

Traverston

(Our Own Correspondent) Fall wheat harvest is on; hay-making will keep busy for another week.

Miss Lillian Flinn, of Toronto, is holidaying at uncle J. H. Robson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McDonald were guests at Mr. J. J. Peart's the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Hawes and family of Meaford visited at the Davis homestead the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichol and Mrs. Davidson of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Young on the 10th concession.

Miss Margaret Anderson, of Edge Hill, was a guest last week of her cousin, Mrs. J. R. Edwards.

Mr. Francis Tufts of Detroit is enjoying a fortnight's holidays at the Edwards' homestead. For a city chap he can handle hay or pick berries with the best of the rustics.

Miss Clara Greenwood, of Owen Sound hospital had a couple of days' holidays at the old home the first of the week.

Mrs. R. Milburn of town and Mrs. J. Hudson, son Jim and daughter Margaret of South Bentinck, were guests at Mr. G. E. Peart's the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Twamley and Miss Inez were visitors at the McCleekin home on Sunday.

On Monday afternoon as Mr. Will Ryan was driving through the long farming swamp on the 4th concession a big brown bear was prodding along, looking for the finest berries. Will says he was a fine specimen, peacefully inclined, but needless to say, pedestrians will step lightly through the lonely stretch of road after dark. A few years ago we lost a very fine two-months old veal calf back there and we are wondering now if that was the fellow who sicked it away.

For four consecutive Sundays, Zionists have had the privilege of listening to powerful and inspiring sermons by the Rev. W. H. Smith of Durham. The gifted speaker is not only eloquent and scholarly, but his messages are full of encouragement and helpfulness.

Sometimes, in bygone years, it was customary for country fellows to go into town and paint it red; but last week a quartette of Durham's artists—Messrs. Kelly Horn, Roy Lawrence, Stinson and Sharp, transformed the big steel roof of Mr. T. E. Blair's barn into a glittering gleam of Venetian red.

Messrs. Morton and Dunn of Bentinck made a neat job in reshingling the south half of Mr. W. J. Cook's big barn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Edwards, Spencer, his brother, Ray McCleekin, Miss Kate Cook, and Wauby Baker were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lawrence of Egremont.

Mrs. Simpson of Vancouver and Mrs. J. E. Mantell of Tilsonburg arrived on Saturday and are making their headquarters with Mrs. Irving Anderson on the 4th concession. They were in attendance at Zion's services and then visited the family plot in the cemetery.

Calderwood

(Our Own Correspondent) All roads will lead to Mount Forest this week to attend the Old Boys' and Girls' Reunion. We hope the weather keeps fine.

Relatives from Kitchener are visiting at John Leibold's.

Mrs. Frank Henry is spending a few days in Mount Forest with Mrs. Gordon Henry.

Mr. and Mrs. James Macdonald, Gladwin, Kenneth and Ross visited on Friday afternoon at J. Smith's.

Mr. Robert Walker, Harrison, spent Sunday at T. D. McMullen's.

Some have finished haying and have started to cut their fall wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Becker visited their daughter, Mrs. Chris. Kaufman, on Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. McMullen and Mrs. S. Witherow recently visited Mrs. Wm. Edwards, Jr. Letter Breen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henry, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Witherow, visited their brother, Gordon, in Mount Forest, on Sunday. Gordon received severe injuries last week when he fell from a pole while helping to decorate the town.

Edge Hill

(Our Own Correspondent) Miss Mary Robinson of Owen Sound visited over the holiday with the Robinson family.

Mrs. W. G. Ritchie of Toronto was home for a few days this week.

Miss Jean Renwick of Dromore was the guest of Miss Dorothy Ritchie over the week-end.

Mrs. R. Edge of town is spending this week with her son, Mr. Arthur Edge.

Master Orval Lee and little brother of Egremont are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ritchie.

Miss McLean of Galt is visiting Mrs. D. Robinson.

Mr. W. A. Williams of Mimico visited over the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Williams.

Mrs. John Firth, and daughter, Bernice of Shelburne are visiting with the Firth and Ritchie families.

Miss Margaret Anderson spent last week with relatives at Zion.

Misses Margaret and Jean Firth are visiting friends in town this week.

Misses Mary, Beta and Armonell Gencross visited friends in Egremont the first of the week.

