

Monster Liberal Basket Picnic

AT PORT ELGIN

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 15

For the three Counties of Grey, Huron and Bruce

Hon. Mitchell Hepburn, Premier of Ontario, and other prominent speakers expected. Sports of all kinds. Concert at night.

Several Bands in Attendance

A most cordial invitation is extended to all to make this a picnic to remember.

Legalized Sale of Beer A Poor Affair

(Walkerton Herald-Times)

That the new Beer and Wine Act, as administered by the Hepburn Government, and of which Walkerton along with the many other places in the province, had its first try-out last week, is anything but a temperance measure, was borne out in the scenes of drunkenness and rowdiness that featured the closing hours of the week-end.

The sale of beer by the glass opened at the Queen's Hotel here on Wednesday afternoon, with practically a steady stream of patrons until the closing hour. Thursday, Friday and Saturday the flow kept up, the patrons sitting down and taking the beverage at tables instead of standing up and inhaling the suds at the bar, as in the old days of the tavern and saloon. Perhaps the silliest of all the regulations for the sale of beer by the glass is that which insists that the drinker shall sit at a table, in which he is apt to tarry longer than if standing, and incidentally to waste more of his time and his cash. We can only suppose that the evil connotations of the word "bar" are responsible for this luxury.

Neither the Hartley House nor the Central Hotel has as yet received a license, but each, we understand, has everything in readiness for the beer and wine sale. The refreshments will be served in beverage rooms only, as it is understood that the hotels here will not for the present at least take out the extra license enabling them to serve the beverage with meals.

As it is no longer necessary to have a permit to purchase beer and wine from either the liquor dispensary or the beer warehouse, the usual restraint and check-up of the patrons at those places was off, and with this the bottle-tipping contingent doing their stuff in addition to those who were taking their gargaric sitting down at the Queen's, there was an absorption going on not equalled in the palmiest days of the open bar.

As the old bar-room was obliged to close its doors at 11 p. m. each business day except Saturday, when it was compelled to shup up at 7 in the evening, the allowing of the beverage rooms to keep up steam each day until midnight, including Saturday, shows how the boys are allowed to linger at their glasses under the new "temperance" measure.

Just Plain Happy



Honorable George St. Lawrence Neufize Ponsonby, son of His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada and Lady Bessborough, and Master William Herridge, son of Honorable W. D. Bennett, indulging in a fraternal handshake before going on with the business of the meeting—a little heavy sand-digging, on the glorious Katy's Cove Beach of the Algonquin Hotel, St. Andrew-by-the-Sea.

NEW WEEK-END TRAIN

BETWEEN
TORONTO and OWEN SOUND

Returning Sunday following

Going—Saturdays only (Standard Time)	Returning—Sundays only
12.30 p.m. Lv. Toronto Union Ar.	10.00 p.m.
4.00 p.m. Ar. Owen Sound Lv.	6.30 p.m.

Making intermediate stops as required in either direction.

Note: Sunday train from Owen Sound will be cancelled Aug. 5, operating on Monday, August 6th, instead.

Connects each way with Owen Sound Transportation Company's week-end Cruise Steamer

This service arranged in response to popular demand, and will be continued only as long as traffic warrants. Travel in comfort and get away from congested highways.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

And as several who are getting relief work in town during the past winter are said to have been lapping up the suds water under the new wet era that was inaugurated here over the week-end, the prospects of their being back earlier than usual for relief next winter would seem to be unusually bright.

It is bread rather than beer that the country is in need of, and as the boozers of yesterday are drawing heavy on the old age pensions of to-day, it is a safe guess that the bread-line of tomorrow will be crowded with beer guzzlers who are now taking it by the glass sitting down.

The hilarity that is said to have broken out in different parts of the town after midnight Saturday, coupled with one or two lively scraps on the street, has resulted in many complaints being made by the citizens, and at the next meeting of the Town Council the matter is likely to be brought up and a stricter enforcement of the law urged against this type of disturber. Certain it is that the prolonging of the drinking hours until midnight is going to make a more careful supervision of the streets after dark imperative if peace and order are to be maintained.

