

In Other Communities

Had Fine Trip

Four local men, Jack Hanna, A. M. Crawford, Gordon Buchanan and Harcourt Mundy, arrived back in town after an overseas trip of six weeks.

To Pave Road

At the meeting held after the council meeting on Monday evening by the committee to decide on the paving of Huron Terrace, it was decided to act on the suggestion of Dr. Secord, and give as much work to town men as possible.

Farmer Warned About Light

James Kirby, garageman of Teeswater, owner and driver of the wrecking outfit that collided with a wagon driven by William McRae, Culross Township, near Teeswater on Monday night, July 25, was fined in police court at Teeswater last Thursday.

Narrow Bridge Cause of Accident

The narrow, southern bridge on the county line, at the edge of Hanover, was the scene of an accident last Wednesday which might easily have had serious results.

admitted responsibility and paid all the damages caused.—Hanover Post.

Should Not Block Streets

While the members of town council do not expect Chief Ferguson to be constantly in the business section of the town, they have instructed him that the practice of large trucks holding up traffic while they unload must cease.

Councillor Alex. George brought this to the attention of the board on Monday evening, instancing one truck, during a busy time last Saturday afternoon, occupying the larger portion of the pavement in front of one of the business places.

Recovering From Accident

Ashley Alliston, 13 years of age, who was knocked down by a motorist at the foot of the West End Hill, town, at about 7.30 o'clock on Tuesday evening, was only slightly injured.

Everyone, but especially Edward Singer, the driver of the light truck which ran into him, and Mrs. Moody, the lad's grandmother, with whom he lives, was greatly relieved when Dr. T. A. Sinclair's examination showed that no bones were broken and bruises above one ear and near one of his knees were not at all serious.

Fatal Accident Near Arthur

A fatal accident occurred on the provincial highway about a mile and a half east of Arthur on Monday night, and David McCartney of West Garafraxa was instantly killed.

Mr. McCartney, who lived on the fifth line, near Dracon, was driving with a horse and buggy, delivering a

lamb to J. Kane. He was at Saunders' bridge at 9 o'clock, when the buggy was struck by a car driven by Dr. Hugh Ross, a Toronto dentist, who was returning home on the evening of Civic holiday, after a day spent at Port Elgin. The horse and the lamb were found after the accident uninjured, but Mr. McCartney had received a fracture of the skull. Dr. J. Russell was soon on the scene but could do nothing and Coroner Dr. J. K. Bair was notified.—Fergus News-Record.

Death Accidental

With Coroner Dr. R. C. Shaver, of Stayner, presiding, an inquest was held respecting the death of Norman Stradling, in the G. & M. Hospital, Collingwood, on Monday, August 1, and the injuring of Alexander Gates, by an auto on Wasaga Beach, driven by Lloyd Cuthbertson, early on Sunday morning, July 31, at the beach in the Dardanella, on Friday afternoon.

The verdict reached was as follows: We, the jury, inquiring into the death of Norman Stradling, who was struck by a motor car in charge of Lloyd Cuthbertson, on Sunday, July 31, 1932, between the hours of two and two-thirty a.m., result of which caused the death of Norman Stradling; we, the jury, have taken a vote and find death was purely accidental.—Collingwood Enterprise-Bulletin.

Mrs. James Elliott Passes

After a long and trying illness, she passed away at the home of her son, Wilford, one mile south of Kenilworth, on August 6, 1932, Mina Matilda Jackson, beloved wife of James Elliott, in her 60th year. She was the only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson, formerly of Luther Township.

Deceased was born in Luther township on December 7, 1872, where she resided until her marriage on October 26, 1892, to Jas. Elliott, by whom she is survived. There are five children: Myrtle, Mrs. Wm. Rooney, 9th concession of Arthur; Wilford, one mile south of Kenilworth; Cameron, 11th concession Arthur; Merle, Mrs. Milford Rice, 12th concession Egremont; and Harold, at home. The funeral service on Monday was conducted by the Rev. H. B. Scudamore and interment was made in the Mount Forest Cemetery.—Mount Forest Confederate.

Drowns in Bay

The waters of the bay, along the east shore of St. Lawrence street, claimed the life of Frederick Orval (Teddy), the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newman, on Friday afternoon. With a companion, Herbert Chapman, he was playing on a small raft constructed from boards gathered on the shore. Floating about on this the boys were carried out toward open water by a strong westerly wind and before they realized their position they were beyond their depth. Becoming frightened both jumped off the flimsy raft with the intention of swimming ashore. Chapman was successful, but Newton sank and was drowned. Both were fair swimmers. The body was recovered shortly after, about seventy-five yards from shore, in eight feet of water, but the life of the little fellow was gone.—Collingwood Enterprise-Bulletin.

