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## YOUNG FARMER GORED BY BULL

When he attempted to put a bull back into his father's stable on their farm at Gormley Wednesday of last week George Forrester, aged 23 years, was severely gored by the animal. According to Forrester, he discovered the bull at large in the oat field as he was returning from the day's threshing. Seizing a stick, he attempted to lead the animal towards the barn when suddenly it turned and rushed at him. The young man jumped to one side to evade the charge, but was struck and knocked to the ground. His father, hearing calls for help came to the rescue. Percy Forrester, the father, stated that this type of bull is not usually a ferocious animal. He said the bull had never before been troublesome and had been running at large in the pasture all summer. However only the arrival of the father and the dog saved the son's life. He is recovering nicely.

## 4th LINE UXBRIDGE

Mr. D. Norton is remodeling his house at present. Alvin, sure is wise as he has secured an extra gear. Mr. J. Collins has gone to Whitby to answer the call of juryman. Mr. and Mrs. M. Chapman visited in Aurora one day last week. Mrs. Ed. Norton visited with her parents, Geo. Brown's last week. Tuesday's rain did much to replenish the wells and help the root crop. We are sorry to lose Miss Laura Ashenurst from this line. She is attending Normal School. Our traffic has increased greatly this last week as there are four gravel trucks hauling gravel from M. Norton's pit to the townline. We are sorry to hear that Mrs. B. Staley is suffering from a fall which dislocated her shoulder. However she is now improving nicely. Mrs. Roy Coppins has been assisting her sister Mrs. P. Courtney of Locust Hill, who was quite seriously injured in a motor crash near her home. Mrs. C. Hoover and family of Ringwood visited at Geo. Jones' on Sunday.

## GOODWOOD

George Todd is loading vegetables for the big market. Miss Etelle Helmka, graduate nurse of Toronto has been spending holidays at home with her father W. Helmka. Potatoes are only bringing around \$5 a bag in this district despite the prospects of a short crop. The American tariff on the one hand and the grader tubers coming in from New Brunswick both contribute to the mean price offered local growers. The financial success of the supper and concert on Labor Day in connection with the cemetery was very gratifying \$350 being realized in all, of which \$148 was contributed by the Goodwood Women's Institute as proceeds of the supper. We wish every success for Laura Ashenurst and Isabel Ashenurst who have left their homes here to attend normal school. Soon these two cousins will be numbered among the school teachers of Ontario. The regular meeting of the Women's Institute held at the home of Mrs. Andrew Ashenurst was well attended and proved highly interesting. Mrs. Ted Wagg gave a paper on the "Home and School" which was full of valuable hints for teachers scholars and parents. The hostess served a dainty lunch. When his team of horses took fright and ran away Wm. Hewlett, one of our farmers was thrown off the wagon down between the racing animals, the wagon running over his body. He suffered a few broken ribs, and will take an enforced holiday as a result. The Goodwood Women's Institute wish to express to the ladies of the community and Toronto and all others who assisted, also to the public their sincere appreciation of the support tendered them with their hot supper and concert which was given in aid of the cemetery. Mrs. Bert Staley, while going down cellar one day last week fell from the fifth step breaking her shoulder. She has several bruises on her arm which will confine her to the house for some time. We have been reading of late an interesting history of our cemetery from the beginning. Some people are asking for a financial statement from the beginning. The recent improvements have cost a lot of money and still more is needed to make the cemetery look like a complete job. A new fence is badly needed along the south and west sides as the old posts are rotted off. We understand there is not enough money in the treasury for this. Will the previous board please give some financial statement as to the handling of the funds in former days.

## DOWN BY THE SEA

With the Canadian Newspaper Editors

The Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association has just concluded its 11th annual gathering which was held this year at Halifax, Nova Scotia. The Tribune was represented by its editor, while other newspaper men were present from as far west as Whitehorse, Yukon, and Newfoundland on the east.

While we wish to tell our readers something we learned about this historic province down by the sea, we will not weary you with any detail about the convention it was our business primarily to attend. Suffice it to say that meetings were held each morning at the fine C.N.R. hotel, "The Nova Scotian," where we, with many of the delegates, were privileged to make our home during the visit. The Nova Scotian was just opened in August, and occasioned quite as much interest in the eastern province as the Royal York attracted in Ontario. We have been in the homes of English royalty, in palaces and the like, but none of them surpass in grandeur the modern hotel of the present day, while few provide the comforts and conveniences. Among the foremost hotel palaces of today is the Nova Scotian.

