

CHURCHES

ROCKY SAUGEN W. M. S.

The W. M. S. of Rocky Saugen met at the home of Mrs. John McKechnie with 16 members present and 2 visitors. The president, Mrs. Vessie opened the meeting with prayer then reading of Scripture. The Glenroadin ladies favored the audience with singing "I Can Hear My Saviour Calling" and "Let the Lower Lights Be Burning." Miss L. Fletcher then read the minutes of last meeting and the roll call was taken. The offering was for mission work.

Interesting papers were given by Mrs. G. Boyd, Miss Helen Watson, Miss Mae Bell, Miss L. Fletcher, Mrs. D. McQuarrie, Mrs. Vessie also read from the study book. Mrs. D. C. McKechnie and Mrs. G. Boyd offered prayer. The meeting closed by repeating the Lord's prayer in unison. The April 2nd meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. M. J. Heslop.

QUEEN STREET W. M. S.

The W. M. S. of Queen Street church met on Friday at the home of Mrs. Twamley, Mrs. Groves presiding. The opening hymn, "O Worship the King" was followed by the Lord's prayer in unison and Scripture lesson taken by Mrs. Groves. The heralds responding to the Watch Tower were Mrs. Gagnon and Mrs. B. W. Wilson. "Come my soul" was sung after which prayers were offered by Mrs. Twamley, Mrs. Fiddes and Mrs. B. W. Wilson.

Mrs. Gagnon took charge of the program. The devotional leaflet was read by Mrs. Chapman. Individual responsibility was stressed in a reading by Mrs. Twamley, followed by a recitation by Mrs. Slack, "He is counting on you". Mrs. Gagnon gave a very fine paper on Chapter III of the study book, "From Jerusalem to Jerusalem" which was followed by prayer by Mrs. Knechtel.

It was decided that the auxiliary meet with the Circle at their April meeting, when the report of the Toronto Conference Branch meeting will be given.

Arrangements are being made for the Easter Thank offering meeting which will be held on Easter Sunday morning.

The meeting closed by singing "Abide With Me" and prayer by Mrs. Groves.



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PRESBYTERIAN CHOIR CONCERT

The annual concert and entertainment of the choir of Durham Presbyterian church was held on Tuesday evening, when a good crowd turned out to listen to a good programme and share in the lunch that was provided at the close. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Armstrong, the choir was taken by Mr. Gordon Geddes, whose duties were very light as the choir came on for their various numbers without announcement. The different offerings were varied and of a high quality and judging by the applause were very much enjoyed by the audience. There was a piano solo by Miss McComb and vocal solos by Mrs. Lauder, Miss E. Harding, and Messrs. E. Buschlen and E. S. MacArthur, the latter also giving a couple of Harry Lauder's character songs. Ensemble singing by the choir was also well received. A couple of humorous readings by Miss Mabel Sharp, and a vocal pantomime by Mrs. W. G. Pirch, "The Spinning Wheel" were good numbers. Mr. J. H. Harding and Mrs. Lauder, in character costume, gave a number, while a merry skit by five members of the choir, Messrs. Harding, MacArthur, McFadden, Buschlen and McComb in which many local jokes took a prominent part made a big hit. At the close of the first part of the programme singing was indulged in under the leadership of T. M. McFadden.

Following the entertainment a luncheon was served, and during the hour spent over the teacups a contest was held in which each attendant drew lots to see which "town" they were to team up with. The contest consisted of historical facts and well-known sayings in which the names of the business and professional men of the town were used. The trick was to pick the proper names. Several contestants announced that they had worked out all of the 18 questions correctly.

The meeting was a very enjoyable one, and the attendance was much larger than expected as the evening was anything but pleasant. The choir will net quite a nice sum as a result, the funds to be spent on the necessities of this organization. Mrs. Harding was the accompanist for the evening.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Andrew Smith, who has been engaged at Sudbury for the past couple of years, returned to town Monday and is visiting his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, here, for a time.

Mr. C. D. Kent, manager of the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, is ill at his home and for a time it was thought he was threatened with pneumonia. We are pleased to know that his physician anticipates no such attack and that Mr. Kent will be about again in a week or so.

Mr. Edgar Brown, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. E. Brown, spent the week-end in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitby, Toronto, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lawrence over the week-end.

Mrs. Wilson and son of Owen Sound are visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Duffield.

Miss Allie Smith of Dornoch visited with Miss Daisy Mather for a few days the latter part of last week.

Mr. Frank McIlraith of Toronto visited his home here the beginning of the week.

Misses Beatrice Grasby and Orna Burnett of Listowel, accompanied by Mr. Conly and Mr. Matthews spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Burnett.

