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LOCALS RAISE \$1100 IN McMASTER DRIVE

About thirty people gathered in the basement of Stouffville United Church on Wednesday evening of last week and heard Rev. C. R. Duncan, Field Secretary of McMaster University present the claims of that institution for financial assistance in the big drive for funds now under way. The objective is a million and a half, and to date \$895,000 has been given or promised.

The audience was essentially Baptist, and was called in a sister church by supporters of McMaster owing to the division of opinion among the local congregation on certain matters pertaining to McMaster, the two factions being commonly referred to as "Modernists" and "Fundamentalists".

Rev. Mr. Duncan outlined the past history of the college in his opening remarks, following the growth of the institution since its inception, and even since the first Christian college was established in 1856 to serve Upper and Lower Canada. Fifteen years later it was sold to the Catholics, and soon McMaster came into existence.

The speaker said it was impossible to carry on the work today at the present site in Toronto. All available ground had been occupied. There is no campus, no gymnasium, nothing but study rooms, and they are too small. The enrolment now is 400 students, and the governors had reached the very point where they cannot ask for any more. A new site in Toronto would necessitate a campaign for 2½ millions of money, whereas the proposal to locate the University in Hamilton enables them to reduce the call for aid to 1½ millions.

Six years ago certain citizens of Hamilton, he said, came forward and stated that they wanted the university, and were prepared to make a voluntary gift of land, and \$500,000 for the erection of a Science building. This gift is not from the city, but from private sources.

A million of the money to be raised will be set aside for endowment fund. The speaker closed with an appeal for every Baptist to avail himself or herself of the privilege of sharing in this great undertaking. Subscription cards were circulated, and over \$1,100 was obtained in cash or promises. Rev. C. E. McLeod was chairman of the meeting.

RETIREES AFTER 52 YEARS

Mr. Dan McMillan, Divisional Supt. on the local division of the Canadian National Railways, who was superannuated last week, is being succeeded by Mr. G. A. Stokes, former superintendent of the Toronto terminals. Mr. McMillan served 52 years in the employ of the company, rising to fill one of the finest positions in the gift of this big railway. Since filling the job of superintendent he has had a private car at his command at all times, and it is said that the position carries a salary of \$10,000 per annum, which the friends of Dan McMillan in Stouffville will wish him long years to enjoy spending in his leisure days.

DON'T MISS THIS

This Friday evening at 8 o'clock, the Mary Bruce Mission Circle and the Melville Mission Band will put on a concert in Melville Church. Admission 25¢ and 15¢ cents.

The program will give a true scene in the lives of Revs. John and Geo. McDougall, early missionaries of the United Church, also incidents from the life of Mary Reed. There will also be other missionary plays and music. Don't fail to take this in.

COUNCIL APPOINTS A NEW CONSTABLE

The Tribune scribe was unable to attend the regular council meeting on Friday evening, and the report we give is gathered from information recorded on the clerk's books and from verbal conversation with members of council.

The members were all present and Reeve H. W. Sanders presided over the deliberations. Two substantial grants were made that will make a small hole in the treasury, one being to the valued organization, the town band of \$100, and the other to the cemetery commission of \$300.

Three applications were received for the position of constable to police the streets of Stouffville. Mr. Edw. Pennock received the appointment at \$125 per year by unanimous vote, and the council agreed to procure his appointment as a county constable so that he may act inside or outside the corporation in making arrests.

In addition to Constable Pennock, Mr. Alf. Pugh applied for the position at \$200, but council thought the price too high. Mr. Frank Mowder was also an applicant at no stated wage, leaving the matter to council, but the "fathers" considered him too young and inexperienced.

The town dump came in for further consideration, that developed an oratorical evening so that a special meeting will be called to complete the matter. The final arrangement is that an effort will be made to secure a tender for removing the tin cans, etc. from the homes of the citizens and have them deposited in a place satisfactory to the council. On motion of Councillors Borinsky and Ward tenders will be called in this issue of the Tribune for this purpose.

Councillor Ward at one time during the debate offered a motion to reopen the old dumping ground and end the trouble, but council refused to do this until they make another effort along the lines proposed.

June 1st was set as the date to hold the Court of Revision on the assessment roll. Court at 7 p.m.

Council adjourned to meet on Monday, May 14th.

