into the Collingwood Shipyards drydock and workmen have commenced the task of converting the bulk carrier into a self-unloader at the estimated cost of \$400,000. The project came at a favorable time for many Collingwood shipbuilders who have been unemployed during the greater part of this year.

OLD POET DEAD COLDWATER—Peter Rose is dead, and with his passing go the faded dreams of fame which he hoped would one day result from recognition of his poetry. No one knows much about the elderly poet's life. As a youth he travelled extensively. He never worked at anything. For the past few years he lived at the Denison House Hotel, and an old-age pension was his sole means of subsistence. He was born in Scotland, and came to Canada as a young man. Most of his life was spent in Coldwater, where he wrote his poems and dreamed his dreams.

MAHINER DEAD MIDLAND—A mariner on the Great Lakes for nearly half a century, James Francis Webb, was buried in St. Margaret's Cemetery. Funeral services were held at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Isadore Arbour and mass at St. Margaret's Church. He was born in Goderich in 1871. Mr. Webb came to Midland 15 years ago.

FIRE LOSS REPORTED MIDLAND—Annual fire losses for Midland were reported by Fire Chief Peter Craig. Total losses for the year to building and contents amounted to only \$21,939; loss to buildings, \$13,138, contents \$8,851.

Complete Results Of Elections Held In Simcoe County

ADJALA
Reeve (elected)—Dennis O'Leary; councillors (elected)—J. Ryan, John Lawlor, William Patterson. Second nomination necessary to choose fourth councillor.

ALLISTON
Mayor (elected)—W. J. Cunningham; reeve—James A. Kerr 331; F. S. Hackett 214; councillors (six elected)—J. Ross Williams 336; McKenzie Beattie 334; A. F. Merrett 330; J. M. Patton 317; E. B. Schell 298; J. D. Bowerman 274; B. E. Turner 260; school trustees (elected)—W. D. Sumnerville, C. A. Hutchison, W. L. Cotton, hydro commissioner (elected)—Thomas Brooks.

HARRIE
Mayor (elected)—H. G. Robertson; reeve (elected)—D. F. MacLaren; deputy reeve (elected)—William Garner; aldermen (elected)—Ward one, Walter Halbert, J. T. Cavanagh; Ward Two, M. D. Cubitt-Nichols, M. J. Brennan; Ward Three, F. C. Lower, E. A. Twiss; Ward Four, G. E. James, H. J. Buchanan; Ward Five, W. D. Paddison, J. A. Goodwin; Ward Six, W. J. Buchanan, G. W. Clark; Board of Education (elected)—W. J. Blair, Dr. R. J. Spratt, H. J. Twiss; public utilities commissioner (elected)—John F. Craig.

BEETON
Reeve (elected)—John Carlton; councillors (elected)—G. A. Ferguson, W. L. Lilly, A. L. Fachnie, R. T. Calhoun.

BRADFORD
Reeve (elected)—J. E. Coombs; councillors (four elected)—B. B. Collings 199; Herbert Graham 186; Kenneth Morris 177; James Webb, Jr. 157; defeated—J. S. Barnard, Lorne Church, E. G. Cottrell, Board of Education (elected)—T. H. Gardner, O. M. Seim, J. L. Harrison, George Morton; public utilities commissioner (elected)—C. T. S. Evans.

COLDWATER
Reeve (elected)—Ernest Miller; councillors (elected)—H. Cowan, A. Dunlop, C. M. Robinson, L. Caswell; school trustees (elected)—Mrs. R. S. Sheppard, Chester Martin, F. M. Russell.

COLLINGWOOD
Mayor—Allan McIntosh, 1,307; G. J. Kohl, 363; reeve—Thomas Scragg, 1,187; Norman Ruppert, 448; deputy reeve—Herbert Irwin, 1,150; L. R. Borland, 470; councillors (six elected)—Frank Patterson 1,173; Victor A. Ellis 1,110; Malcolm McLean 1,101; Dr. J. P. Davis 1,095; Dr. J. M. Mitchell 1,057; George T. Foulis 878; R. Brownlee 820; Board of Education (elected)—Albert Harvey; Board of Education (elected)—Norman Bowdway, Mrs. A. McCull, Finlay Cook.

COLLINGWOOD—Peter Gordon, veteran, Collingwood Orangeman, was elected worshipful master of Golden Lion L.O.L. No. 190.

CREEMORE
Reeve (elected)—J. R. Lawrence; councillors (elected)—J. G. Thomson, D. G. MacDonald, R. M. Carey, E. Grainger; school trustees (elected)—G. H. Shepherd, Vincent Flynn, Fred Pedlar.

ESSA
Reeve (elected)—G. D. Banting; deputy reeve (elected)—W. J. McMaster; councillors (elected)—Isaac Jennett, J. C. Haugh, Howard Banting.

FLOS
Reeve (elected)—A. A. Toner; deputy reeve (elected)—G. W. Middleton; councillors (elected)—J. B. Ritchie, John Kidd, Thomas Cooper.