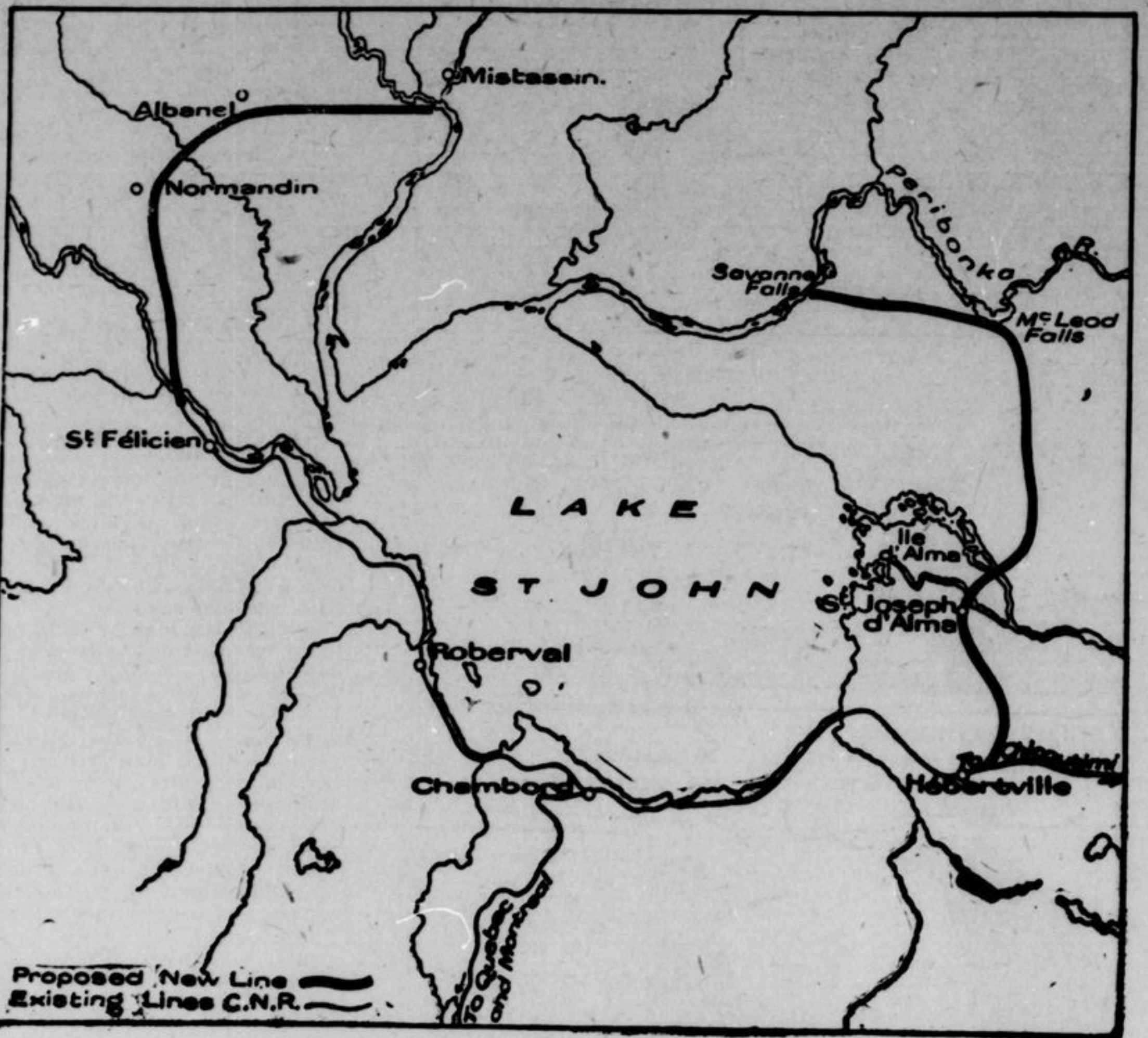
Mrs. H. Williams and Mrs. E. Greenwood were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mortley, Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scarf of Toronto are visiting friends at Edge Hill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, of Sault Ste Marie, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Williams.

Mrs. Wm. Greenwood, Sr. had the misfortune to fall the other day and injure herself so severely that it

NEW C. N. R. LINES IN LAKE ST. JOHN DISTRICT OF QUEBEC



was necessary to have her taken to Durham hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Firth and family motored to Hawkestone on Sunday. Miss Christine Anderson accompanied them and spent the remainder of the holidays there, with her brother and sister.