Mr. Harold Wilson, Owen Sound, accompanied by Mr. Lorne MacDonald and Mr. Kyle Barclay of Owen Sound, visited over the week-end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson.

Mrs. Nelson Harding and daughter, Doraleen returned to London after spending six weeks with her mother, Mrs. E. W. Lamin in Durham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bringham and Miss Mary Bailey of Toronto visited this week at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey of Bentinck.

ABERDEEN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Aberdeen branch of the Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Herb. Hopkins, on Friday, March 21, with a good attendance of both members and visitors. The meeting opened in the usual way by singing the ode after which Mrs. J. S. Davey read the Scripture. The Treasurer and Committees read their reports. After all business was finished papers were given by Mrs. Fred Cuff and Miss Ada Champan. Mrs. Noble led in community singing.

Mrs. Herb. Hopkins and Mrs. Donald Stewart each presented the Institute with a bedspread to be donated to the Aberdeen W. I. room in the hospital. It was also planned at this meeting to hold a progressive crokinole party in the school on April 23. The national anthem closed the meeting. Mrs. Hopkins and helpers served lunch and an enjoyable half hour was spent together. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. William Noble when Miss McGillivray will address the meeting. All ladies are cordially invited.

VARNEY WIDE-AWAKE CLUB

The young people of the Varney Wide Awake club held their monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Patterson on Friday evening, March 21.

There was a good attendance with between thirty and forty present. The meeting opened with the reading of the minutes followed by community singing. Misses Winnie Blyth and Florence Kerr favored the club with a splendid duet. The main feature of the evening was the debate, "Resolved that the present system of farming is not profitable and that we should adopt a co-operative system. The affirmative side was upheld by Miss McAllister and Mr. Harold Watson, while the negative was taken by Miss Ellen Marshall and Mr. Cecil Barber. The judges were Miss Florence Kerr and Mrs. Bert Barber. Both sides put up a splendid argument but the negative won by a gaited duet. The main feature of the evening was the debate and read by Miss Myrtle Marshall. The remainder of the evening was spent in contests and games after which lunch was served.

TRAMP REWARDED BY RESCUED MOTORIST

Gen. A. D. McRae chief organizer of the Conservative party has just returned from a tour of British Columbia, where he inspected the party fences, says an article in the Toronto Star Weekly. In recent months while Hon. R. B. Bennett has been making speaking tours through the various provinces, General McRae has been busy arranging for candidates in the next Federal election and looking after the other essentials in the economy of political parties.

As a matter of fact, Gen. McRae has been organizing something or other ever since he began thirty years ago to build up a fortune which today is estimated variously in the millions. To begin with he organized the colonization of thousands of acres of land in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Then when the war broke out he gave his services to the state. Sam Hughes selected him as the best man in Canada to organize the Canadian remount service. Next he organized the supply and transport departments to serve the Canadian army. And in the closing years of the war he organized the British Ministry of Information—whose business it was to spread war propaganda.

General McRae came back from the war to predict that Canada would have a population of 25,000,000 by 1950, and to plunge into politics. He began an independent political party in British Columbia, but here for the first time his genius for organization failed to bring results. The party was not successful. In the end McRae gave it up and went to Ottawa as a straight Tory. His colleagues in Parliament either forgot or forgave the little sortie into independent politics in British Columbia and made him Dominion organizer. And so he has been organizing ever since. But Gen. McRae finds small difficulty in directing the organization of a political party. He has met many stiffer problems in the past. One of them is adrift somewhere on the continent today. Gen. McRae met him several years ago while motoring in the Rockies. Darkness was falling with a suddenness only experienced in the mountains. He saw a man walking ahead of him and offered him a lift. The man, obviously was a tramp—unshaven, ragged, tired and dishevelled. He gladly accepted the ride.

They chatted as the motor hummed along—the general and multi-millionaire and the ne'er-do-well. Suddenly the car—an open one—turned into the ditch and overturned. McRae was pinned beneath the wheel in an exceedingly dangerous position. The tramp was lucky. He was partly flung out of the car and, extricating himself, manfully strove to achieve a rescue. Unaided he lifted the car and somehow Gen. McRae got out from beneath it.

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The tramp gave first aid, hailed a passing car and Gen. McRae was rushed to the nearest doctor. The tramp had saved his life.

Gen. McRae desired to reward the tramp but he presented a real problem. If Gen. McRae gave him a large sum of money it would not be of permanent benefit—tramps not being distinguished for their thrift. Finally he hit upon a plan. The tramp was given credentials, authorizing him to present himself once a month at any bank on the continent and receive an allowance. This allowance is to continue as long as he lives.

A DIFFERENCE—YES!

