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Big Bomber Plane Landed near Town

An aviator from Camp Borden... Provisional pilot officer D. Jones, circled around Durham on Monday afternoon looking for a suitable landing place... He selected the large field next No. 6 highway, in front of George Noble's home...

After passing under the telephone wires leading to the house, the plane started to tilt and rock on bumping across the ditch, and then nose-dived into the ploughed ground beyond, to meet a sudden halt...

This was about 5 p.m. and soon crowds gathered to view the scene which kept all evening, and a guard of a couple of the local militia boys was placed.

The big Hanson bomber was little damaged, though the pilot feared a crankshaft might be bent. It has a wing spread of 60 feet or more and weighs 6 tons, and is said to be worth upwards of \$75,000.

Next day another smaller plane landed there, bringing a flying officer to take the bomber back. It took off on Thursday, but the bomber is yet here, awaiting a dry field to get away.

McCracken—Robertson

Miss Florence Robertson was united in marriage to Clifford McCracken on May 4th. Rev. S. M. Gordon performed the ceremony...

Reay—Vaughan

The wedding of Miss Eva Evelyn Vaughan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Vaughan of Glenelg, to Mr. Clayton H. Reay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reay of Rocky Saugeen...

An Appreciated Settlement

The Grey & Bruce Fire Insurance Co. recently received the following appreciative letter: Durham March 28, 1940. The Grey & Bruce Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Hanover, Ont. Gentlemen: My wife and I wish to thank you for cheque received but also for your promptness in attending to the adjustment of claim.

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Judge Pays Tribute to Late Barrister

Division Court sittings lasted over two hours Friday last, when several tributes were before Judge Morley, but only two came to trial. In opening, Judge Morley paid a very feeling tribute to the late W. D. Henry, whose sudden passing the previous Sunday had shocked the County. He stated that the County and this neighborhood had sustained a serious loss. He had always found Mr. Henry a gentleman, and of the finest character...

Smith Bros. vs. Ivan and Douglas Johnson was an action to recover \$17.44 for repairs to a truck sold to the deft, and other items. Pltfs. alleged the truck was in good shape when deft. took possession...

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Annual Banquet of H. S. Lit. Society

The banquet and dance sponsored by the Literary Society of the High School held in the town hall Friday evening was an enjoyable event with some 150 people present. The guests invited by the students were to the Board members of the staff, the members of the High School Board and Mayor Allan Bell and Mrs. Bell.

William Noble, president of the Literary Society, was toast-master and the toast, to the King met with the National Anthem in response. Those proposing the toasts and making replies were: to the Board, Harriet Wilton and G. C. Webster...

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Grey Presbytery Met in Meaford

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Rev. S. E. Annis, pastor of the United Church at Markdale, was elected Chairman of the Presbytery for the year succeeding Rev. Thos. M. Murray, of Kilsyth. Mr. Annis presided over the deliberations of the Presbytery after his election.

Rev. W. H. Smith of Durham addressed the Presbytery about the Missionary and Maintenance Fund, pointing out that in Grey, 19 churches had increased their support of the fund last year while 15 had fallen below their previous givings.

Rev. George Williams of Toronto told the Presbytery that while the whole church across Canada had received \$7,000 less than the previous year, yet the church had balanced its budget and had paid \$11,000 of a deficit.

Two judgment summonses wound the day. A quiet wedding was solemnized at the United Church parsonage, Hanover, on Saturday afternoon, May 4, when Agnes Vera, youngest daughter of Mrs. Robert McCaslin and the late Robert McCaslin, became the bride of Pte. Robert Arnold Foster...

FOSTER—McCASLIN

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the United Church parsonage, Hanover, on Saturday afternoon, May 4, when Agnes Vera, youngest daughter of Mrs. Robert McCaslin and the late Robert McCaslin, became the bride of Pte. Robert Arnold Foster of the R.C.A.S.C., Camp Borden, son of Mrs. Ethel Foster and the late Robert Foster of Chesley, with Rev. L. Pickering officiating.

The chairman conducted the devotional hour, including a season of special prayer by several delegates. At noon the ladies of the Meaford United Church served a fine lunch, and Rev. Mr. Ferry of Owen Sound revealed many plans for the entertaining of the Toronto Conference in Owen Sound in June.

Rev. R. E. Gosse, presented the Christian Education report, showing 19 boys' groups, 20 girls' groups, 61 Y.P.S. groups, 82 Sunday Schools, 5 vacation schools were held during the year, and also boys' and girls' Y.P.S. camps. Dr. Gordon of Dundalk advertised the Y.P.S. spring rallies now being held.

An invitation from Chatsworth, that the Presbytery hold their fall meeting there, was accepted.

PERSONAL MENTION

Pte. Goldie Long of Stratford visited at his home also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Long of Durham before leaving soon for Overseas.

Mr. Jack McKechnie and sister, Miss Hilda, attended the funeral in Orangeville last Wednesday afternoon, of the late W. D. Henry.

Miss Thelma Priest has returned home having completed her year's course at McMaster University, Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coutts, Donald and Doreen of Conn were visitors the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McArthur.

Mrs. E. Kearney returned to her home in London accompanied on the journey by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. MacDonald and brothers, Verdon and Kenneth.

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Rev. James Cornielson and Mrs. Cornielson of Oregon are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. John Henry and Mr. Henry.

Hughes Herbert, Toronto, was a guest of the Misses Hughes and Robert Hughes over the weekend.