THE BAPTIST ANNIVERSARY

The fifty-fifth anniversary of the congregation of Stouffville Baptist Church, and the second anniversary of the opening of the present edifice on Main street was held on Sunday last, the Rev. Andrew Imrie, of Benton Street Church, Kitchener, being the special preacher for the day. He was assisted in the service of song by two young soloists from Kitchener who inspired the congregations at both services with their splendid renditions. The congregations were very gratifying, especially at the evening service when many came a considerable distance to attend.

Mr. Imrie is a strong, forceful preacher with a pleasing personality. His morning sermon was one of instruction and help, his subject being "The Church in Soul Winning". In the evening the theme was "Behold I stand at the Door and Knock".

The two services were fitting tributes to the early pioneers who established the Baptist faith in Stouffville. Prior to 1873 Baptist ministers preached here, but it was in that year that a regular charge was established. The late H. Johnson, J. B. Wurts and John Millard and others were active in securing the services of the Rev. J. B. Moore, who for a time preached in the old temperance hall long since demolished. A church was soon organized and a building erected in the east end of Stouffville which was wrecked three years ago to make way for the fine building now in use.

SILOAM

One evening recently 52 Siloam friends gathered at Mr. Dike's new home at Uxbridge for the purpose of making a presentation in connection with his departure from Siloam. Roy Ellis, Superintendent of the Siloam-United Sunday School presided. Rev. Wm. Kendall said it seemed a home-like Siloam gathering. He said the Dike's were fine people; in all his visiting he had never heard a word against them. Mr. Dike's father was an extremely honourable character, quite out of the common, who in his business career met obligations which he was not legally compelled to meet, and which any ordinary person would have let go. In the Dike family God had kept his ancient promise to bless the third and fourth generation of those that loved him. J. W. Widdfield, M.L.A. also spoke, and an address and presentation concluded the evening.

\$1.20 bag was bid for potatoes by the shippers this week at Goodwood.

PERSONAL NOTES

Mrs. Levi Forsyth spent last Monday on the Danforth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Warrier and two children of Mimico were in town over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collard are living at their farm at Gormley for the summer.

Miss Isabel MacLean of Toronto visited her father N. M. MacLean over Sunday.

Mr. Addison Jerman of Toronto, visited his mother, Mrs. A. S. Collins over Sunday.

Mrs. Lena Jones of Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Bolander of Bethesda.

Mrs. Lud Hoover spent a few days in Toronto visiting her daughter who is attending Art College.

Last week Miss Ella Heise of Toronto visited with her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Hamilton, the town's eldest lady.

Miss Mildred Pugh and lady friend of Toronto, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Pugh.

Mrs. Geo. Saunders is gradually getting around again after two weeks of very severe illness from tonsillitis.

Miss Walneita Tain of Havelock spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tain, Albert street.

Mr. Percy Brintnell of Chatham, formerly of the Standard Bank staff here, spent a couple days with friends here.

Mrs. Hodgins who lives with her son J. R. at the C.N.R. station, has been quite seriously ill, but is now recovering.

Mrs. James Ridout of MacTier, Muskoka, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Holden.

Mrs. Ira Anderson and daughter Phyllis returned home this week after over two weeks visit with her sisters in Toronto.

On Sunday Mr. Noah Hoover who lives next the Standard Bank, was able to be out for the first time since his long serious illness.

After spending the winter past in Toronto Mrs. D. W. Latchford has returned to Stouffville, and re-opened her home on Main street west.

W. H. Harwood, principal of Keel street school, Toronto, with his wife and family spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Mr. A. C. Burkholder.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Turner of Toronto; spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Turner. Miss Oliver Turner returned to Toronto with them and spent a few days.

Mrs. H. G. Banner is leaving for her home in Winnipeg, after spending over two months with her sister, Mrs. F. P. McDonald, Kitchener, during the illness and death of their mother, Mrs. C. Mitchell.

Mrs. W. S. Cook spent Thursday with her father prior to leaving on an extended trip to the British Isles, accompanied by her daughter Miriam. They sail from Montreal aboard the Laurentic of the White Star line from Montreal today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Clark motored from Toronto and spent Sunday with his father Mr. David Clark of Whitchurch, who is still suffering from the effects of being kicked by a horse in the abdomen ten days ago. They also visited Mrs. Clark's father Mr. A. S. Collins.

Mr. Dean Kester made a hurried call at his parental home here one day last week, enroute from Timmins New Ontario, to Toronto, where his wife is undergoing an operation at Wellesley Hospital. Her condition this week following the operation is very favorable.

