

Welbeck

Mrs. H. R. Riddell received a message on Wednesday last stating that her sister-in-law, Miss Esther Riddell, had passed away in Rochester, where she had lived for many years.

Much regret has been expressed also at the passing of Mr. John McKechnie of Glenelg. The fact that Mr. McKechnie was able to visit his brother-in-law here so recently as Christmas Day, makes his death more of a shock to life-long acquaintances for miles around.

Mrs. Bryce Dargavel attended the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Joseph King at Kinghurst on Monday. The late Mr. King, who was in his eighties, died at the home of his son, Albert King, in the house which many years ago was Kinghurst post office.

On Monday also, in bitter weather, neighbours from Welbeck attended the funeral at St. Paul's, Dornoch, of Mr. D. O'Mara.

On New Year's Eve Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rydall were at home to their neighbours. Several tables of progressive crokinole were played and Chinese checkers occupied another table.

We take great pleasure in asking you to accept this watch and purse as a remembrance of your many friends of the Ebenezer School section, No. 3, Bentinck, and trust that you will not forget that each and every one of us is behind you in this great fight for freedom.

Let us also take this opportunity to wish you health and happiness in the New Year.

Signed on behalf of the community, George Reay, Harry Reay, Archie Turnbull.

Miss Muriel Heift has returned to Toronto after spending a few days with her parents here.

BORN

ALEXANDER—In Durham Hospital Sunday, January 5, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Alexander, a daughter

HEPBURN—In Cochrane, January 4, 1942, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Hepburn, a son, James Edward.

Vickers

On Friday evening of last week residents of Ebenezer S. S. No. 3 gathered at the school house to do honour to Pte. Frank Baker of the Queen's Own Rifles Regiment, who for the past five years before his departure from the section, made his home with Mr. and Mrs. George Reay.

Frank replied very fittingly and Messrs. Joe and Brown and Deputy Reeve A. Hopkins gave short addresses after which all joined in singing "There'll Always Be an England".

The remainder of the evening was spent in cards and dancing. Music was supplied by James Langrill, Jack Teeter and Archie Turnbull.

The following is the address: Dear Frank:

It is with the deepest feeling of admiration that we, your friends gathered here this evening to honour you on your departure from civilian life to fight your services in the armed forces to fight for King and Country.

I am sure we are all very proud that you, at such an early age, should join up of your own accord but feel sure that wherever you may be serving you will take your place shoulder to shoulder with those who have attained a greater age.

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Solution to Cross Word Puzzle on another page



Holstein North

The annual school meeting of S. S. No. 2 was held on Wednesday, Dec. 31, when the present trustees, T. Tucker, W. Atcheson, Ed Lindsay were re-elected. W. J. Allan is secretary-treasurer. The caretaking was taken by E. Weppeler; firing, Ed Lindsay; cleaning, C. Hargrave; wood James Marshall; cedar, C. Hargrave.

The friends and neighbours of this vicinity gathered on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Tucker, in honour of their son, Elmer, who has volunteered his services in the Air Force, and is stationed at McDonald, Manitoba. He was home on a few day's leave. Mr. Farr Lawrence acted as chairman and at an appropriate time called on Mr. Tucker and an address was read by Norma Lindsay and an Air Force signet ring and a purse of money was presented by Bruce Marsall, to which Elmer made a fitting reply.

Mr. Harold McKechnie of Durham made a few remarks. The collectors were Verdun Watson, Ray Lawrence and Bruce Marshall. A pleasant time was spent by all present in dancing and card playing.

Sorry to report the illness of Mr. David Davis, who is under the care of Dr. Hergott, with bronchial pneumonia. At present is improving.

Mr. Robert Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scales and son, Larry, were Sunday visitors at the Davis home.

Mr. Harry Scales, who had her hand cut between the thumb and forefinger, had to have seven stitches inserted. The wound is healing nicely.

Mr. Hann of Durham visited over the holiday with her daughter, Mrs. William Gordon.