Leaving Montreal on the Ocean Limited, the well appointed train of the C.N.R. equipped with radio and observation coach, one settles down to a 27 hour journey before reaching Halifax. Most of the night you pass through waste and forest territory, consequently we sleep in a peaceful rest if you are blessed with being able to be a good snoozer aboard train. Each afternoon of our stay in the Nova Scotia capital was given over to sight-seeing entertainment. We reached the city on Saturday evening ready for business on Monday.

The Dominion Atlantic Railway provided a special train on Monday to take the delegates to the Evangeline country stopping at Kentville where luncheon was served, and the party were then taken in motor cars to Grand Pre, thus affording us a wonderful view of a portion of the Annapolis Valley, famous for its apple orchards and rich fertile farm lands. At Grand Pre we were photographed in a group at the Memorial Chapel which stands on the grounds of the original village which dates back to 1680. The historical facts are most interesting but too extensive to dwell on at this time. The expulsion of the French Acadians from this settlement in the year 1755 will always remain a tragic occurrence in Canadian history. The event has been immortalized by Longfellow to thousands and is known as the great poet's masterpiece, "Evangeline."

The peoples in this part of Canada still retain many ancient customs. On this motor trip we encountered a farmer with his team of oxen and load of hay on a two-wheel cart. So entranced with the ancient mode of travel we had a picture taken of the team and hope to reproduce it in this paper. The farmer valued his team at \$250, and declared them more serviceable than horses in his particular section of hilly country.

An afternoon was spent as the guests of the Halifax Harbour Commissioners and the Dartmouth Ferry Commission, on board one of their barbour boats, when we inspected this, one of the world's greatest harbours. Halifax harbour is capable of accommodating at one time all the navies of the world.

So much should be said of the Port of Halifax, information all Canadians ought to be apprized of, we reserve it for another article. The harbour trip entailed several hours and luncheon was served on board. Entertainments of a musical nature and a reception at Government House where we were guests of Hon. J. C. Tory, Lieut-Governor of Nova Scotia all went to make up a happy time full of pleasure and instruction.

One of the interesting things to an Ontarian on his first visit to the Maritimes is the tide waters. At Halifax the tide is not so noticeable, but long before the visitor reaches the city on the way east from Montreal he will be confronted with miles and miles of mud banks and empty river beds if it happens to be low tide, or at other times, possibly on your return, you see in their places beautiful streams of water winding through the country. Tides are another item which will be the subject of a later article. Before conclusion of this hasty sketch of our eastern trip the press will pay tribute to the generous-hearted people of the east who gave us such a welcome and who live in a province which is outstanding in Canada for its natural beauty and the romance of its history.

Send the Tribune to absent friends.

## NEW EQUIPMENT PROVED USELESS

Fire Extinguisher Didn't Contain Proper Mixture—Had no Effect on Blaze

The new chemical fire engine purchased last year was given its first real test last Saturday night when a Ford car leaped into flames in the west end of the town. The chemical outfit proved a frizzle on this occasion. First the hand chemical was emptied on the burning car by the firemen, then the chemical hose was turned on, and neither had the slightest effect. The car was driven by Mr. Hiltz who was accompanied by Miss Margaret Ramer of Markham. They had driven onto the new road which was barricaded to traffic, and in attempting to climb the bank to get off, the gas line was broken and started the fire.

The brigade made prompt response to the fire alarm, but after finding the chemicals were ineffective, had to return to the hall and bring up the old reliable water hose. A dash of water soon put out the flame, but not before the body of the car was destroyed. Some means of testing the strength of the material mixed for the extinguishers should be had to know that they will be of some use.

## GORMLEY

Abram Baker spent Sunday with cousins in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sider spent Sunday under the parental roof.

Mrs. Alma Clemence had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Hunt.

A number from around here are motoring to the M.B.C. Conference held in Vineland.

Miss Helen Henderson spent the weekend at her home here, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hoover and family had tea Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones and family had tea Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson.

Miss Doris Perkins of Victoria Square, spent a few days last week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilson.

Mr. Louis Schell is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. H. Steckley. He has just returned after spending a few months in Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoover also Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoover were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Doners.

Mr. George Snider and lady friend, Miss Mahala Wice, had tea Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baker also Lorne and Murray, motored to Vineland over the weekend to visit relatives. They report an abundant crop of peaches.