Mrs. E. A. Button and Miss Janet were in Toronto last week to attend the Oratorical contest at Massey Hall to complete the championship finals for Ontario, in which Miss Janet won the right at the contest in Stouffville to represent Stouffville school at the district finals, where she stood third place. William Fox of London a pupil of DeLa Salle School, won the coveted honor on Friday at Toronto among 16 contestants.

ALTONA

Miss Lizzie Davis was home for Sunday.

Miss Leta Bunker has been on the sick list for over a week.

It is reported that Hugh McIntosh has sold his mill property.

Mrs. Fries Pugh of Toronto visited with her mother Mrs. W. J. Monkhouse over the week end.

Miss Ruth Sprung, Miss Flossie McNair and Mr. Roy Wagg caused quite a sensation one day last week, when they made a flying trip to Cobourg. But we find that it was only a little business trip.

CONFERENCE WILL DISCUSS UNION

The annual conference of the Christian Churches in Ontario will be held this year at Keswick during the month of June. It is understood that at this conference the matter of union will be among the foremost questions for discussion, and in preparation for this, several meetings have been held between a committee of Christian Church ministers and the officials of the United Church in Canada, the last one being at Newmarket a few weeks ago.

Just what attitude the members of the Stouffville Christian Church will take in the matter of union is not ascertained as yet, and it is the policy to withhold such decisions until the full facts are known and carefully weighed on such an important issue.

SPRING MUSICAL FESTIVAL

Don't forget the great Spring Musical Festival to be given by the combined choruses of the Stouffville Choral Society and the Claremont Choral Society in Ratcliff Hall on Friday, May 18th.

The combined choruses will sing Handel's "Largo"; Three local dances by Schubert; "You Stole My Love", MacFarren; God Save the King, Stanford.

The Stouffville chorus will sing "The Long Day Closes" Sullivan; "Come unto Him" Gounod; "Intamatus" Rossini; "Mighty Lak a Rose".

The Claremont Society will sing "Kitty of Coleraine" Lloyd; "O John no John"; "Abide with me" Forsyth "Just being Happy" Jacobson and the Masonic Oratorio; "Zadock the Priest" Haydn. The orchestra will play two numbers and Mrs. M. G. Anderson will sing two groups of songs and solos in choral work.

The Festival will be under the direction of Mr. H. M. Fletcher the Toronto choral conductor.

Secure your tickets from members of the Women's Institute.

MONGOLIA

6th, 8th, 10th next!
Mrs. Everett Bright and little daughter have returned to Toronto.

Next time Delbert wishes to try the New Ford '35 an hour on the bumps we suggest the 10th.

Jas. Burkholder was in Toronto last Saturday.

ALMIRA

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Gayman were visiting with Mrs. Chris. Gayman last Wednesday.

The local abattoir is closed down having been going steady since last October.

Several persons from this community enjoyed the "Nautical Knot" at Ratcliff's hall last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lehman and H. D. Lehman attended the funeral of Mr. Albert Lehman of Pine Orchard on Wednesday last.

Several appeals have been filed against the 1928 assessment roll in Stouffville, which will be heard at the Court of Revision on June 1st.

AMONG THE CHURCHES

ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. W. H. Fuller, Th.B.
Sunday, May 13th
1.30 p.m.—Sabbath School.
Public worship 2.30—
Prayer meeting Friday at 7.45 p.m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
E. Morton, pastor
Sunday, May 13th
Next Sunday will be "Mother's Day"
Let us be thankful for the greatly expressed love of our mothers—
God given mothers.

BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. W. Fleischer, pastor
Sunday, May 13th
10 a.m.—Bible School.
11 a.m.—Subject, "A Real Mother"
7 p.m.—Subject, "The Man who has Two Birthdays a Year"

