

Simcoe County Snapshots

PRESS FOR AIRPORT

ILLIA—Although Ottawa rejected the town's offer of the town site for a military airport, the town will continue to press its efforts to have a commercial airport established here, Mayor Pack said, stating that this one of the matters which he has on his programme for 1940.

CLUB FOR WELFARE

ENTANG—Concluding a most successful year, Penetanguishene Club earned \$1,403 during the year in the town and district.

CARS STOLEN

ADFOOD—Car thieves visited Ford twice recently, one local already being recovered and the other still numbered among the missing.

REPAIRS TO LIONS

LISTON—L. Col F. E. Worthen, M.C., officer commanding Indian Armoured Fighting School, Camp Borden, was speaker at Alliston Lions Club Friday evening.

VETERAN SOLDIER HONORED

ENTANG—Herman A. Picotte, 87-year-old Penetanguishene resident, received a rare token of appreciation when Rev. Fathers J. Saxley, Phillip Houiver and Ar. I Desautels visited him at his home and presented a heavy gold watch from Pope Pius XI in 1939. Mr. Picotte's 65 years of continuous service as a soldier of the King.

BURNED TO DEATH

DLAND—Lawrence Roberts, laborer, was believed burned to death at an early morning fire which gutted a brick house at the corner of Seventh and Ontario streets. His burned body was discovered by firemen shortly after the fire. The firemen were called out at 7:45 a.m.

50 YEARS MARRIED

ILLIA—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Orellin, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at home on January 11. They were married in London Ontario.

MAY BUY MAINTAINER

ITAWASAGA—A power driven maintainer will in all probability be purchased by Tottenham Council this season. The 1939 model seriously considered made move but finally deferred the purchase until 1940.

NEARLY \$7,000 BALANCE

ITAWASAGA—Nottawasaga mill starts the year with nearly \$7,000 cash balance. Eighty-one per cent of the 1939 taxes have been paid and more coming in daily. It is better than for some years.

RECOUNT POSSIBLE

LLINGWOOD—A recount may be necessary on the vote on a by-law to fix assessment at \$3,000 on recently constructed Smead cold storage plant. The by-law received a majority vote in favor of the municipal elections, voting for the fixed assessment 210 against. This was 11 votes or the required two-thirds vote, as reported that 50 spoiled ballots which might possibly have altered the necessary majority, it makes a recount necessary.

TRUSTEE BURIED

DLAND—Member of the Midland Board of Education and chairman of the property committee of Paul's United Church, Bruce Brown was buried in Lakeview cemetery. He was born on Oct. 1884 in Tiny Township, near Midland.

Children's Coughs Quickly Relieved

It is hard to keep the children from taking cold; they will run out doors and not properly clad; have on much clothing and get overheated; cough off too suddenly; they get red feet wet; kick off the bed clothes at night; The mother cannot keep them all the time, so what is going to do?
Mothers should never neglect the child's cough or cold, but on its incipient stage procure a bottle of **Ward's Norway Pine Syrup**. It is so pleasant to the taste the youngsters take it without any fuss.
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Better than cake or powder
"HURTS ONLY DIRT"
At All Grocery Stores
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KEEP ROAD OPEN

COLLINGWOOD—Collingwood Board of Trade and the Faversham Snow Club held a joint meeting to discuss means of keeping the county road between Faversham and Sling hampton, and a short spur from the main road to Faversham, open to motor traffic during the winter.

PRESIDENT INSTALLED

MIDLAND—Dr. Garnet E. Tanner has been installed as president of Midland Kiwanis Club for 1940. Former District Governor Dr. William A. Lewis, Barrie, was master of ceremonies. As he planned the presidential button on Dr. Tanner's lapel, Dr. Lewis noted that it was the original button he presented to the club 16 years ago.

SCHOOL BOARD HEAD

COLDWATER—At the first 1940 meeting of Coldwater School Board, Chester Martin was chosen chairman by secret ballot without opposition. It is Mr. Martin's fourth year as head of the local board.