Dr. Hergott made a call on Mrs. Henry, Sr. Glad to know she is on the way to recovery.

Mr. Arthur Lee is at present engaged in Galt and Mr. Milford Matthews is in Oshawa.

Misses Helen and Norma Lindsay have gone to Fergus where they have secured positions.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allan and Mr. and Mrs. John Allan ate New Year's dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ferguson spent New Year's at the home of Mr. Moses Donnelly, Allan Park.

Visitors for New Year's at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hunter were Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCluen and family, Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray and family and Mrs. William Troop and family.

Mr. Percy Gordon, who spent Christmas and New Year's at his parental home returned on Saturday last to his duties at Port Dalhousie.

Priceville North

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Oliver were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Oliver, Emma and Sadie; Mr. Jim Turner and son, R. J. of Laurel; Mr. William Crutchley of Dixie; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Ferguson, Marilyn and Adele of Grand Valley; and Mr. Ivan Turner of Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Petrie and son, Wayne of Atwood spent New Year's at Mr. Charles Tucker's and also visited other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hincks and family were New Year's visitors at home of Mr. W. J. Hay, Swinton Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Richardson, Swinton Park, visited Saturday at Mr. J. A. Carson's.

Miss Monica Lambert of Elora, Jamie and Laurie Sutherland of Toronto, were holiday visitors with Rev. and Mrs. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nichol entertained members of the Nichol families on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carson and Elmore Neun spent New Year's at McLachlan's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKenzie and family of Dromore spent New Year's at his parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie MacCuaig entertained some relatives to dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McFarlane and son, Toronto, were visitors last week with her parents. Mrs. McLean, who was visiting in Toronto returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Oliver spent Saturday evening visiting Durham friends.

Mr. Donnie Meads has arrived in England.

Mr. F. R. Oliver is spending this week in Toronto.

Miss Beatty, R. N., returned to Owen Sound after spending three weeks nursing Mrs. Kate McArthur. Glad to know she is improving.

The Aldcorn boys spent the Christmas season with their mother.

He: One night when you were away I heard a burglar. You should have seen me going down stairs three steps at a time.

Wife: Where was he—on the roof.

Ayton North

Our winter has taken a severe attack Mild weather all gone away back We are still hoping for a winter mild Instead of snow too deep piled.

Our school re-opened today, Monday, with Miss Clara Jack again at the helm after spending the holidays at her home at Traverston. We hope the coming term will be a successful one for teacher and pupils.

Mr. T. Rowan was in Toronto over the week-end with a car load of fat cattle.

Mrs. A. Hartman spent a few days with her daughter in Kitchener.

Mr. A. Hartman spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hartman.

T. S. Cooper is deciding on sponsoring an Agricultural course in Ayton for the boys and girls in surrounding district and Ayton, to begin February 1.

Crawford

Mr. and Mrs. George Camidge and children spent Saturday with Mrs. Twamley and daughters of Durham.

Miss Margaret Sherk left last week for Toronto, where she expects to secure a position.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Livingstone of London and Mrs. M. Livingstone of Elmwood were New Year's visitors at the home of Miss T. Livingstone.

The Y.P.U. had an enjoyable time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell on New Year's Eve. Games and contests were enjoyed and shortly before midnight a short service was held.

Beverly Boyce read the Scripture lesson and Eric Ashton led in prayer. A short talk was given by the host. The next meeting will be at Herb Livingstone's.

Hopeville

Mrs. James Scott, who has been bed-fast over a week with a heart attack is feeling some better. Miss Doreen Scott, Grimsby, came home to take care of her mother.

Miss Margaret MacRae, Port Elgin, has been visiting her brother, Mr. Fraser MacRae and family.

Mr. Aubrey Love was in Toronto Friday attending a re-union of his Normal School class.

Miss Lois Agnew spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Agnew.

Mr. William Dickie spent a few days last week with relatives in Toronto.