## USE OF WRONG PRODUCT BLAMED FOR COW'S DEATH

Judgment was reserved in the Newmarket court last week, in the case of Charles Eaves, a Queensville farmer, and the York Trading Company, Toronto, in which the latter firm was sued for \$120 damages for the loss of a cow, which Eaves stated had died as a result of eating saltpetre, sold to him in mistake for epsom salts. Burkholder's general store, Newmarket, was also involved in the case as a defendant. A. L. Fleming, Toronto, appeared for the York Trading Co., and N. Mathews, Newmarket, for Eaves.

L. Kidd of the teaching staff of Newmarket high school staff of Newmarket high school, testified that samples of the product sold to Eaves proved to be saltpetre. Further evidence was offered to show that Burkholder, who sold the salt to Eaves, had received other complaints from dissatisfied farmers, but that repeated letters to the York Trading Co. had failed to bring satisfaction from the firm.

The defence pleaded that the product had been handled for a Toronto man without definite information as to its nature.

## BIRTHS

HILL—On Thursday, Sept. 4th, 1930 to Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hill, Claremont, Ontario, a daughter.

Gilbert—On Sept. 13th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Gilbert, 3th con., Whitechurch, a daughter.

Dike—On Sept. 17th, 1930, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Dike, 8th con., Markham, a daughter.

## PERSONAL NOTES

Miss Aleda Russel has returned from a few weeks vacation.

Miss Irene James of Montreal has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. McGrogan.

Mr. T. W. Eagleson has returned from holidaying at Rice Lake and Cobourg.

Reeve Sanders and wife have returned from their summer home at Jackson's Point.

Mrs. Ira Anderson and daughter Phyllis are spending a week with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Earl Beebe of Toronto is spending his two weeks vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Byron Beebe.

Mr. H. Procter and daughter Miss Mae from Thornbury have been the guests of Wm. and Mrs. Waddell.

Mrs. J. Pearson has been enjoying a two week visit with friends in Hamilton, Oakville and Toronto.

Mrs. A. W. Moffat of Collingwood spent a few days with her parents last week, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Yake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Port Huron, Mich. spent a few days recently with Mrs. Byron Beebe and Mrs. Monk.

Mrs. I. R. Schell from Markdale, is staying in town with her daughter Mrs. R. J. Smith. At present, Mrs. Schell is confined to bed, but we hope the change may be to her benefit.

Mrs. David Watson and daughters Myrtle and Mrs. Hynes joined by her sister Mrs. E. Redman of Smithfield enjoyed a ten days motor trip to Ottawa and Montreal visiting friends and relatives at Smithfield, Odessa, Kingston and Monckland, Ont. returning home last Friday.

The marriage took place on Wednesday afternoon of Miss Helen Corson, youngest daughter of Mrs. Corson and the late Robt. Corson to Mr. Robt. Dales, eldest son of Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Dales of Stouffville. The wedding took place at four o'clock in the United Church, Markham.

## MELVILLE

Notice—Beware of golf balls.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKinnon of Toronto, visited his father Mr. A. McKinnon of Almira.

The tractor demonstration which was held at Edgar Nigh's last week was well attended. Around forty being present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wideman of Cashel, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wideman of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. Nigh on Sunday.

The W.M.S. of Melville Church are trying to secure the choir from the St. Clair United Church of Toronto to give a musical evening at Melville Church. Watch for further announcements.

Mr. Harry Forrester of Cashel is preparing for the cold winter days. He has cut down the huge willow tree, measured four feet through that was shattered by the storm some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Popham and daughter Catherine of Toronto, spent a few days with Mrs. Stotts of Cashel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Houck, his mother and sister of Cashel visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Meyers of Zephyr last Thursday and included other places such as Port Bolster, Sutton and Lake Simcoe in their trip.

Mr. Powell, general merchant of Cashel has been redecorating his store. Mr. Powell hasn't been living here very long, but during that time he has made a vast improvement which should boost his business.

(Last week's news.) Mr. Floyd Mustard spent the week end in Toronto last week.

Mrs. E. Elliott of Toronto spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. Nigh.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Topham on Sept. 4th, a son. Congratulations!

Mrs. Houck and Edna of Cashel, spent a few days at Maple with Mrs. Puteborough.

Mr. Percy Spofford has purchased an International tractor. We won't be able to see Percy for dust.

Miss Marjorie Lehman of the Ontario Hospital, Whitby is spending a few holidays at her home here.

The Guild of Melville Church held their first meeting last Thursday evening after being closed for two months.

Mr. Cassidy of Stouffville, is holding a tractor demonstration on Thursday, Sept. 11th on the farm of Edgar Nigh.