RESIDENT DEAD

WAUBAUSIENE—Thos. Henry Swaidle died at Waubausiene on January 2 in his 84th year.

VETERAN CHIEF RE-ELECTED

COLDWATER—Nelson Wood has been returned as chief of Coldwater Volunteer Fire Brigade for the 28th consecutive year.

DETRITOR IS PURCHASED BY COUNCIL

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and would favour more efficient, but would favour purchasing it.

Ald. E. A. Twiss pointed out that Barrie would be the first town in Canada to install this machine. He felt some idea of its value should be available to Council.

Mr. Reid informed Council that the approval of the Department of Health had been given to its installation in connection with the sewage disposal project.

It was necessary to know now whether or not the machine was to be installed when the foundations of the sewage plant were being laid, as certain recesses had to be left.

Ald. H. J. Buchanan thought Council should provide for it later and buy it when necessary. He did not see forcing it on the town now when the estimates had already been exceeded. He thought a deputation should be sent to Tottenham or some place where such a machine was in operation, and \$100 spent in this way would be money well spent.

Reeve MacLaren asked how much more would Council know if a deputation were sent.

Deputy Reeve William Garner thought it would be more satisfactory if Council were to see a machine actually in operation and were able to find out definite requirements.

Mr. Reid explained that non-comparable to the Link Belt machine was installed in Canada. It was designed to combine in its operation, cleaning of the screen, and removing of foreign matter from the sewage, such as stones, etc. Mentioning an exact replica in use in Wisconsin, he suggested that a plane call be placed.

Ald. W. J. Buchanan suggested that a night letter be sent, requesting a reply.

Discussion followed as to the advisability of sending a deputation, but many members did not think that such a deputation would serve any good purpose and said they were willing to accept the recommendation of the engineer of the Department, and the fact that the Link Belt firm was a very reputable one.

In the vote in committee, the vote stood 6-6 on the motion to purchase the detritor. The Mayor, on his vote, declared the motion carried.

Friday Discussion
Discussing the matter in committee of the whole at Friday evening's special meeting, the Mayor said there were two types of machine offered. The engineer had indicated a small preference for the Link Belt machine.



EMPIRE'S NEW HERO

Commander E. O. Bickford of the submarine Salmon, which torpedoed two German cruisers, a grandson of the late E. O. Bickford, Toronto contractor, and son of a former officer of the 48th Highlanders, Toronto.

SEWER RUMPUS IS SETTLED, NO JACK PINE

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er piling them was originally called for, Mr. Bond pointed out.
Mr. Bond produced a file of correspondence of Northern Wood Preservers Limited.
Regarding the quality of jack-pine for sewer purposes as compared with Norway pine or the Douglas fir, the Forest Products Laboratory of the Department of Mines and Technical Surveys, Ottawa, for a considered opinion. The reply was: "Providing grades are the same, there should be no appreciable difference in strength and durability of creosoted jack pine and red pine under the conditions and for the purpose described."

The Forestry Branch, Ontario Department of Lands and Forests, was also consulted, and Mr. Bond gave figures to prove his point. "From the above there would be little to choose between the two species mentioned," red pine and jack pine," the Branch stated.

Report of Charles Warnock and Co., Limited, testing engineers, with reference to the material supplied by Northern Wood Preservers Ltd. and inspected by the Warnock firm, both at Port Arthur and Barrie, was that "the jack pine as supplied has been accepted by our inspector and is, in our opinion, the equivalent of Norway pine of the same grade."

Mr. Bond produced an unconditional guarantee of the wood slave-sawer pipe supplied for a period of twenty years, and if failure should occur from any natural causes in which a sewer should be subjected over that period, Northern Wood Preservers Limited agreed to deliver or without cost to the Town of Barrie, similar wood slave pipe in jack pine, Norway pine or Douglas fir, whichever the Town Engineer might require.