Mr. Albert Pierson and Norman attended the funeral on Tuesday of the former's uncle, the late John Witter, of Neustadt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Winters of St. Clair Shores, Michigan, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Crutchley accompanied them to Berkeley to attend the funeral service of the late W. J. Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Crutchley and William Crutchley also attended the service.

Sunday, May 12th was the 85th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Thos. McGirr, Durham, who quietly observed the day with five of her seven children and seven of her nine grandchildren around her.

Mrs. Leith is recuperating nicely from her recent illness, and is with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Koenig, Northampton, for a week or two. Her sister, Mrs. Angus, who has recently been in Toronto is seriously ill at her daughter's there. Mrs. Angus resided here for a few months with Mrs. Leith, since removing from Manitoba.

Both met in Arthur Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, with a large attendance including twenty-five from Durham. Rev. S. M. Hirtle, Rev. R. Honeyman and Mr. John Morrison attended Presbytery meeting, while the ladies at the Presbyterian were Mesdames Hirtle, Honeyman, Sneath, Ledingham, S. Patterson, P. Patterson, Geo. Sharpe, John Shaver, Jas. Lawrence, John Morrison, J. H. McFadden, J. E. Grant, S. McArthur, T. Turnbull, A. Derby, Burgess, Hebburn. In the evening the Young Ladies' Auxiliary session was held and addressed by Miss Pelton of Toronto. The speaker of the afternoon. Those present from Durham were: Mrs. J. C. Howell, Misses Kathleen McFadden, Leah McComb, Mary Tobin and Elsie Ledingham. The two former rendered a duet.

May Weddings

CLIFFE—MACDONALD

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. MacDonald, Bruce Street, on Saturday at two o'clock, Rev. W. H. Smith, E. A., united in marriage Dorothy Eleanor, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, and Alan Gallely Cliffe, son of Dr. Albert Cliffe and Mrs. Cliffe of Montreal. To the wedding music played by Roland Newton, the bridal party took their places before an arrangement of ferns and spring flowers in the living-room.

The bride in a beautiful gown of white net over white taffeta, and a fingertip veil caught in cape effect with a tair of white flowers and wearing long white mitts, carried white roses and orange blossoms and was given in marriage by her father, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald. During the signing of the register, Norma McIntyre of Mount Forest sang "A Garden of Happiness." The bride's mother was gowned in cannes blue and the groom's mother, navy blue sheer and each wore a corsage of sweet peas.

A buffet luncheon was served to fifty guests, the table having a white linen cloth and centred with a four storey cake surrounded by pink and white flowers and white tapers. The waiters serving the guests were four classmates of the training class of Guelph General Hospital and two cousins of the groom from Toronto, Margaret Gordon, Evelyn Sumach, Kevtha Smith, Martha Reid all from Guelph, Betty Gallely and Jean Jackson, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliffe left by motor for Chicago, the bride wearing a turquoise ensemble with a corsage of pink carnations. Upon their return they will take up residence in Montreal.

NOBLE—HOPKINS

On Saturday afternoon of last week at Trinity Rectory, Rev. M. H. H. Farr united in marriage Jane Marie, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hopkins, Bentinck, and Vernon Noble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Noble of Egrement. They were attended by the bride's sister and the groom's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Noble. They will take up residence on the groom's farm in Egrement.

COMING EVENTS

A White Elephant Auction Sale will be held behind or in the Town Hall Saturday Night, May 18th. Proceeds for I.O.D.E. War Fund.

The Spring bazaar of Trinity Church Guild will be held Wednesday, May 22nd in the parish Hall. Sale of homemade baking, fancy work, and afternoon tea served.

Public Auction Sale of Furniture and household effects of the late Mrs. A. H. Jackson will be held on Saturday, May 18th, 2 p.m. at her late residence, John O'Neill, Auctioneer. Terms cash.

A good play, "THE MILLION DOLLAR BUTLER" will be presented by the Durham Presbyterian Young Peoples' Society in Burns' Church, Rocky Saugeen on THURSDAY, MAY 23rd, 8 p.m. Admission adults 25c and children, 10c. Auspices, Ladies' Aid Society.

The Durham Presbyterian Y. P. S. will present their play, "THE MILLION DOLLAR BUTLER," at Knox Normanby Church on FRIDAY, MAY 31st, at 8.15 p.m. Admission 25c and 15c. Lunch served.

A play, "MY IRISH ROSE," will be presented by the Young People of Lisle, Ont. on MAY 24TH in Agricultural Hall, Pritchville, under the auspices of the W.H.S. of St. Andrew's Church, Pritchville. Admission 25c and 15c.

Canvassers will cover the town next week to collect funds in aid of the Bible Society. The aim is to place Bibles in the hands of those who enlist for service overseas. The local Committee hope for a liberal response. Donations of any amount gratefully received.

SAVE YOUR COPPERS! Save your coppers for the Red Cross, and help along the War Work. The Red Cross are putting on a drive for a couple of miles of coppers. Canvassers will call at your door within a few days and a hearty response to their appeal is hoped for.

BORN
WHITE—In Durham Hospital on May 8th, to Mr and Mrs. John White, Priceville, a son.
WEPPLER—In Durham, at their home on College Street on Friday, May 10th; to Mr and Mrs Eldon Weppler, a son.
WILSON—In Durham Hospital, May 6th, to Mr and Mrs Bruce Wilson, R.R. 2 Durham, a daughter.
Walkerton is experiencing a building boom. Two new homes and two spacious apartment buildings are in course of construction.
Goderich fall fair, about one hundred years old, may be suspended owing to lack of support. It shows that nothing can exist unless there is support behind it.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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