INNISFIL
Reeve (elected)—O. E. Todd; deputy reeve—Harry Reynolds 583, Thomas Cook 555; councillors (three elected)—W. C. Loekhart 767, Dalton Banting 706, Wilbert Black 577, J. M. Hunter 474.

MATCHEDASH
Reeve (elected)—Leslie Borrows; councillors (elected)—only three nominated. Second nomination necessary.

MEDONTE
Reeve (elected)—George Barr; deputy reeve (elected)—Grant Miller; councillors (elected)—A. T. Orton, William Arnold, R. J. Reynolds.

MIDLAND
Mayor—Oliver H. Smith 1,006; James B. Mackie 620; reeve (elected)—William Hartman; deputy reeve—Harry Wright defeated William O'ford by 308; councillors—Ward One (elected)—Lorne Harper; Ward Two (elected)—Charles Vent; Ward Three, Alfred Argue defeated A. E. House by 19; Ward Four (elected)—James Fowler; board of education (elected)—Dr. R. M. Harvie, Cecil Morston, H. J. Thompson; public utilities (two elected)—Robert Mosgrove 876, W. T. Dudley 708, David Hurrie 667.

NOTTAWASAGA
Reeve—Percy A. Neff 871; James Brack 578; deputy reeve (elected)—William McLeod; councillors (three elected)—Donald Brown 770; D. A. Vance 618, Fred Steele 411, James Morrison 403, Oliver Tracey 399, J. N. Currie 386, G. Rentner 292, W. Collins 81.

ORILLIA (Town)
Mayor—H. G. Pack 1,519, J. B. Johnston 619; reeve (elected)—A. H. Oliver; deputy reeve (elected)—Perry G. Valler; councillors (eight elected)—Carol Cairns 1,364, D. G. Rancy 1,289, A. J. Truman 1,274, Cleve Yeo 1,137, A. J. Orr 990, A. J. Cook 938, H. W. Ploewman 930, W. G. Bingham 895, W. G. Curran 855, Louis Stone 659; board of education (elected)—S. Coates, Dr. E. C. Steele, Alex. Wilson; public utilities (two elected)—Dr. R. E. Hipwell 1,220, E. M. Pedwell 1,172, T. G. Beament 697.

ORILLIA (Township)
Reeve (elected)—Manford Horne; deputy reeve (elected)—S. D. Brinkwater; councillors (three elected)—Wilbur Reed 462, W. C. Gowanlock 393, William Hennessy 350, W. Powell 263, Harry Cox 266, John Irvin 180, David Calverley 147.

ORO
Reeve (elected)—I. H. Luck; deputy reeve (elected)—A. M. Tudhope; councillors (three elected)—J. A. Woodrow 522, A. H. Shellwell 471, C. J.

Medonte Reeve Back



GEORGE BARR

Returned as Reeve of Medonte Township by acclamation for his third term.

NEWS OF ELMVALE

(Last Week's Correspondence)

Drug Lilley spent Christmas at Toronto.

John Corcoran of Varsity is home for the holidays.

Miss Margaret Stone, Toronto, is home for a short time. She spent a few days here with her parents.

Ple George Terry of Kingston spent Christmas with his parents.

Geo. Bick of Allenwood spent the holidays at his home at Cannington.

Mrs. Mary Corcoran of Toronto is spending the week with her brother.

Mrs. Edna Montgomery visited friends this week in Toronto and Whitby.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Cooper spent Christmas with the former's sister in Toronto.

Len. Hand of the Bank of Toronto spent Christmas at his home at Alliston.

Misses Margaret and Molly Colvumbus, Niagara Falls, were home for Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Harvie and Miss Ann Marie spent Christmas at Orillia and Galtwhirly.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fiegehen and Donna passed Christmas with friends at Creemore.

Bill Milner, Misses Evelyn and Betty Black, Toronto, spent week-end with the latter's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corcoran and family, Toronto, spent Christmas with the former's brother, Dr. Corcoran.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Guert and Mrs. Edgar Guert of Midland spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drysdale.

Mrs. Harry Wallace has very kindly donated a room in the building next to the fire hall for the use of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Black, Misses Evelyn and Betty and Bill Milner spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lower, Barrie.

Miss Kathleen Stone of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Garrison and Leo Stone of Toronto, were with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Stone, for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smart of Elmvalle, Mrs. H. Bradley and sons, Eugene, Arnold and Nelson, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Stone, for Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Archer, Lennox Burton of Hamilton, Mrs. Tony Muth of Collingwood, and Ple. Albert Archer of Hamilton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Archer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dutcher, Elbert and Ronnie, Delbert Bannerman, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bishop and Miss Judith Johnston and Miss Gertrude Curtis of Toronto, spent Christmas with the former's mother, Mrs. M. E. Dutcher, at Barrie.