Discussion
Following Mr. Bond's presentation, a sample of the wood was produced. Reeve MacLaren asked if Mr. Bond would call that wood clear.

Mr. Bond said no, there was no need for it to be clear.

Reeve MacLaren asked if it was free of large knots. Mr. Bond said there would be only one or two per cent in the shipment.

Ald. Twiss denied that Mr. Bond's company was the lowest tender, but was the highest. Ald. Twiss said he had information that the mining companies in the north use long fibre, close-grained, tough wood, with high tensile strength. They use B.C. fir as it will give and bend. On the other hand, jack-pine has a short fibre. In the United States Department of Agriculture figures, Norway pine stands higher than jack-pine.

Reeve MacLaren said jack-pine was full of knots. This shipment was at least 30 per cent knots.

Inspector Explains
J. Scott, the inspector at Port Arthur and Barrie, said it didn't concern his company what type of wood was used. The first specifications called for Norway pine which was later changed to jack-pine. Throughout all Canadian wood levels, jack-pine was slightly superior to Norway pine. Norway pine doesn't run to knots so much. He had gone over every single piece, and as far as he could see, the town got a fair grade of lumber in the shipment. Norway pine and jack-pine are so close together in quality that there is not much difference, Mr. Scott stated.

Ald. G. W. Clark felt that Council was overlooking the 20 year guarantee offered.
"Who's going to guarantee it if the company is out of business?" asked Reeve MacLaren.

Ald. M. D. Cubitt-Nichols and other members of Council were of the opinion that the contractor should live up to specifications; that is, use Norway pine or Douglas fir and not jack-pine. The action of the previous meeting was thus confirmed.

This was put in the form of a motion which was adopted by Council.

MARKET

Trading on the farmers' market Saturday morning was very dull. Produce was plentiful but with the attendance down much of the goods remained unsold.
Eggs dropped three cents a dozen for a large lot other than that at 10s remained at the same level as the previous week.

Vegetables	
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	5-10c
Tripled Peas, pint	10c
Parsnips	15c
Spanish Onions, 6 qts	30c
Turkeys	50c
Potatoes, 75-lb	80c
Green Onions	3 bunches for 10c

Miscellaneous	
Apples, 6 crates	20c
Haley Beef Fronts, lb	14c
Haley Beef Hinds, lb	14c
Pork Fronts, lb	16c
Pork Hinds, lb	16c
Ham	4-lb, tin 45c

Produce	
Butter, lb	35c
Chickens, dozen	49-20c
Eggs, dozen	20-23-25c
Fowl, lb	10-15c

Baking	
Wheat, dozen	15-20c
Cakes, dozen	25-30c
Doughnuts, dozen	20c
Home-made Biscuits, loaf	10c
Meat Pies, each	5c
Muffins, dozen	25c
Pies, each	25-50c
Rolls, dozen	25-50c

COUNTY TAX SALE NETS \$8,688 TOTAL

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NOTTAWASAGA
Part lot 7, con. 3, 100 acres, \$221.60 for 75 acres, G. H. Kembar, Crescomore; part lot 14, con. 8, 100 acres, \$120.64 for 20 acres, D. Carmichael; Crescomore; part lot 18, con. 7, 100 acres, \$117.05 for 25 acres; part lot 29, con. 10, \$5.30, Malcolm McLennan; Collingwood; lot 20, con. 12, 200 acres, \$202.03, H. A. Henry, Barrie; total, \$1008.30.

ORILLIA NORTH
Lot 36, con. 9, 200 acres, \$61.77, H. N. Dignam, Toronto; part lot 10, con. 8, 100 acres, \$53.15, H. N. Dignam; part lot 14, con. 15, 75 acres, part lot 11, con. 12, 25 acres, \$32.10, Charles Wallace, Orillia; plan 609, lots 5-16-17, \$17.19, H. N. Dignam; total, \$417.21.