Mulock

(Our Own Correspondent) We extend true and heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved friends of the late Mr. Edward Milton of Elmwood a former mail courier of rural route No. 4 for the past six or seven years. Elmwood has lost one of its finest citizens and R. R. No. 4 one of its best mail couriers.

He was a sunny, cheery disposition and a friend always ready to oblige. The sterling character and the straightforward principles of the deceased in life were his characteristic traits. The esteem and respect in which Mr. Milton was held as mail courier was shown by the beautiful floral tributes and donation in money left over and by the large number who attended his funeral Saturday from his late home in Elmwood.

Mrs. H. Dunn and sister, Mrs. Vine, Toronto, accompanied by friends from Guelph, spent the holiday at the former's home here.

Miss Mary McGilivray, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dirstein of Elmwood are camping at Muskoka for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Knechtel and two children, and Mrs. Weber and daughter, Naomi, of Hanover, spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. A. C. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Findlay McCuaig, Masters, Kenneth, Lawrence and Lloyd, spent Sunday with friends at Top Cliff.

Mr. Dick Sheek and daughter Dorothy, accompanied by Miss Beulah and Warden Patterson, Guelph, and Mr. Prosper Porter of Lakelet, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spence Hopkins last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Mr. Jack and Miss Faith, and friend Miss Smith, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Newton Philip, of Owen Sound, (nee Miss Hattie Lawrence).

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDonald motored up from Toronto to spend the holiday with sons Warren and Evan, who are holidaying at the home of Miss Annie Hobkirk for the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead, Misses Hazel and Willa Bailey, called on friends here Monday. Pleased to know Miss Vera Bailey is much improved in health and able to be out and around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Sharpe and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bailey.

Mr. Sandy and Miss Kate Brown, and Miss Mary McKechnie, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Beaton, Glenelg Centre.

Eugenia

(Our Own Correspondent) Haying will soon be finished in this vicinity. The fall wheat is ripening fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Williams, and Mrs. Jos. Williams and son Joseph of Toronto, visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Partridge. Mrs. Jos. Williams will remain here for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Holly Gordon and four children of Toronto are on a visit with Mrs. Gordon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Leppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Purvis and little daughter, Shirley, returned to Toronto on Monday after a few days' visit with the former's parents, Counsellor and Mrs. R. Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Code, Mr. Gald, Mr. and Mrs. Hagan, and son and wife and family of Toronto visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Campbell, Mrs. Cardwell Graham and Mrs. Jacob Williams visited one day recently at Gravenhurst.

Mrs. William Hislop has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Wilfred Magee, 8th line.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. David, and daughter Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Young and son Jack, and Mr. Harold Tuohy of Buffalo and Mrs. Thos. Gamey of Sault Ste Marie visited on Thursday last with Mrs. Alex. Hoy. It was Mrs. Hoy's birthday anniversary and a jolly time was spent. We join in wishing her many happy returns of the day. These visitors also visited with Mrs. Garnet Magee, 8th line.

Mr. Wesley Cooney, of Toronto, visited for a few days in the village. We are sorry to report Mrs. P. Munshaw not so well again. Hope she recovers soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Caulfield (nee Miss Bessie Ward) and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lehman of Toronto visited over the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Williams. Your correspondent was delighted by a call from Mrs. Caulfield and Mrs. Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kerr of Toronto visited over Sunday with Mrs. Kerr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fawcett, Miss Yvonne Fawcett, who has spent the past month in Toronto returned to her home here with them.

Mrs. Leonard Latimer has returned home from visiting friends at Alliston.

Mrs. Alex. Garruthers of "Mountain View Farm" has returned home after a pleasant sojourn at Sault Ste Marie with her parents and many other relatives. She was accompanied home by her little niece and nephew, Leta and Edward McGill, who will spend a few holidays here.

Miss Esther Magee of Toronto visited a few days with her friend, Miss Lucy Walton.

Miss Gertrude Lever, accompanied by Mrs. Watson, of Flesherton, visited with Mrs. C. Martin.

Visitors on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Anderson and son Wilbur were, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mathewson and family of Owen Sound, and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Darling of Southampton.

Holstein

(Our Own Correspondent) Master Ross and Miss Irlma Rife are spending holidays with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. Alex. McMillan of Dundak spent the week-end at his home here.

Mrs. D. Stinchcombe of London is visiting her cousin, Miss Ethel Sharpe.