1934 HOWLERS IN HISTORY

The following are some of the answers given in the history exams, in Mr. J. M. Game's inspectorate.—

1. One of Henry Hudson's men, a Greenland named Greene.
2. La Verendrye was the best soldier that had ever fought for the signichre of Christ.
3. Sir John A. Macdonald was a Scottish novelist while George Brown was an Irish novelist.
4. George Brown was Macdonald's opposition.
5. Grain was threshed by flogging it.
6. George Brown gave all his money to the building of the C. P. R.
7. John Graves Simcoe built Young Street named after George Young.
8. Montcalm was a wireless sturdy Frenchman.
9. For 2 generations Hudson had belonged to the Muscovy Company.
10. In 1665 Talon opened immigration offices in all parts of Europe and the United States.
11. Lord Durham was sent out as czar of Russia and Governor General of Canada.
12. La Salle sailed from Lake Superior and landed in the Mississippi River.
13. La Verendrye set sail across the prairies and soon came in sight of the Rocky Mountains.
14. La Salle was the first white man to push into the interior of North America before his time.
15. They threshed their grain with whales.
16. Talon imported young girls.
17. Montcalm fought against Papineau at Queenston Heights in the American Revolutionary War.
18. Montcalm was a Frenchman who saved Wolfe on the Plains of Abraham.
19. Simcoe was half Canadian born. He founded the lake which now bears his name.
20. Simcoe built the Queen's Rangers.
21. Champlain sailed up the Welland Canal.
22. Nowadays the farmer has a very easy life.

GENEROUS REQUESTS

That the late Mrs. John Coulter, of Paisley, cherished a deep and sympathetic regard for the interests of this community in which she was born and reared, although for a considerable number of years she was removed therefrom, also for the church organizations with which she has been closely associated, is abundantly manifested by the provisions of her will. In this document it is set forth that the board of trustees of Knox United Church, Paisley, is to receive \$500 in memory of her revered parents, the late Mrs. Wm. Mahon, who were prominent and active members of the congregation of Paisley Methodist Church, also \$500 to the W. M. S. of Knox United Church, and \$500 to the Paisley cemetery board.

Other equally worthy and commendable benefactions named in the will are \$1000 to mission work of the United Church of Canada, \$500 to the Sick Children's Hospital of Toronto, and \$500 to the Ontario Sanitarium Association.

HON. JAMES MALCOLM STATES OPINION OF "THIS BOY HEPBURN"

(E. A. D. in Warton Echo)

Some years ago Sir James Barrie delivered an address to the students of St. Andrew's University in Scotland. His theme was "courage." He dwelt upon its rarity and magnified its importance in everyday life of the average man. I remember the Toronto Globe had a very fine editorial on Sir James' contribution to the current literature of the day. I was reminded of this the other day by a letter I had from Jim Malcolm, of Saranac Lake.

Discussing the recent elections, Jim wrote to me as follows:

"Do you know, Ed, I have great faith in this boy Hepburn. He has the makings; and he has an insane desire to make good; furthermore, his ability to take advice from the right people, and from the right people only, is an asset which few possess."

In those few words Jim expressed the mind of the people of Ontario on the subject what Jim terms as "this boy Hepburn."

He is possessed of that very rare quality which Jim terms as "guts," plus discretion.

NORMAL SCHOOL COURSES

The Minister of Education makes the following announcement with regard to (1) the second year Normal School course, and (2) the validation of certificates.

1. The Second Year Course. The Second Year Course will not be offered at any Normal School during the school year 1934-1935; and all regulations set forth in Circulars 23 and 23C for 1934-1935 will be ineffective in so far as they apply to this course for 1934-1935.
2. Those teachers-in-training, who have secured Interim First and Second Class certificates after having attended an Ontario Normal School for one year in any of the years 1927-28 to 1933-34, inclusive, and who have not completed the second year course in an Ontario Normal School, will have their interim certificates extended for the school year 1934-35. The conditions upon which these interim First and Second Class certificates may be made permanent will be announced by the Minister of Education at some time before June 1st, 1935.
3. At the end of each of the four school years 1933-35; 1935-36; 1936-37 and 1937-38, the Department of Education will pay a grant of \$25, respectively to each teacher who has completed successfully the second year course in an Ontario Normal School, and who has been engaged as a teacher in an Ontario Public, Separate, or Continuation School during the year.
4. It will not be necessary for teachers holding Interim First and Second Class certificates, as noted above, to apply to the Department of Education for the extension and validation of their certificates for the school year 1934-35. The Minister of Education will instruct all Public and Separate School Inspectors to the effect that these certificates will be valid for that year.
5. Permanent First Class Certificate. The Department of Education will continue to offer to those teachers who graduated from an Ontario Normal School before the year 1927-28, who have completed the required academic courses, and who hold permanent Second Class certificates valid in the Province of Ontario, the privilege of writing upon a final examination for Permanent First Class certificate with out further attendance at a Normal School. The subjects for this examination will be those mentioned in Circular 23 for the 1934-35 session, page 23, section 29 (4); and the content of the required subjects, mentioned as second year subjects, will be found in Circular 23C for 1934-35. Copies of this circular, which is now withdrawn, may be obtained on application to the Department of Education.