Aircraftman Ralph Mogk of Sperling, Man., now of St. Thomas air training school, was a visitor with his aunt, Mrs. D. S. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Oldfield, No. 10 Highway, Dundalk, were callers Sunday with relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Mearle Greer, teaching at Griersville, spent the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Archie Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hood and son were in Toronto, Monday, December 29, attending the funeral of their friend, Mrs. Anderson, a talented musician, who passed away suddenly following an operation.

Mr. Jimmie Scott spent a few days at the New Year with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Scott.

Mrs. William Dingwall spent Christmas and a few days with her mother, Mrs. T. Ball, London.

Mr. Lloyd Christie has been assisting Clarke Brothers with the trucking.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Sinclair, Fergus were holiday visitors with the home folk.

Many friends are sorry to hear that Mr. Albert Haw has not been as well as usual the past two weeks. Mr. Haw celebrated his 92nd birthday and has been blessed with a long, useful and active life.

Mr. James Sturrock is entertaining the neighbours at a dance Wednesday evening in aid of the Red Cross.

Our local teachers have enjoyed the holidays and are back on duty, Misses Irma Dingwall, Swinton Park; Hazel Christie, near Ayton; Marie Love, No. 4; Christena McKinnon, No. 13, and Aubrey Love, near Ayton.

The group of young folk, who are the caste of the play, "Grandpa's Twin Sister" were at Dundalk New Year's night, presenting the play in the town hall under the auspices of the Anglican W. A.

Mr. Alex Russell spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Alex Spence, Toronto, and on Monday will enter Toronto General Hospital for medical treatments which all hope will be beneficial.

Mr. Norman Kelley, Toonto, was a dinner guest Sunday with Mrs. Dorinda Sturdy and daughter, Miss Helen.

The January meeting of the United W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Chester Fowler.

The annual meeting of Proton Township Red Cross was held January 3, at the United Church. The officers and key-women were re-elected.

The weather has been extremely cold the past few days, but so far this winter there has been very little snow.

Mr. Aubrey McKechnie, Toronto, was a visitor at Mr. Nell McKechnie's.

Read the Classified Ads. on page 7.

Swinton Park

The 1942 officers of the W. M. S. auxiliary are president, Mrs. Richard Hardy; vice-president, Mrs. Delbert Haw; secretary, Mrs. William McCormack; treasurer, Mrs. William Hay; Home Helpers, Mrs. Nell Clark; Supply Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Martin.

Gunner Ernest Heather, who has been training with the R.C.A. at Debert, Nova Scotia, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Campbell. He is now training at Woodstock, Ont. Gunner Heather's home is at Milo, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Haw and son, Donnie were recent visitors with Mrs. Haw's mother and brothers at Bayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hardy spent New Year's at the home of the latter's parents at Meadowvale. On their return they were accompanied by their daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. Fred Knox.

Mrs. Kinnell and Mrs. C. Ferguson spent a few days with the former's daughter, Mrs. Ed. Haw. Miss Marjory Phillips of Toronto was a visitor in the same home recently.

We are sorry to hear of the illness in the homes of Arthur Richardson and Ray Richardson, Mrs. Arthur Richardson and daughter, Janice, Alex and Gavin, sons of Ray Richardson have all been very ill. All hope to hear very soon that the Richardson families are enjoying good health, also that Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCannell and Mr. Robert Knox, who have been ill, are much improved.

Many enjoyable family gatherings have been held during the holiday season, when weather and roads have been so favourable. Among the visitors here, who were not mentioned last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Jamieson (nee Myrtle Corbit) of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson (nee Stella Corbit) of Mansfield, at the Corbit home; Miss Janet Campbell of Flesheron High School with her parents here.

Mrs. James Hardy, Mrs. Richard Hardy and Mrs. R. Ferris attended the annual meeting of Proton Township Red Cross held in Hopeville United Church on Saturday. Election of officers took place with the 1941 officers being re-elected, Hon. Presidents, Messrs. J. McEachern, Howard Watson; pres., Reeve William Jack; vice-presidents, Mrs. Frank Hendry, Mrs. P. J. Ryan; secretary, Mrs. James Hardy; treas., Mrs. Richard Hardy. Mrs. William Riddell, the efficient key lady of the township gave a fine report of the work done since July.

