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Orchard

Congratulations to Sgt. Lloyd Orchard who with thirty-six other R.C.A.F. boys received their wings at Aylmer Training School on Wednesday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Orchard were present at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hunter spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Woods, Riverside.

Miss Norma Dowling returned home Monday after spending the past two weeks assisting in the home of friends at Markdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Ferguson, Luther, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lamont.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and little daughter visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman McDougall.

Teacher and pupils are busy practicing their Christmas concert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keith, Cedarville, spent Saturday at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McDougall.

Priceville North

A number from here attended the commencement on Friday night in the High School in Flesherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKechnie visited Friday evening at the home of Mr. Jim Sturrock.

On Tuesday evening the Y. P. S. had a social evening at the home of Andrew Hincks with a good attendance. Mr. Grant Sayers presided. After the usual opening exercises the program consisted of readings, music and singing, contests were enjoyed. Choir practice was also held. Lunch was served.

A tea and bazaar was held on Friday afternoon in St. Andrew's Church when twenty-four dollars was realized for the Willing Helpers Society.

Mrs. Hermie McLean had the misfortune to break her leg last week.

Mr. Alex Duncan and family have moved to Mrs. Nell Cameron's farm.

Mrs. T. Nichol visited last week with her daughter at McIntyre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Patterson were dinner guests Sunday at Mr. D. L. McArthur's.

The Y.P.S. are having their meeting this week at Mrs. Dan Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harrison and Mr. T. Harrison spent a day in Toronto last week.

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KNOX UNITED W. M. S.

(Continued from page 5.)

M. H. Knechtel and Mrs. B. Stonehouse and all joining in the chorus.

Mrs. Latimer lit a candle of friendship for the descendants of the German Scandinavian and British settlers, who planted the Protestant churches in this land of ours.

Mrs. Clarence Robinson lit the last candle of friendship for those who have come to Canada from Asia and Africa. Mrs. Thomas Bell sang a Canadian carol "Gentle Mary Laid Her Babe and Mrs. March closed this part with prayer.

The third part "Our Best Gift Love" was taken by Mrs. W. J. Ritchie, assisted by Mrs. George Newell, Mrs. William Weir, Misses Ethel Derby and Florence McIlvride. Mrs. G. S. Kearney and Mrs. G. R. Padfield gave two very appropriate piano duets. The roll call was answered with a verse containing the word 'gift'. Twenty calls were made by the church visitors and it was decided that the whole society be a committee for December each to make a few calls on shut-ins.

Mrs. M. H. Knechtel brought in the slate of officers for the coming year and these were voted to office.

Miss Margaret Hunter gave a sketch of the organization of the W.M.S. in Canada and then told how the allocation in raised in the local organization. A social hour with lunch followed.

The following are the officers for the year 1945: Honorary Presidents, Mrs. T. Allan, Mrs. R. Twamley; president, Mrs. H. C. McKechnie; vice-presidents, Mrs. J. Mather, Mrs. P. L. Gagnon and Mrs. T. F. House; Rec. Sec., Mrs. G. Yiirs; Corr. Sec., Mrs. B. Stonehouse; treasurer, Mrs. M. H. Knechtel; Sec. of Christian Stewardship and Finance, Miss M. L. Hunter; Assistant, Mrs. A. W. March; Associate Helpers Sec., Mrs. R. R. Catton, Mrs. A. Middleton; Community Friendship Secretary, Mrs. B. Stonehouse; Supply Secretary, Mrs. G. Yiirs, Mrs. R. Mortley, Mrs. R. Twamley Mrs. R. Mortley, Mrs. R. Twamley and Mrs. J. Mather; Missionary Monthly, Mrs. G. Tracey; pianist Miss M.L. Hunter, Mrs. R. Macfarlane; press secretary, Miss Margaret McGirr; Birthday Box Secretary, Mrs. Alex Hay; Lunch Committee, Mrs. P. Gagnon, Mrs. M. H. Knechtel; president baby band, Mrs. R. R. Catton; secretary baby band, Mrs. W. Brocklebank.

ZION FARM FORUM

Zion Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook on Monday evening with Oren Peart as convener. From the discussion on the "Veterans' Land Act" it was decided by the group that this was a fair way of starting, with the help of the community. A vote was taken with regards to rural hydro. Mrs. Will House was recreation leader. Progressive euchre was enjoyed. Mrs. Ray McClocklin and Emerson Peart being the high scorers.

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OBITUARY

GEORGE E. ARROWSMITH

By Ceylon Reporter

Early Sunday morning, November 27th, George Egerton Arrowsmith passed away at his home in Ceylon in his 81st year. He had been in failing health for the past two years but was only confined to his bed for two weeks.