Rev. and Mrs. Jay are leaving this week for a month's vacation.

Mrs. Polinsky and son Maxwell of Toronto spent last week with her sister, Mrs. George McCall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Manary and family, of Toronto, spent the first of the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Nicholson and sons Robbie and Kenneth of West- on were visitors in our village on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. D. Main of Waterford is visiting Mrs. J. D. Roberts and other friends and taking in the Reunion at Mount Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shields of London, and Mr. and Mrs. G. Moses of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Orchard.

Mr. Clarence Malcolm of Scotland spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roberts.

Mr. Andrew Hunter met with an accident on Saturday when he got kicked by a horse. We are glad to report that he did not receive serious injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Sythes and daughter Dorothy, of Ingewood spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. Sim.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rocks of Toronto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson over the week-end and holiday.

Miss E. M. Stevenson returned home on Friday, after spending a couple of months with relatives at Ridgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Saddler and son Bobbie and Mrs. Saddler, Sr., of Warton spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Rife.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDermid and daughter of Windsor spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bilton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kerr of Springfield, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Kerr's sisters, Mrs. Horsburgh and Mrs. McPhaden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McMillan had as guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. R. McLean, Mrs. Benedict and daughter, from near Meaford.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kerr of Toronto are spending their honeymoon with his sister, Mrs. Alf. Buller, Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were married on

VETERANS' STAR THEATRE Friday - Saturday, Aug. 5-6 JOHNNY HINES in The CRACKERJACK The tale of young Tommy Perkins, whose advertising genius, colossal nerve and sense of humor stopped a South American revolution and permanently put Perkins' Stuffed Pickles on the map. Comedy—"DON KEY" First Show Starts 7:45 Adults—25c. Children—15c.

Saturday last, Congratulations! Guests of Miss Ross for the week and taking in the reunion at Mount Forest are, Dr. and Mrs. Percy Ross and young daughter and Miss Elizabeth Ross of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ross and son Douglas, Mr. John Ross, Mr. Ernest Ross and Miss Sadie Ross of Stratford, Mrs. Harry Twitchell and daughter Betty of Windsor and Messrs. George and John Ross of Orillia.

Southeast Bentinck

(Our Own Correspondent) Mr. and Mrs. John Bauer and family of Kitchener spent over the holiday with the former's mother and brothers here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hamilton and two children of Hanover, accompanied by Rev. A. M. Hamilton of Guelph spent last Thursday at Mr. Wm. Smith's.

Our congratulations are due Mr. Will Knisley, who was married last Tuesday to Miss Reta Carson of Knox Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and daughter, Margaret, attended church service at Pricerville Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mountain of Hamilton spent over the holiday at the former's home here.

A number from this neighborhood attended the reception at Mr. Wm. Carson's last Tuesday, given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Will Knisley.

Miss Maude Cuff of Toronto is visiting at Mr. Wm. Picken's.

Rocky Saugeen

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jordan and son Wilkie of Toronto and Mr. David Fraser of Owen Sound spent a few days with Mrs. E. Wilkie.

Mrs. Geo. Searle of Guelph and Mrs. Geo. Turnbull spent a few days with their brother, Mr. Wm. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lamb of Aberdeen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clark.

Mrs. Alfred Noble and two children spent a day recently with Mrs. A. Symons.

Miss Jean Renwick of Dromore spent a few days with her friend, Miss Catherine McLean.

Mrs. L. McLean met with a very painful accident while heading off some cattle last Saturday when she fell and broke her arm.

GREY DEANERY HELD ANNUAL PICNIC (Continued from page 4)

from the Archbishop of the Diocese who has in previous years been in attendance. Mr. J. H. Hartman, of Clarksburg, introduced Mr. Allin, and Mr. H. L. White, of Shelburne, Chairman of the Laymen's Association, spoke a few words of welcome to the gathering. The picnic was a success in every respect, the weather being ideal for the occasion. Everybody was on the way to their homes at 8:30 o'clock.

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Vacation Days Are Coming Are You Prepared for Your Holiday Trip? We have an excellent range of Club Bags, Suit Cases and Hat Boxes suitable for any occasion. Don't fail to see the new Coat Case in a solid steel fame. It will stand any abuse and still remain presentable. This case retails at the exceedingly low price of \$9.00. We also have a number of Boston or Shopping bags priced from \$1.50 to \$5.00. REPAIRING A SPECIALTY J. S. McIlraith The Cash Shoe Store Durham, Ont.