Old-fashioned Punishment

Have you heard of the new sect which has its origin in this community? Their belief is conversion by the laying on of hands, but the belief does not necessarily have a religious atmosphere. Their doctrine is sound, nevertheless. To be more explicit, the story as related to us is that a number of the fair and weaker (?) sex went to a popular bathing pool in the Maitland, near this village, one of those hot evenings last week. While they were enjoying themselves in the water, a young boy, whose home isn't a hundred miles from the pool, sought to embarrass the bathers by scattering their shoes, stockings, dresses and various unmentionables throughout the adjacent scenery. The ladies weren't taking this as much of a joke, and they gave chase, finally overtaking the miscreant. Then the real fun began. Most of these women have had experience in the old-fashioned form of chastisement, and they finally succeeded in removing enough of their captive's apparel to administer a peach of a spanking just where it feels the worst and takes the most effect. When they released him, however, they had to retreat before a barrage of stones and other missiles, so it would appear this

News in Brief

Interesting Happenings Briefly Outlined for the Busy Readers

Many was the time a lion or a tiger scratched Alfred E. Parker, famous wild animal trainer. He'd smear iodine on the wound and go about his business as keeper of Chicago's Lincoln Park Zoo.

Then he fell down stairs last year and bit his tongue. He died Monday from the resultant infection.

Britain's vast cotton industry was threatened Monday with a strike which would involve almost 500,000 operatives.

The central board of the Northern Counties Textile Trade Federation decided to call a strike on August 27 unless the existing dispute over a new wage agreement is settled.

Tired of being held up and robbed continually, L. B. Harrison of Miami, Fla., battled a holdup man at his filling station Monday and killed him. Harrison fired five times at the hold-up man, who, hit in the abdomen, commandeered a taxi and fled. The taxi crashed into a tree and the robber died in a hospital.

Complaints from the Lord's Day Alliance filed with City Council at Kitchener Monday night against the Kitchener-Waterloo Airport Commission allowing air pilots to take up passengers for pleasure on Sunday contrary to the Lord's Day Act, received scant consideration from the aldermen. The communication was ordered filed.

Mayor Bezeau said the Lord's Day Alliance had outlined its usefulness and seemed bent on curbing the inalienable rights of citizens to have pleasure on Sunday.

Seventeen persons were dead, at least 50 were injured and property damage was estimated Sunday at many thousands of dollars in the wake of a tropical storm which buffeted South Texas Saturday night.

Guard Captain George Courson and Guard Solomon Higginbotham were arraigned Monday at Jacksonville, Fla., charged with the "sweatbox torture" murder of Arthur Mallefert at Sunbeam Prison camp, June 3. They pleaded not guilty.

The list of dead in Ontario week-end accidents is as follows: Mrs. Louise Priestley, Toronto, killed by truck; George Plowman, Barrie, killed by motor car; Bernice Curtis, Fenella, drowned near Cobourg; Allan Lovatt, Toronto, drowned at Kashi Lake; Donald Roberts, Aylmer, drowned at Port Burwell.

A hundred Italian warships and four squadrons of airplanes completed Mediterranean manoeuvres Sunday by passing in review before King Victor Emanuel.

One person was killed and several injured in demonstrations at Quito, Ecuador, Saturday night against President-elect Neptalza Conifaz, Liberal, victor in the close voting October 20.

President Hoover and a party of personal friends left on the Department of Commerce inspection boat Sequoia late Sunday for a two or three-day fishing trip on Chesapeake Bay. The President appeared thinner and tired as he stepped aboard the 110-foot craft and looked forward eagerly to the few days' rest from official cares.

That an unknown youth was responsible for the death of James Houston, Hamilton, aged 27 years, who was drowned in Burlington Beach Canal on July 31, was the finding of a jury under Coroner Dr. O. A. Cannon, which investigated the fatality. The jurors met at the beach canal Saturday night and after hearing full details brought in several important recommendations.

Another large reduction in the dole to British unemployed was forecast Sunday by the Sunday Despatch. The newspaper said the action would be taken after Parliament reassembles in October and would be based on the majority recommendations of the Royal Commission which for a year has considered the problem of making unemployment insurance self-supporting.

Five Canadian delegates will leave for Soviet Russia within a few weeks to attend the congress of the International Red Aid, parent body of the Canadian Labour Defence League, it was announced Monday by A. E. Smith, head of the league, at a meeting held at Toronto to protest the deportation of Dan Malone.

youth is due for another treatment. If you see a fellow making safety-pins answer the purpose of pants buttons, that's him, for you see the ladies were obstructed in their laying on of hands.—Fordwich Record.