We are very sorry to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Adolphus Cook of Toronto. She has had an operation in the General Hospital, and we wish her a speedy recovery.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly (nee Mary Brodie) of Sunderland, on the birth of a daughter.

Rev. Mr. MacNeil of the Melville circuit is spending his vacation at Keswick. Rev. Dr. Harper of Aurora will conduct his services during his absence.

## SERIOUS DROUGHT IN THE U.S.A.

Visitor Tells of Drought Conditions in Virginia. Water 10c Quart—Sheep 25c Head

While this section of Ontario is suffering from the drought which has more or less affected all parts of Ontario this summer, there are places in a much worse plight, as reported by Mrs. T. D. Mylrea, of Pittsburg, who was here last week on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fleming of the 6th concession of Markham.

Mrs. Mylrea, in company with her husband, Prof. Mylrea, have just completed a motor trip through Virginia. In one section of that state the drought is so bad that water could not be procured for their radiator. Creeks and ponds heretofore never known to have been dry are empty, and the motorists had to crawl along until they reached a more favored section.

Finally they were able to procure water for their car at 25c a quart, and at that they stood in line with 25 cars ahead of them, waiting for the necessary "drink."

The farmers in the section of Virginia where the drought is at its worst have lost most of their stock, and are disposing of it at any price. Sheep, for instance, could be bought at 25c a head said Mrs. Mylrea.

Besides spending a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, the American visitor is visiting her mother who resides in Toronto.

## SUNDAY ACCIDENT AT LAKE MUSSELMAN

Young Lad From Toronto Sustained Broken Leg.

On Sunday afternoon a young man from Toronto received a broken leg at Lake Musselman when he collided with the Ford coupe driven by Mr. Dan Cook of Stouffville. The fracture occurred just below the thigh and will lay the young fellow up for some time. He received medical attention at Stouffville, and was taken home on Monday.

The accident happened on the winding road near the Appleton farm in company with Mr. Cook was Jos. Hoover of O'Brien Avenue. They were proceeding slowly at about five miles an hour when passing another car being pushed along by a number of young fellows. The one chap suddenly jumped from behind the car and struck the side of Mr. Cook's Ford resulting in the accident. The Stouffville people stopped, and offered what assistance they could.

A couple of disinterested bystanders who witnessed the whole thing came forward on their own accord, and gave their names assuring Mr. Cook that no blame could be attached to him.

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## Among The Churches

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. W.W. Fleischer, pastor  
Sunday, September 21st, 1930  
10 a.m.—Bible School.

11 a.m.—Subject, "Is it necessary to be Baptized in order to be Saved?"

7 p.m.—Subject, "God's call to an Old Man".

We shall be glad to see you at our prayer meetings.  
Wednesday 8 p.m.  
Sunday 6.15 p.m.

## MENNONITE CHURCH

S. S. Shantz, pastor  
Sunday, September 21st, 1930  
8.00—P.M. Prayer Meeting.

10.00—A.M. Preaching  
7.00—P.M. Preaching  
7.00—P.M. Preaching

## BAKER HILL and SIXTH LINE BAPTIST CHURCHES

W. S. Whitcombe, B. A., pastor  
Sunday, September 21st, 1930  
Sixth Line 10.30 a.m.  
Baker Hill 7.00 p.m.

## UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. Thos. Laidlaw, M.A., pastor  
11 a.m.—"The Woman who Wanted to Know"

8 p.m.—"Sparrow Mathematics"  
Rev. Herbert Lee will preach both morning and evening.

Sabbath school at 10 o'clock.  
Come and prepare for Rally Day, to be held September 28th.

## CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

STOUFFVILLE and CHURCHILL  
F. E. Hyde, Minister  
10 a.m. Sunday school  
11 a.m.—Subject "The road to Victory."

7 p.m.—Third in a series on the 10 Commandments. We extend a cordial invitation to all.  
2 p.m. Churchill Sunday School  
3 p.m. Preaching.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Fuller, pastor  
Sunday, September 21st, 1930  
2 p.m.—Sunday School  
3 p.m. Evening Worship.

## BLOOMINGTON and RINGWOOD CHURCHES

E. Morton, preacher  
Sunday, September 21st, 1930  
A "Harvest Home" service will be held next Sunday at Bloomington 11 a.m. and Ringwood 7 p.m. Both churches will be decorated with fruits, vegetables, flowers, &c. Come and enjoy the service with us.

A baptismal service will be held at Dixon's Hill Sunday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. Any desiring to be baptized, who determined to follow Jesus Christ through life, may go forward then.

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