ROCKY SAUGEN

We are having fine harvest weather and the farmers are very busy at present.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bain, Georgetown, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dave Keith, of Chesley, were recent guests with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ritchie.

The U. F. O. will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Artie Macintosh on Friday afternoon of this week.

Mr. Campbell Mitchell accompanied by his sister, Miss Carrie of Hamilton were visitors the first of the week with their sister, Mrs. Nell McLean.

Mr. Archie McLean has been engaged with Mr. J. D. Brown and is now working in the woods at Stokes Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lobsinger, Kitchener are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Allord.

Quite a number from here attended the races in O. Sound on Monday and are congratulating Mr. Thos. Bell an old Rocky boy on his horse securing two firsts and a second prize.

Mrs. E. Wilkie, Toronto, is spending a few days with old friends at the Rocky.

Rocky Saugen W.M.S. met at the home of Miss Banks for the August meeting. The president presided. Mrs. J. McKechnie took for the scripture lesson, Eph. 5. The minutes of July meeting were read and approved. The different articles for the sale were in, including a wool comforter. Mrs. J. McKechnie read a chapter from the life of Margaret McKellar. Other papers were read by Marion and Heather Boyd. Mrs. Boyd and Miss Marion sang a duet "Some day the silver chord will break" and a prayer by Mrs. G. Boyd closed the meeting.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist Women's Missionary Society held their August meeting at the home of Mrs. Wilfrid Thompson. Mrs. Kinnee Vice-President, was in charge of the meeting and opened it by singing, "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me." The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Robert McLean, followed with prayer by Mrs. Kinnee. A lovely duet was rendered by Mrs. Wm. Hutton, Detroit, and Mrs. W. Thompson. "Some Day The Silver Cord Will Break." The first paper was given on "Home Missions" by Mrs. Kinnee on the "Life of Miss Florence Maybee." Mrs. G. A. Thompson followed with a reading "Clarion Call." A hymn was then sang, "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross." Two readings on "Foreign Missions" were given; one by Mrs. Giles on Dr. Jessie Allyn of India, the other was read by Miss Eva Redford on the Life of Miss Eva Redford of Bolivia. The meeting closed with the hymn "Trust and Obey," and prayer by Mrs. Moffat.

Mrs. Giles presided at the Ladies' Aid meeting with a discussion of business followed by the Lord's prayer in unison. A very dainty lunch was served by the hostess and assisted by Mrs. G. A. Thompson.

WELBECK

Mr. Clarence Campbell with his small daughters, Carol and Joyce, were very welcome visitors at his old home here on Sunday. Other week end visitors at the Campbell home were Mr and Mrs Fowler with Genevieve and Bernice from Hamilton, Mr and Mrs Percy Campbell and five children of Fergus, Mr Robt Campbell and Miss Una McIntyre, Toronto.

Mrs Jim McGirr and children paid a farewell visit to her sister, Mrs P. Ledingham on Sunday, ere returning to her home in Detroit.

Mr. Donald McDonald, Lamiash, was a visitor with his daughter, Mrs John Corlett on Monday.

Mrs Errol of Chicago, is with her brother Mr Robt Corlett for a time.

Mr and Mrs D. A. Campbell attended a family reunion picnic at Lethbride on Civic Holiday.

A number from the vicinity attended the shower for Mr and Mrs Tom Lawrence at Hutton Hill on Monday evening.

ABERDEEN

Mr and Mrs E. Elridge, Mrs. and Miss Lembman of Cleveland, Ohio, are at present occupying Mr. C. G. McGillivray's cottage.