A snake leaped from a tree to a ferry boat near Kalthapur, India, Sunday, causing the passengers to rush to one side of the boat, which turned over and drowned approximately 100. The accident occurred on a flooded river, which raised the water level to a point near the tree.

The outcome of President Paul von Hindenburg's action in rejecting demands of Adolf Hitler for the chancellorship was awaited Sunday night with considerable concern.

The Canadian Parliament may be assembled the middle of October to give effect to the agreements made at the present Economic Conference. It is explained that the Government had pretty well decided on November 3 or thereabouts for the opening of the session, but that was based on the expectation that the conference would last a couple of weeks longer than seems probable at present. Accordingly, the question will be considered as soon as the conference is over.

A Walk Through Durham

(By RAMBLER)

Don't kid yourself that I didn't have a great time Thursday. It sure was a great day. That shower of rain that sort of teased us sure gave me the "woolies." However, the bright sunshine of the afternoon more than made up for it. It was a lovely sight, all the bright colours mingled together, the green grass and the beautiful trees surrounding the grounds. I think the band was exceptionally generous and their efforts are much appreciated. The Scotch laddies did much toward livening up the crowd also.

It sure was great to see the "special officers" trying to keep out the kiddies. I had a good laugh when Jim Nichol, with his big umbrella marched up and down in front of a fence and as soon as his back was turned a whole contingent would dash in. And "Ham" Allen sure looked important patrolling his beat. He was none too successful, either. But if the kiddies have enough pep to get in there, more power to them. I can't see for the life of me, though, how some adults have enough "cheek" to try to sneak in. And they did, too. I hope they enjoyed the "two bits" they saved. When they were rushing in the birds all sang "Cheap! Cheap! Cheap!"

The citizens turned out in fine style. They were loyal to the cause and prove the sporting spirit of the town. And they were not disappointed, I know. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. Allan Bell was quite authoritative when he made his rounds with the bat at the Durham-Hanover game. However, he took it standing up when someone slugged the ball a mighty wallop and it landed on his "corporation." And Mayor Murdoch disproved that old song, "The Old Grey (Mare)..." Talk about that Kruschen feeling. No sir, he was no slouch on his feet. The councillors were "right there" and exhibited the real spirit.

It's surprising what an event of that kind can mean to a town. It brings the citizens together and tends to promote a spirit of fellowship that is the very foundation of happiness and contentment in the life of the community. Congratulations to the executive and all responsible for the success of the First Annual Durham Sports' Day.

About the Fair I think it is about time that the Fall Fair Board put some restrictions on the outsiders showing. It is hardly fair to the local enthusiasts to have entries from distant points "cop" all the prizes. Our own exhibitors work hard and long on their entries and should have some protection against the class that make a practice of cleaning up at all the shows. When they come from a distance they usually have something that they take from place to place. I think it's this type that discourages the immediate surrounding country and makes them feel it is not worth while to compete.

Another thing that would do wonders toward keeping the balance on the right side of the books would be

to have some form of amusement. There is the old squabble about money going out of town. That may be so, but why cut off your nose to spite your face? It would draw a crowd. And isn't that an important part of a fair? No one wants to go to a fair that has the appearance of a funeral.

ALLAN PARK WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Allan Park Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Fred Schmidt on Wednesday afternoon for the August meeting. There were seventeen members and a number of visitors present.

The meeting began with the usual opening ode, followed by the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Mrs. Thos. Kennedy read the Scripture—Psalm 116. The minutes of the July meeting were read and adopted. The roll call was answered by a pickle recipe.

Letters of thanks were read for fruit sent to Mrs. Robert Johnston, Mrs. Charlie Blake, Mr. John Sharp and Mr. Alex. Grierson. Members sang the Institute ode. Mrs. Ed. Bailey gave a very interesting paper. Two well rendered solos were given by Mrs. Benj. Coutts and Miss Mary Hazlett.

Mrs. Fred Schmidt, the hostess, gave a recitation entitled, "Old Age Is Creeping On." The Institute is holding a picnic on August 15 on the banks of Mr. Ed. Bailey's. The flower collection was taken and the meeting was closed with the National Anthem.

The hostess and her assistants served a very dainty luncheon. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Aylmer Reay on September 7. Everyone welcome.

A man who had had a slight motor-accident which necessitated the application of sticking-plaster to his nose, was called upon to interview the local inspector of taxes. "Had an accident to your nose?" the latter asked, sympathetically. "No," said the taxpayer. "I've been paying through it for so long that it has given way under the strain."

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