Mrs. C. Ellery of Detroit, Mich., Misses Edna and Ethel Bowman of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bowman and Dorothy of Barrie, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Lea and children of Hillsdale, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bowman for Christmas.

Popularity Contest
Thirty-four boys and twenty-six girls were in the running in the popularity contest sponsored by the Board of Trade and the winners were: 1. Raymond Strath; 2. Earl Thomson; 3. Lorne Rance; 4. Bert Archer; 5. Bob Burke; Girls: 1. Polly Ritchie; 2. Betty Beardsall; 3. Helen Ritchie; 4. Norma Giffen; 5. Bertha Reynolds.

Quiet Annual School Meeting
The annual school meeting of S.S. No. 5 was held in the Elmvalle school on Wednesday morning, December 27. The attendance was about as usual. Rev. G. H. Purchase was appointed chairman of the meeting and C. E. Dutcher, secretary. Following the transaction of general business, C. E. Dutcher was elected auditor for two years, Jas. B. Ritchie, the retiring trustee, was re-elected.

Dog Derby and Pony Race
The weather on Friday afternoon, Dec. 27, was bright and cool for the annual Dog Derby and Pony Race sponsored by the Elmvalle Board of Trade. About 230, the hour set for the event, the streets were lined with spectators to watch the fun. There was just enough snow on the road to permit the use of sleighs. There were five dogs entered and the winners were: 1st, Lewis Crow; 2nd, Lorne Draper, and 3rd, Don Draper. In the pony race, Danny Columbus came first, with Howard Green second, and Bernard Crawford third.

USED RECONDITIONED CARS

1938 Plymouth Coach	1931 Willys Sedan
1937 Ford Coach	1931 Oldsmobile Sedan
1937 Ford Sedan with Radio	1931 Durant Sedan
1936 Ford Coupe	1930 Cadillac Sedan
1936 Chrysler 7-passenger Sedan	1929 DeSoto Sedan
1935 Ford Coach	DELIVERY TRUCKS
1933 Plymouth Sedan	1937 Dodge 2-ton Stake
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ORILLIA—Orillia is mourning the loss of a prominent business man, who was born in London and came to Orillia with his family in 1873. He was educated in Orillia schools, and was for many years editor of the Times, giving up that post only a few years ago when the Times amalgamated with the Packet.

LONDON BALLOON BARRAGE



Alexander Korda's sensational new picture, "The Lion Has Wings", which opens at the Roxy Theatre on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, shows for the first time on the screen the silver balloon barrage, an elaborate system of huge balloons with invisible entanglements of wire which force enemy planes high into the sky far beyond bombing range.



MARKET

Produce was plentiful on the farmers' market Saturday, but trading was not brisk. Turkeys and geese were sold at the same prices as the previous week but chickens ranged from 16 to 20 cents. Eggs dropped two cents a dozen in all grades.

Cuts of pork and beef were sold for the first time this winter and the quality was good. Pork fronts brought 14 cents a pound and hinds 16 cents a pound. Beef was sold at the same prices.

Beets, basket 20c
Dried Beans, pint 10c
Cabbage, head 5-10c
Celery, bunch 2 for 15c
Carrots, basket 15c
Chinese Cabbage, each 5-10c
Hubbard Squash, each 5-10-15c
Dried Peas, pint 10c
Parsnips 15c
Spanish Onions, 6 qts. 30c
Turnips 5c
Vegetable Marrow 5c
Potatoes, 75-lb. 90c

Miscellaneous
Apples, 6 quarts 15-25c
Pears, 6 quarts 30c
Mushrooms, qt. 25c
Baby Beef Fronts, lb. 14c
Baby Beef Hinds, lb. 16c
Pork Fronts, lb. 14c
Pork Hinds, lb. 15c
Honey 4-lb. tin 45c

Produce
Butter, lb. 35c
Chicken, lb. 10-12c
Eggs, dozen 23-25c
Fowl, lb. 15c
Turkey, lb. 15c
Geese, lb. 15c
Ducks, lb. 15c

Baking
Buns, dozen 5c
Cakes, each 5c
Home-made Bread, loaf 5c
Meat Pies, each 5c
Muffins, dozen 5c
Pies, each 5c
Tarts, dozen 5c

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT—I've spent a quarter of my life in the Children. But then, I'm only six months old. My little feet were that I'd be able to romp and play when I'm older.

"I'm all better now, going home to-morrow. I feel wonderful care and attention. You see, Dadd."

"The Government is looking after you together. Unfortunately, they don't look after you together day to day to treat me."

"More than that, we're the ones who are but every day."

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DOG GOES OVERSEAS

Treavor Cowgigan, first Canadian dog to go to war, crossed the Atlantic disguised as a machine-gun, it was disclosed in Toronto. Treavor is a pure-bred airedale and his master is Col Christopher C. Thompson of the Toronto Scottish. But army regulations do not recognize right of every self-respecting airedale to follow his master into a fight. So Treavor turned up his tail at the regulations and went overseas in a camouflaged crate.

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