The school meeting was held here Wednesday last when Andrew Wright was re-elected trustee, the other trustees being James Hardy and Eddie Ferguson.

Dornoch

Mrs. Sweeney, Sr., returned from Windsor on Friday last. She was accompanied home by her daughter and son.

J. Murray Smith, R. C. A. F., Aylmer, spent his New Year's leave of 5 days with his father, Mr. William Smith.

Mr. Dennis Vasey, Kitchener, was a holiday visitor with his father.

Mr. Mahew of Detroit visited her uncle, Mr. William O'Mara, over the week-end and attended the funeral of her uncle, the late Daniel O'Mara.

Miss Maimie Koeppe, Owen Sound, visited for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Koeppel.

Mrs. MacQuarrie, Aberdeen, is visiting for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and Mary Elizabeth.

Blyth's Corners

Mr. Bruce Halliday returned to the lumber camp in Northern Ontario after spending the holidays at his parental home.

A shower was given one evening last week for Mr. and Mrs. Farr (nee Ethel Webber), at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Webber. The evening was spent in cards and dancing. The best wishes of the community for a long and happy married life are extended to the young couple. We understand they intend to make their home in Kitchener.

Mr. Bert Lewis of Toronto spent the holiday with his wife and family.

A week ago a presentation was held for Mrs. Wilson Hillis (nee Miss Jessie Marshall) at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Marshall. Mrs. Hillis was given an Alladin lamp, a table reflector and a cabinet of silver flat wear, also silver candle sticks. Best wishes were extended for a long and happy married life. Mr. and Mrs. Hillis are residing on a farm near Hanover.

"What is the shape of the earth?" the teacher said to my young nephew Roland the other day.

"Round," he said.

"How do you know it's round?"

"All right, then—it's square. I don't want any argument about it."

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Wed., Thurs., Jan. 14-15 FREDERICK MARCH MARGARET SULLAVAN in "SO ENDS OUR NIGHT"

Durham To Past

Representative of Rotarian Visited Local Rotary When, Despite Storm Good Crowd Turned Excellent Dinner. - Wheable of London B of Vocational Service Objects of Rotary.

(By J. B. DUFF)

In spite of all that do to spoil the attendance members of the Rotary guests sat down to a supper provided by the ladies Red Cross Society in the culture Company show day evening. The occasion official visit of Past Dr. Jeff. Wheable of London who is representing the District. Unfortunately prevented the visit of the Club, who were to local Club on this occasion they are blamed for drive through this first After doing full justice lent meal provided, digestion was stimulated munity singing, the v introduced by their host sored by President. Then the business which was cut short of that so many visitors also it was desired to or's representative as possible.

Past President Harry reviewed the history of the benefit of Past George who was present as on the night three years Charter was presented. This review covered the crippled child patriotic activities a various activities through and district, which were benefit of the community. The first President Peter Gagnon, introduced of the evening in a words, and Mr. Wines tribute to the excellent the Club has done at for his subject, "Voc one of the four pillars "Service," he said, as "Thoughtfulness of ideal, and "Helpfulness the expression of Rotational Service" is our daily lives and ethics of Rotary, in selling, in dealing with employers, and the dignity of our own v other vocations in the community at large. mean that Rotarians tice these high ideal that they should at own industry or prof with the object that only themselves but try. Higher stand required in business ed by Rotary.

Had all business men in the world these principles the never have occurred tion will do much to peace in the future. It is necessary that serve these high st they encourage all wise. This is not som done once a week a but something that every day and in activities. It is a pe can be employed to men while at the sa living. It has been high ideals will not tical but also profits get by giving" is which has been de thousand ways. I every Rotarian kno of the respect and fellow-men, both c petitors, as well as ly. "He profits mo is still the motto of will be found the n satisfaction in this The speaker was able address by Joh half of all present, able, inspiring and was brought to a ch

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