The late Mr. Arrowsmith was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Arrowsmith of Glenelg. He farmed for a number of years in Glenelg and after coming to Ceylon, about 26 years ago to reside, was engaged in carpenter work. Six years ago, his wife, the former Margaret McKinnon, predeceased him.

Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. S. D. Hunt (Margaret May) and two grandsons, Lieut. Stanley Hunt of Vancouver, B.C., and Melville Hunt of Preston, Ont. He also leaves a brother, Mr. Albert Arrowsmith of Niagara Falls, Ontario.

The late Mr. Arrowsmith was a member of the Durham Masonic Lodge, under which auspices the funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30, conducted by Prince Arthur Lodge, Flesherston.

The funeral of the late Mr. Arrowsmith was held on Tuesday afternoon with service at his late residence conducted by his pastor, Rev. Mr. Penman, who took his text from psalm 90:12. The Masonic brethren were in attendance and conducted their committee service at the Flesherston Cemetery Chapel, assisted by members of Durham Lodge, of which he was a member.

The pall bearers were Messrs. A. S. Muir, Russell Purdy, Carl Carruthers, Angus McArthur, George Yiirs, Charles Moffat and Thomas Henderson.

Flowers bearers were J. McWilliam, M. Hogarth, William Gibson, P. Muir, E. C. Mitchell, J. F. Collinson, Bert Irwin, R. W. Piper, J. A. Nichol, G. C. Webster, R. E. Richardson, George Smith, Robert Hughes, P. Ramage and others.

Relatives and friends from a distance who attended the funeral were Neil McKinnon, Brampton; Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Dundalk; Melville Hunt, Preston; Mrs. Ruth Fleming, Ross MacMullen, Ernie MacRae, Findlay MacRae, Mrs. John Montgomery, Russell Purdy, all of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrett, Owen Sound; Mr. W. Arrowsmith, Markdale; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Ismond and Mr. and Mrs. John Ismond of Norval.

Among the large numbers of floral offerings from sympathizing relatives and friends were tokens from Ceylon Neighbours, Grey & Bruce Fire Insurance Co., Durham Masonic Lodge, Flesherston Masonic Lodge and the Savage Shoe Co., Preston.—Flesherston Advance.

REV. HENRY CRICKINGTON

(Contributed)

The Bentinck Baptist Church lost a good friend and helper in the sudden and peaceful home-going of Rev. Henry Crickington on Monday evening, November 20 in his 67th year.

Deceased was born in Toronto, a son of the late Henry and Jane Crickington. He was ordained to the ministry of the Baptist Church in 1911 in Lanark County and had served in several charges in that church. In 1915 he was married to Miss Ethel Reed of London, who predeceased him November 1926, while he was in charge of Bentinck and North Glenelg Baptist Churches, where he labored for over five years. All who had the pleasure of entering into that home felt at once its friendliness, righteousness, goodness and the deep interest taken in the Church of Christ and the Kingdom of God. Three years later, while still in charge of the Bentinck and Glenelg Churches, he married Miss Flora MacDonald, one of the most faithful workers in the Bentinck Baptist Church, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hector MacDonald of Bentinck. From these charges he went to Dieville, Quebec, where he served for almost eight years, having to retire on account of ill health. But once a minister, always a minister, he was in constant demand as a pulpit supply. He was a much-loved pastor, a fearless preacher of the Gospel and always took a keen interest in the members of his various charges. But the truest monument to his memory is the lasting gratitude in the hearts of many who owe the beginning and renewing of their life in Christ, to his kindly Christian friendship and his faithful pastoral care.

The funeral was held from Bentinck Baptist Church on Thursday afternoon and was attended by many friends with whom he had shared joys and sorrows while laboring in the charges of Bentinck and North Glenelg Churches. Pastor J. Barton McMaster University, Hamilton, student pastor of the church was in charge of the service. Rev. Dr. Schutt, secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Baptist Church, a lifelong friend, telling of the faithfulness of Mr. Crickington in his ministry. Rev. J. M. Ward of Durham, Rev. E. Young of Hanover and Rev. Charles Saunders of Mount Brydges, a former pastor, took part in the service. Rev. William Ross of Neustadt was also present. The hymns Rock of Ages and Safe in the Arms of Jesus were sung. Floral tributes, placed on the casket, bore silent tribute to the popularity of the deceased. Interment was in Durham Cemetery.

The pall bearers were D. J. McDonald, William Anderson, Archibald MacLean, Dougald Hastie, George Brown and Gordon MacLean.

The flower bearers were Cameron McDougall, Eric Anderson, Murray Sherk, Arthur Mighton, Charles Sharp and Eddie McDougall.