The gum-chewing girl
And the cud-chewing cow
Are somewhat alike.
But different somehow.
What's difference?
Oh, yes, I see it now;
It's the thoughtful
Look on the face of the cow!

Holstein

(Our Own Correspondent)
Miss Vera Allan is spending holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong and little daughter of Proton spent a day last week with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Calder.

Miss Laura Bailey of Grand Valley motored here and spent the week-end with the Arnill family.

Miss Beatrice Pinder, R.N. of Detroit is at home owing to her father's illness. Messrs. H. Stewart of Detroit and R. Robinson of O. A. C., Guelph, visited the Tyndall family recently.

Miss Jean Ellis and friend of Toronto spent last Thursday with Dr. and Mrs. Ellis.

We are sorry to report the serious illness of Mr. William Pinder.

The Ladies' Association of the United church is meeting this Thursday at the home of Mrs. Rife.

Mrs. Rothwell of Palmerston is at present with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Pinder.

Mr. William McKenzie is again a patient in Durham hospital. We wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Holmes (Nellie Meyers) of Boston, Mass., is here visiting her father who is in Durham hospital. Mrs. Holmes spent Saturday in the village. She was accompanied by Mrs. George Meyers of Durham.

The Social in the United church on Friday evening was very enjoyable. The program which was put on by the men of the congregation was a success. The male choruses of 30 voices were especially good. This social ends the series held during the winter.

Mr. Alex. McMillan of Dundalk spent a day last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin McMillan.

The Women's Institute held their monthly meeting on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. William Aitken. The president, Mrs. N. McGuire was in the chair. The ladies voted \$10.00 towards the Library and \$5.00 towards having a Tennis court started in Holstein. Miss Marie Aitken gave an instrumental solo which was enjoyed. Mrs. McGuire gave a splendid paper on the History of Ireland. The meeting closed by the singing of the National Anthem. Lunch was then served and a short social time was spent by the ladies.

Traverston

(Our Own Correspondent)
The weather during March has not been a fit subject for complimentary poems.

Those who tapped the maples some weeks ago are weary waiting the drip, drip in the buckets.

Miss Jennie Davis and Mrs. H. M. Lawrence of Egremont and the happy news came from that home this week of the arrival of a big baby brother to Miss Anna.

Miss Florence Ewen of Aberdeen is a guest at the home of her uncle, Mr. Thos. Timmins these days.

While most of our east and west roads are bare, yet, there are places, where hard frozen drifts are several feet deep.

Mrs. J. J. Peart attended the funeral of a former friend, Mrs. Wilson Hillis near Hanover last week and remained for a few days visiting kindred.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Ellison of Dark-ey's Corner attended Zion's afternoon service on Sunday and spent the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Timmins.

Live stock were changing hands frequently among the residents last week. E. R. Peart purchased three head from Chas. Smith; cattle dealer William Timmins bought five promising stockers from Joseph Haley; Herbert Timmins sold a brood sow to their scribb and there were several other deals but we lack particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook generously threw open their home to the members of the four community groups that have held such high class literary programs in No. 3 school during the winter months. A big crowd attended and a most enjoyable evening spent largely owing to the tact kindness and hospitality of the young host and hostess.

Mr. Ray McClocklin has been laid up the past week with an attack of bronchitis.

BORN

Fee.—In Durham hospital, Saturday, March 22, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Fee (nee Irene Wilbur), Normanby, a son, Chester Fairbairn.

Kress.—In Durham Hospital, on Wednesday, March 26, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kress (nee Stella McCrae), a daughter.

Lawrence.—In Egremont, on Tuesday, March 25, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lawrence, a son.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Terry wish to thank their friends and neighbors for kindness shown during the recent illness and death of her mother, the late Mrs. Thos. Bailey.

—Sons and Daughters.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during the recent illness and death of husband and father, the late I. E. Haug. This kindness is very much appreciated and has done much to alleviate the sorrow which has to be borne on occasions of this nature.

—Mrs. I. E. Haug and Family.

IN MEMORIAM

Blyth.—In loving memory of Mrs. J. W. Blyth, who departed this life March 21, 1927.

In our lonely hours of thinking
Thoughts of you are always near.
We, who loved you, sadly miss you,
As it dawns another year.

Three years have passed since that sad day

When one we loved was called away.
God took her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts she liveth still.

—Sadly missed by husband and family.

Wise.—In ever loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Sophia Wise, who departed this life on March 27, 1924.

The evening stars shine o'er the grave
Of one we loved but could not save
God called her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts she liveth still.

A loving mother, true and kind,
No friend on earth like her we'll find
For all of us she did her best
And God gave her eternal rest.

—Sadly missed by Husband and Family.

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