OHO
North half lot 21, con. 3, 100 acres, \$300.74, D. F. McCaughey, Barrie; plan 709, lots 57-59, con. 5, \$14.40, H. N. Dignam; plan 709, lots 4-6, \$11.02, H. N. Dignam; plan 709, lot 7, \$10.00, D. F. McCaughey; part lot 7, con. 7, 100 acres, part lot 7, con. 8, 50 acres, \$32.10, D. F. McCaughey; plan 509, lots 12, 43, 42, con. 8, \$42.10, D. F. McCaughey; SE part lot 12, con. 9, 75 acres, \$101.40 for 20 acres, H. A. Henry, Barrie, NE qtr. lot 9, con. 10, 50 acres, \$30.29 for seven acres, H. A. Henry; part lot 15, con. 10, 50 acres, \$100.50 for 10 acres, H. A. Henry; total, \$710.60.

SUNNIDALE
North half lot 22, con. 1, 100 acres, \$255.04 for 40 acres, H. A. Henry, Barrie; part lot 4, con. 10, arrears, \$31.73, sold for \$200, Wilfrid Evans, Slayner; Hoffman Plan, block A, lots 4-7, con. 10, arrears \$12.30, Taylor property, arrears \$49.47, sold for \$400, W. Evans; plan 528, part lot 3, arrears \$37.35, sold for \$225, Irene Watson, Slayner; plan 621, lot 22, arrears \$50.05, sold for \$375, Dalton Hughes, Collingwood; plan 663, lot 5, arrears \$14.05, sold for \$140, D. Hughes; plan 674, lot 28, arrears \$84.12, sold for \$500, W. Evans; plan 674, lot 40, arrears \$65.70, sold for \$125, D. Hughes; plan 674, lot 46, arrears \$65.70, sold for \$100, H. N. Dignam, Toronto; plan 674, lot 51, arrears \$33, sold for \$100, Irene Watson; plan 679, lots 57-59-50-60, arrears \$109.01, sold for \$400, H. N. Dignam; plan 106, lot 30, arrears \$12.35, sold for \$75, H. N. Dignam; total, \$3,597.57.



BACK IN ENGLAND

What happened to Unity Valkyrie Freeman-Mitford (ABOVE) in Munich remains a secret as closely guarded as her return to England. Reported wounded by her own hand or shot by Gestapo agents who feared Hitler had revealed secrets to her, the "Notre beauty" landed without displaying bandages. Ward-plans flew over the channel steamer bringing her back and soldiers in battle dress protected her when she stepped ashore.

contribute upon-and-go-after—Today when the consumer's dollar is being competed for by a thousand and one things which weren't present 25 years ago, you have got to give the public what they want, or you lose out.

"If farmers are able to go into the meat-packing business in a co-operative enterprise as they have done successfully, they can go into any other line of farm production."

"The packing houses industry in Canada had probably the brightest men as its leaders and the farmers of Ontario had a great deal of nerve and courage in entering it. Its success should give encouragement to other co-operative enterprises.

"If there were sufficient co-operative packing plants across Canada to control 25 per cent of the livestock it would control the market 50 out of the 52 weeks in the year. Co-operation is the only way out under democracy.

"The public today," said Mr. Morrison, "is eating foods which are taking a lot of processing."

TANK TRAINING CENTRE SHOWN TO FORESTERS

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disconnected some necessary wiring, plug the gas line, and even put the odd drop of oil on a spark plug. The students are required to locate the stoppages, or causes of them in a given length of time.

This building also contains a "skeleton" tank. The engine of the tank is present and the driver sits beside it just as he does in a tank, but the machine is quite stationary, and gives the operator an opportunity of "acclimating" himself to the feel of a tank's controls.