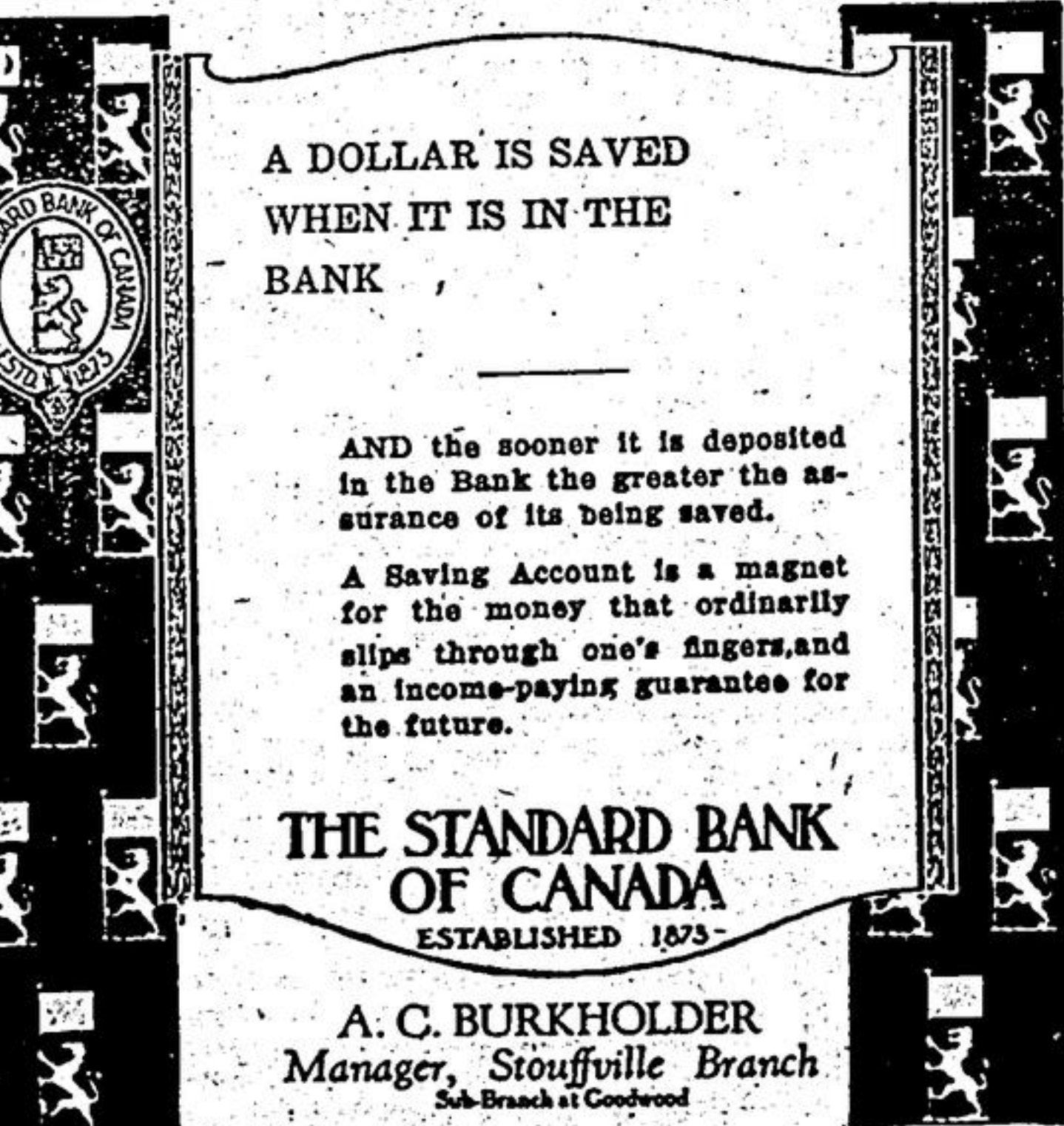
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
H. S. Warren, B.A., pastor
Sunday, May 13th, 1928
Mother's Sunday
11 a.m.—"The Radiant Qualities of Noble Womanhood"
2.30 p.m.—Mother's service in S. S. Miss Garrett will give the address.
7 p.m.—Speaker, Miss M. H. Garrett under auspices of Garrett Mission Circle. Cordial welcome to all young people.

MENNONITE CHURCH
S. S. Shantz, pastor
Rev. C. I. Sinden, pastor of the Markham Mennonite circuit will occupy the pulpit next Sunday, May 13th, in the morning. Mr. I. Pike will speak in the evening.
Special Notice
Special Evangelistic Services will be conducted in the Union Church, Altona from May 20th to June 3rd. Pastor S.S. Shantz in charge of these services. All are cordially invited.

MELVILLE UNITED CHURCH
(6th Line, Markham)
Dr. E. H. Gray, Pastor
Sunday, May 13th, Mothers' Day.
Sunday School at 1.30 p.m.
Public Worship 7.30 p.m.
Please remember the concert to be given under the auspices of the Mary Bruce Mission Circle and the Melville Mission Band. The date, Friday evening of this week, May 11th. The hour 8 o'clock. Admission 25c. for adults, and 15c. for children.