Misses B. and A. Smith visited relatives at Niagara Falls, N. Y., the first of the week.

Miss Peggy Jane Ludwick of Niagara Falls, New York, is spending a few weeks vacation with her aunt, Miss Barbara Smith.

Mr and Mrs Fred Cuff attended the Lawrence reunion at Owen Sound on Monday.

Miss Jessie M. Smith, who has spent the past month at her home here, left last week for San Diego, Cal.

MULOCK

Rev. H. and Mrs. Crickington Dixville, Quebec, are spending a pleasant holiday with their many friends here.

Miss Elsie Markle motored to Huntsville with Rev. and Mrs. Gallo-way and is spending a month holidays with friends there.

Mrs. H. Patterson and Miss Dona Patterson, Ceylon, are spending several weeks holidays with Miss Fulton and Janet Patterson.

Rev J. W. Edwards, Carleton Place, took the services here Sunday morning and evening, taking for his text in the morning, "Follow Me" and in the evening, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life."

Mrs. McCabe accompanied by Miss Annie Muir, Toronto, were holiday guests of Mr. Sandy Brown over the week end and also called on many of their other friends here.

Mr and Mrs. Jas. Crutchley, Dornoch, accompanied by Miss Christina McKinnon, Cumberland, B. C., were guests of Miss Christina Livingston and Miss Mary McGillivray, Sunday.

Miss Hazel Torry, Hanover, spent the week end at her home here.

Mr and Mrs. James Ball, Toronto, and their daughter, Mrs. John Mosper, and her two daughters, Ruth and Evelyn, spent over the week end at his brother's, Mr. Allan Bell, and attended the Lawrence reunion in O. Sound, Monday.

GREEN GROVE

Mr and Mrs Irvine Ford and two children, Toronto, spent over the holiday at home of Mr Walter Nichol.

Mrs. Neil McLean, of the Rocky and Miss Myrtle McLean, Toronto, were recent guests of the former's daughter, Mrs Gordon McCracken. Miss Caroline Mitchell and friend of Hamilton, also visited at same home.

Mr and Mrs John McGirr and son Allie, took in the Memorial service, at Priceville Sunday, and visited with Mr and Mrs Thos. Weir.

Miss Grace Hopkins who is training in Walkerton hospital, visited on Tuesday with her mother, Mrs Geo. Hopkins.

Miss May Collinson, Hamilton, is holidaying with her parents, Mr and Mrs Geo. Collinson.

Mrs. Jas. McGirr and two children, Detroit, visited with friends and old neighbors last week.

Mr and Mrs John Hamilton attended the Memorial Service at Priceville Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs Thos. Harrison. Miss Mary Mather returned with them after spending a few days at Hamilton's.

Mr and Mrs H. McGirr and Mr and Mrs Guy Sherk, Detroit, visited over the holiday with their parents, Mr and Mrs Thos. McGirr.

Mr Will Ector, Welland, is visiting with his sister, Mrs. John Lawrence.

Mrs. Melville Anderson is spending a month at her old home in New Brunswick.

Mr and Mrs Jas. Lyons and Mrs. Neil McPhail, Toronto visited on Monday with Mr. and Mrs James Brown.

Miss Jessie Bell, Toronto, is visiting at the old home this week. With her sister Mary, they spent last week at Wasaga Beach.

CRAWFORD

Mrs McCabe and Miss Muir of Toronto, spent a few days at the homes of Miss Livingstone and Mr. Alex. Brown and also made several calls while in the vicinity.

Mrs P. Hay and son Hubert, Durham, are holidaying with their aunt, Miss Hobkirk.

Mr and Mrs James Crutchley of Dornoch and Miss Christine McKinnon of Cumberland, B.C., were guests with Miss Livingstone and Miss McGillivray on Sunday and attended service in the United Church here.

Miss Edith Anderson of O. Sound, is spending a short time at her home here.

Mr and Mrs McDuffy of Ravenna, and Mr and Mrs J. Wilkinson and baby Jean of Heathcote, visited with Mr and Mrs Dougald Hastie recently.

Mr McDuffy is staying for a while.

Miss Alma Anderson spent the week end with cousins near Chesley.

Mr Walter Scales of Habermeil, visited with the Henderson family the first of the week.

Miss Isabel Hastie of Chesley, is visiting friends here at present.