Friends present from a distance were Rev. and Mrs. W. J. MacDonald and Miss Margaret MacDonald, Toronto, besides many friends from the surrounding districts.

Read the Classified Ads. on page 7.

MRS. GEORGE PEDLAR

Mrs. George Pedlar, esteemed resident of this town for the past quarter century, died Monday morning in the Durham Red Cross Memorial Hospital, where she had been a patient since the previous Friday. Mrs. Pedlar had been ailing for some time past, but suddenly became worse and had to be removed to the hospital.

The late Mrs. Pedlar was in her 75th year. She was the former Mary Smart, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smart, and was born in Holland Township, near Holland Centre, where she grew to young womanhood. In 1892 she was married to George Pedlar at Eugenia, where they lived for a time, and also at Flesherston and Markdale. They came to Durham 25 years ago.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two daughters, Mrs. Ronald Gilles (Lella), at home, and Mrs. Thomas Goodchila (Wilda) Niagara Falls. Six grandchildren also survive, and two brothers, William Smart of Markdale and Samuel Smart of Kimberley.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon from her late residence, the service being conducted by her minister, Rev. A. W. March of Knox United Church, of which she was a devoted member. Interment was in Durham cemetery.

FUNERAL OF JAMES S. ALLEN

The funeral of the late James S. Allen, whose death was reported in our last issue, was held last Thursday afternoon from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Allen, on Albert Street. The service was conducted by Rev. J. M. Ward, minister of Durham Baptist Church. Interment was in Durham cemetery.

The pall bearers were J. N. Murdoch, R. Whitmore, and W. R. McGowan of Durham, and F. Sutton, E. Kunzendorf and G. Dennison, of Hanover, where his later years were spent. The pall bearers also acted as flower bearers.

Girl Guide News

The weekly meeting opened with a Guide Dance that the members have just learned. The meeting was continued by falling into patrols and forming the Horse Shoe, after which news was received and business discussed. A game followed the Horse Shoe was formed again and the meeting closed with Taps.

FRANK FIELD

This story is told of Eugene Field, one of the most lovable of all American poets. During a period when he was finding it difficult to support his family of six on his meager earnings as a newspaper man, his young daughter asked him for a good text to recite in her Bible class. Then little Trotty Field trudged off to her lessons. It was an astonished teacher that heard the little girl gravely recite: "The Lord will provide. My father can't."

Read the Classified Ads. on page 7.

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Legion Favors Community Help As War Memorial

At its regular meeting on Tuesday the branch of the Canadian Legion on record as being in favour of a memorial to the fallen as a war memorial, and a petition to this effect which was forwarded to the secretary of the rehabilitation committee for consideration. Although an important matter to consider, the matter of our fallen soldiers and those who have served in the active World War II was perched on the subject to be discussed at the meeting.

It was brought out in discussion that at the closing of the Great War, Durham was left to relatives of the fallen in action, to raise and erect the monuments on Mill Street.

At the close of the last conditions of the Legion is now sponsoring a gram through the difficulties, and in line with had appointed a committee for the post-war work.

happens, once appointed the was left pretty much nothing but call meeting not attended through the Even the town council, the government works, forgotten their infant, appointed, had no party, and could do nothing body gave it a lead, or izens requested that the Legion is now the position, expressed his positive year, expressed his positive told the meeting that the hold together until the present war came home, in getting back into city pointed out that the Legion could not be at the help of the comrad The Durham Legion was everything considered. T upwards of 75 members, bership is still growing seven new applications night, and two were in President Armstrong Legion as a service club aim was to look after veterans, and was not for gain for those who themselves. The Legion a power in the land, and more influence when the and the boys now over home.

He referred to as a banner year for the with the dedication of the largest Remembrance Day the town's history, a g at the monthly meeting interest among the would mean more success The Poppy Day collection surpassed all previous showed that the public Legion, a confidence in work to maintain hitions at every meeting constructive criticism, a cessary if the Legion was public goodwill.

The officers elected a year were: President, L. Armstrong; Vice-President, Dr. Callary, W. Cornwall; Treasurer, J. McKechie; Chaplain, J. McKechie; Penions; Sergeant-at-Arms; Executive Commis and T. Stewart, A. Darling, M. Aljoe and aic; Auditors, C.H. Dar Letters were received boys acknowledging rettes, naturally most a recipient had not rec from home for more t but the Legion parcels get through. This wa bute to this branch of The meeting decided different this year in installation of officers, regular installation of held, when it is expect will be served in an e many of the members

Officially reported in action in France at the Gunner Stanley Hyatt reported by the Int Cross in Switzerland a man prisoner of war. Gunner Hyatt, who lin, Rainy River, enlist with the 4th Regiment and was overseas ab when reported missing, two children live in D now visiting with Dr and Fort Frances.