BAKER HILL AND SIXTH LINE BAPTIST CHURCHES
W. S. Whitcombe, B.A., pastor.
Sunday, May 13th
"Sin has undone our wretched race; But Jesus has restored, And brought the sinner face to face With his forgiving Lord."
"We proclaim a Christ who has been crucified"
Baker Hill—10.30 a.m.
Sixth Line—7.00 p.m.
Pastor Whitcombe preached last Sunday morning in Annette Street Baptist Church, Toronto. Mr. Sheath secretary of the Won-by-One Band supplied the local pulpit.

Dr. W. A. Summers, 169 Yonge St., Toronto, (formerly with Robt. Simpson Co.) Eye Specialist, will be at Yake's Jewelry Store every Thursday



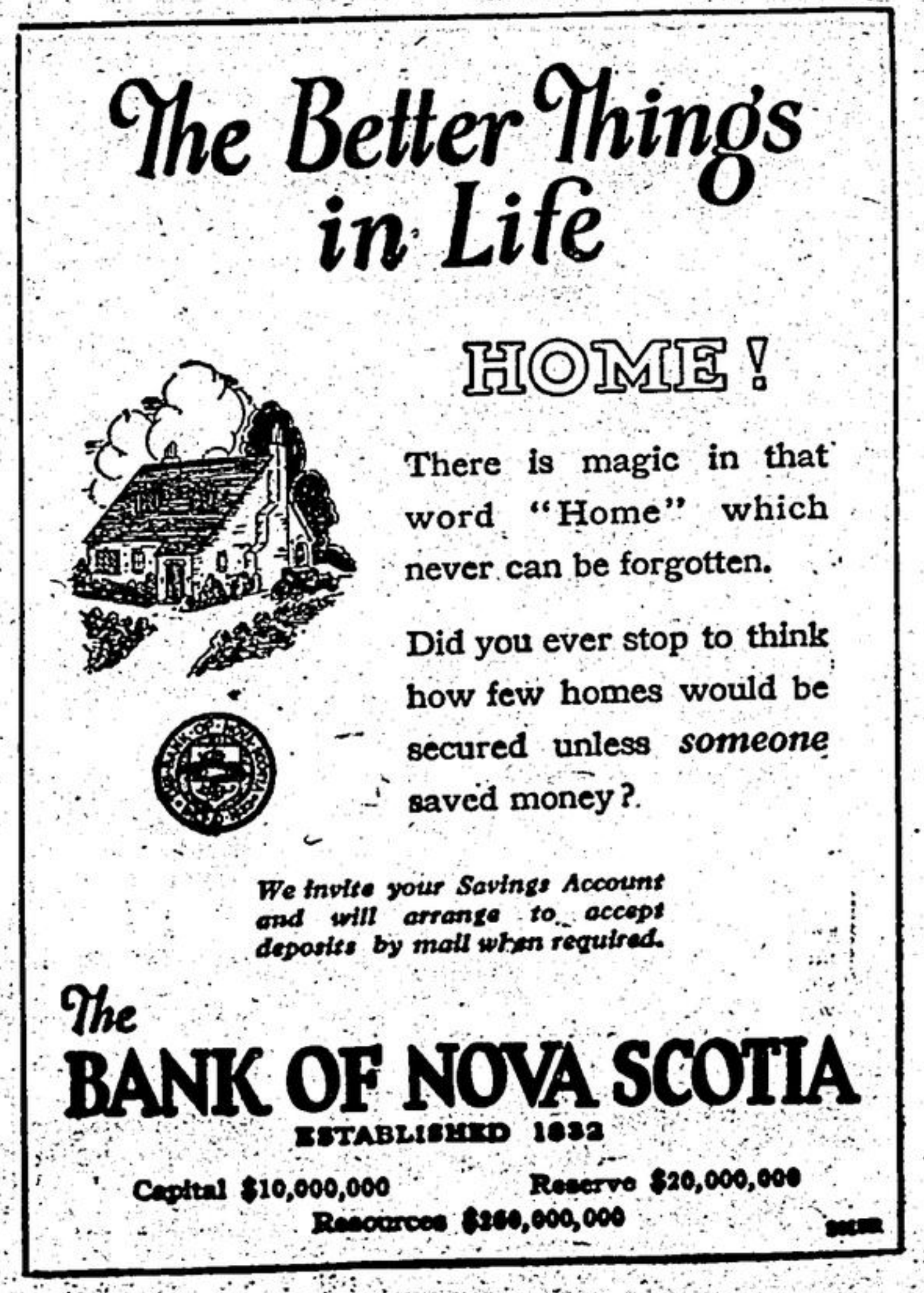
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