Mr and Mrs John Sharman were guests of Mr and Mrs Dave Hastie on Sunday.

FARM FOR SALE

At a great sacrifice price for cash. Lot 27 Con 7, Bentinck, Co. Grey, 100 acres. About 15 acres of bush; barn 44 x 64, a good driving house and a fairly good residence. No encumbrances. ¼ mile from school. Immediate possession given, clear title. Apply to A. MCGILLIVRAY, Chatsworth, Ont.

KAMPDEN

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Geddes and son, of Owen Sound, visited old haunts in this locality and called at the old "The Maples," last Thursday.

Mr and Mrs. Theo. Widgey and Mr and Mrs Andrew Marshall attended the funeral last Wednesday afternoon of the late Mr. Robert Grierson, Aberdeen.

A large number from this community were present at the funeral services of the late Melville Johnston of Vickers. Much sympathy is extended to the families of the bereaved.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Metzger and daughter, Bernice, Toronto, spent the week end and holiday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Metzger.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Byers, Wilbert and Audrey, together with Mrs. Boddy and daughter, Isabelle, attended the "Little" reunion on Saturday last, held at Mrs. Byers' brother's home in the vicinity of Blair.

Mr. Langridge and son, of Toronto, were visitors last Thursday at the home of Mr. Alex. Sharp.

Mrs. W.-A. Boddy and daughter, Isabelle, returned from their holiday at Dundalk and Carrigill last Friday.

Mrs. Reg. Renton and family, of Stratford, visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Henderson, last Sat. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Park, Hanover, were also guests at the same home.

Mr. William Mearns motored to Elora last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mearns' mother, Mrs. Eekerton, of that place. Mrs. Mearns had been at the old home for the past few weeks and recognizing the declining health of her mother, was with her when she passed on. We extend our sympathy.

The oat harvest is on and the grain is ripening fast. The few showers we had last week have improved the burnt appearance of the landscape.

VICKERS

Miss Lenore Reay R. N. was on general duty in Durham Hospital last week.

Mrs. Kenneth Greer and Miss Jean Coult are holiday visitors at their parental home here.

Miss Agnes MacPhail M. P. called on Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnston on Saturday afternoon last.

Mrs. S. F. Dargavel, Durham, in company with Miss Agnes MacPhail M. P. were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Reay on Saturday evening last.

It is our sad duty this week to chronicle the death of one of our most esteemed young men in the person of Mr. Melville Johnston on Tuesday evening of last week, after an illness of two weeks, pneumonia being the cause of his death. Melville was 25 years of age and well liked by all who made his acquaintance. The funeral on Thursday was very largely attended, the service being conducted by Rev. Mr. Halbert, of Queen St. Church, Durham, in the absence of Rev. W. H. Smith. The sorrowing parents and other members of the family have our sincere sympathy in their sad and sudden bereavement.

The August meeting of U. F. W. O. was held on Friday afternoon last at the home of Mrs. John Bailey with an attendance of fifty women and children including the Rocky Club.

The meeting opened in the usual manner by Ode and repeating of the creed. After business, a short program followed, Rocky Club supplying most of the numbers, which were all much enjoyed. "God be with you till we meet again," closed the meeting, after which a special supper was served and every person went home, well pleased with the afternoon and hope to have the Rocky club back in the not too distant future. The Sept. meeting will be held at home of Mrs. Jesse Wise.

HAMPDEN

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirkwood and daughter Jean, of London, are guests this week at Mr Bert Watson's, of Knox, Normanby.

Misses Marjory and Dorothy Pickering have returned from a trip to Ottawa and the Thousand Islands.

Attends family Reunion of Muir Clan Mrs Colin Kennedy, son Gordon and daughter Mae, went to Caledon on Monday, where a section of the descendants of the Muirs, who emigrated from Scotland to Canada in the earlier years of last century, gathered. The descendants now number in the hundreds and made up of such good Highland names now as Fergusons, Baxters, Muirs, McKinnons, and McQuarries. Hon. Duncan Marshall, the new Min. of Agriculture, spoke at the picnic, on "Scotsmen the World Over." Mr P. Muir, Ceylon, was appointed a vice president, among the officers elected to carry on the traditions of the clan. Mrs Kennedy and children will also visit in Toronto ere returning to Durham.