FIRE! The absence of a high wind saved many Homes when the Rob Roy Mills were burned. An Asbestos Roof would have removed this danger. When Your Neighbor's House Burns— When fire springs up in a neighboring building—is your home safe? Will flying sparks and brands drop on your roof and die out harmlessly—or will they kindle your roof to flames and contribute your home to another dreaded community conflagration? If there are buildings anywhere near you, and if your home is covered with inflammable roofing, you are not safe from the menace of roof-communicated fire. Your home is recognized by town, city, state and insurance authorities as a fire risk—a danger to you and your family. But through Asbestos, Johns-Manville offers you safety—a shingle roof which cannot burn—a positive barrier to roof-communicated fire. This shingle roof not only takes a base rate of insurance but should last as long as the building it covers. It enhances the architectural appearance of your home and gives you the cheapest per year service of any roofing obtainable. An investment in Johns-Manville Asbestos Shingles for your home is both a contribution to civic safety and to individual economy. Your money is returned to you many times over in safety, appearance, long life and remarkably low cost. Let us show you samples and give you estimate. A. S. Hunter & Co., Hardware and Seeds Durham, Ont.

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DURHAM HYDRO US TO SHARE IN R

This Town One of Two Municipalities to Share a Portion of Surplus—Red Power Rates Authorized

The news that Durham, one of the twenty municipalities to share in the distribution of the Hydro System surplus on last week, and was a

piece of news to local hydro circles. Referring to the matter, the newsday's Toronto Mail and

The crediting of a cash place of the rendering of monthly bill, is the unique which, under the direction Ontario Commission, the local commissions of 29 municipalities will take in the immediate towards their customers.

late was passed by the Ontario mission yesterday, when the mission gave effect to its annual survey of the operations of the local bod

The complete result of annual survey is that the commission has authorized a reduction rates in 432 municipalities increase in power rates in 29 municipalities. In 29 municipalities however, the local commission were found to have accumulated substantial surpluses in the amount which it is dependent for them to carry.

The rebates have been regarded as being a low wise policy to have them. The mission decided on the plan, of ordering rebates to sumers of an amount equal two to four months' bills.

The commission also rebates in a number of municipalities by the local commission account of surpluses accumulated in connection with power street lighting, waterworks, and other municipal purposes.

The rebates have been where such surpluses exist amount required to be held serve in connection with services. While in the past the mission has several times rates in municipalities as a of its annual survey of the upon which they are operated present year is the first, which cash rebates to the customers have been accumulated.

The 29 municipalities which in the distribution are: Niagara system: Bonwell, Duff Township, Dundas, Dutton, Georgetown, Guelph, Petrolia, Ridgetown, Thun Thamesville, Tilbury; on the gian Bay system: Beaverton water, Dundak, Durham, Hurst, Hanover, Meaford, St. Lawrence system: Brockton, Winchester.

One-Sixth Rebate Durham consumers, according to notice given out from the commission on Tuesday are to be a rebate of one-sixth of the net bills for 1926 and the of a few days, if not this week.

This move on the part of tario Hydro Commission is one, as it establishes in many a renewed confidence the system is being operated benefit of the people of the and that the actual cost of tion is all that is being charged.

DAYLIGHT HOLD-UP STAGED NEAR GU

Three Armed Men Stop T and Relieve Him of Money.

Three gunmen travelling large touring car, pertrating of the most daring highway ups ever committed in this on Tuesday afternoon, when held up W. O. Fawcett, of M on the Guelph-Hamilton Road three miles from Guelph. broad daylight relieved him in cash, a gold watch, gold and other small valuables which had in his possession, and their escape unmolested.

Fawcett, a traveller for Bros. Tea Company, of Toronto driving his car in the direct Guelph, when he was halted of the robbers and asked for loan of a jack. He was in the removing the piece of equipment beneath the auto seat was covered with a revolver ordered to "stick 'em up."

to stand on the highway while three men went through his ets, taking in addition to the mentioned a number of papers, which he had in his pson.

Although Provincial Police Guelph were notified shortly the hold-up occurred, and were at once sent to Hamilton chener, Galt and other neighbors, no trace of the robbers found. The license plates on automobile were so badly splashed with mud that Fawcett was to take the number of the machine as it was driven away from scene of the robbery.