The gunnery building was also visited and more classrooms for gunnery instruction were seen. The ryma range, where two large cog-like affairs bounce and roll and pitch the world-bee gunner around as though he were in a tank, while he tries to sight his guns on a miniature sand table range, proved interesting to the visitors. All had an opportunity of entering a ryma and getting the sensation of the odd

The Quality Tea

"SALADA" TEA

"What Would You Do?" A New Radio Feature

A new and interesting type of quiz programme goes on the air on Thursday evening, January 11. This programme, entitled "What Would You Do?" invites listeners to send in questions on what they would do under certain conditions.
All questions sent in will be judged by the sponsors of the programme and, if accepted, will be paid for and used on future programmes; also there is a grand prize of a big cash award each week.
A group of stations will be used for this programme, which will be sponsored by The Canada Starch Company Limited, manufacturers of Crown Brand Corn Syrup.

Save by Prepaying TOWN of BARRIE TAXES for 1940

Ratepayers may purchase Tax Prepayment Receipts during the months of January, February, March and April at the following rate.

AMOUNT	Cost in Jan'y Jan. 10-31	Cost in February Feb. 1-31	Cost in March Feb. 15-28	Cost in March Mar. 1-15	Cost in April Mar. 16-31	Cost in April Apr. 1-15	Cost in April Apr. 16-30
\$10.00	\$ 9.76	\$ 9.78	\$ 9.79	\$ 9.81	\$ 9.83	\$ 9.85	\$ 9.87
20.00	19.51	19.55	19.59	19.63	19.66	19.70	19.74
25.00	24.39	24.43	24.48	24.53	24.58	24.63	24.67
30.00	29.27	29.32	29.38	29.44	29.49	29.55	29.61
40.00	39.02	39.10	39.18	39.25	39.32	39.40	39.48
50.00	48.78	48.88	48.97	49.07	49.16	49.25	49.35
75.00	73.17	73.31	73.46	73.60	73.73	73.87	74.02
100.00	97.56	97.75	97.94	98.13	98.31	98.50	98.69
500.00	487.80						

Prepayment Receipts must be presented along with 1940 Tax Bills on or before June 25th, 1940
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CALL TO SERVICE on the Economic Front

"Machinery and money count for so much in this war that a resolute, loyal and enthusiastic economic front line may be the determining factor."

To your restless question "When can I help win this war?" — the answer is NOW. On Monday next, the Government of the Dominion of Canada will offer the First War Loan. The purpose of this Loan is to provide money to carry on the war, not only on the battlefields, but all along the Economic Front.

Let us explain what the Economic Front means. It means a war in which the entire natural, industrial and financial resources of the country are used to defeat the enemy. It means a "total war" in which every citizen takes a part, in which his personal resources must support those of the Nation.

In such a war, one of the chief weapons is money. Where is this money to come from? There is only one answer. It must come — and come voluntarily — from the savings of our people. The difference between us and the Germans is that we, of our own free will, lend our money — it is not ruthlessly taken away.

This is your opportunity to do your part in this struggle against Hitlerism. The eyes of the world are upon you, upon Canada, one of the strongest members of the British Commonwealth. Canadians must show that their strength, their courage and their resources are all in this fight against "brute force, bad faith, injustice, aggression and persecution."

The news of the success of this Loan must go ringing round the world.

Be ready to buy War Loan Bonds. They will have the proven safety and stability of Dominion of Canada obligations. Any Investment Dealer or Chartered Bank will take your subscription. The quicker the economic war is won, the greater will be the saving of human lives... the swifter the collapse of the enemy.

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MAKE YOUR DOLLARS FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Bacon "Housewife Wants" Should Be Produced, Says K. N. M. Morrison

Production of the type of bacon "the housewife wants" was urged upon 800 students attending a series of short courses at the Ontario Agricultural College over the weekend by K. N. M. Morrison, manager of First Co-operative Packers, Barrie.
"If you don't produce hogs that make the bacon the housewife wants they will buy other food-stuffs instead. They don't want fat, tough meat," said Mr. Morrison.
"That's the market we must con-