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SNAP POWDER	2 tins 25c		
QUICK QUAKER OATS,	large pkg. 20c		
NEILSON'S COCOA	1/2 lb. tin 19c		
MACARONI	bulk, 6 lbs. 25c		
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### ATHA

Mr. Charles Kerswell spent the weekend with his mother on the 5th of Markham.  
Ernie Carruthers spent Tuesday with friends in Whitby.  
We are ready for the pot luck supper at Mrs. Eli Lehman's.  
Miss Neida Dunkeld has been ill with the flu, but is showing signs of recovery at time of writing.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Draper and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Draper.  
Mrs. James Milton has returned to her home at Blackstock, after spending two weeks with Mrs. J. Scott and Mrs. M. Dunkeld.

### MELVILLE

The Melville United Church W.A. is holding their next meeting on Monday, January 27, at the home of Mrs. K. A. Grant. Please note the date. There will be a motion picture programme.  
We regret to report that Mr. A.D. Bruce had to be taken to the Toronto General Hospital on Wednesday last for an emergency operation. The last report received was that he was doing as well as could be expected, and we hope for a speedy recovery.

### SKATING

Open Air  
**BALLANTRAE RINK**  
-on-  
WEDNESDAY  
and  
SATURDAY  
EVENINGS  
Good Music

### Mongolia

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wideman and girls visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam. Fretz, Altona.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wideman and girls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pugh, Claremont on Sunday.  
We are sorry there are quite a number ill with the flu in our community.

The school skating party held at Cedarena was attended by 40 or 50 from the community. It was such a success that they are planning another party in about three weeks time.

Mr. Jno. Shirk and Mr. Isiah Hoover attended evening services at the Tunkard Church, Gormley, a couple of nights last week. It was the closing week of meetings held by Rev. E. Swalm of Duntroon.

A shower was tendered by the Mennonite young people of Stouffville to Mr. and Mrs. William Reaman, the newlyweds, on Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jac. McMullen.

### 4th Line, Uxbridge

Mr. James Sharrard and Marshal, Pine Grove, visited at Frank Collin's home on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Forsyth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Ashenurst on Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wilson and Bernice spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Smalley, Sandford.  
Private Arthur Staley, Camp Borden, spent two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Staley. Pte. Eldon Staley of Lindsay also was home for the weekend.



Mr. and Mrs. Don Fraser whose marriage took place in Stouffville recently. Mrs. Fraser before her marriage was Mildred Burkitt of this place, while Mr. Fraser's home is in Scotland. The couple will make their home in Belleville.

### Goodwood

Our C.N.R. track foreman, Geo. Edwards, is off duty with a bad cold. W. Cooper has charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dowswell have been under the weather for the last few days.

Mrs. McMurtry of Toronto visited her aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. Darling over the weekend.

Glad to report Mr. Charles Plews who is still in a Toronto hospital is improving some, but it will be some time yet before he will be able to leave that institution.

A meeting of the Sports Committee is called for Thursday evening to settle up accounts of last year and probably to organize for the 1941 events which if done at this time will give the committee in charge a good chance to get the best possible for the coming season, and to decide what purpose the proceeds shall be donated.

Owing to the Rev. J. W. Holmes being unable to take the services in the United Church for about two months, the Rev. Mr. Smalley has very ably occupied this pulpit for the last three Sundays. Mr. Smalley has another appointment for next Sunday and it is hoped the young people will take charge after which Rev. Mr. Smalley advises that he will be free to resume the work if necessary.

### Altona

Reeve Wm. Reesor is attending County Council at Whitby.

Mr. Gerald Pointon spent Sunday at O. M. Madill's.

Mr. Walter Slack now training at Newmarket visited at David Crozier's, also Mr. and Mrs. William Malloy of Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Thompson and family spent Sunday at F. Cartiers at Brougham.

Glad to report Mrs. Millard Reesor is able to come home from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson of Stouffville visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Pallister.

You can't beat the youth of Altona when Mr. H. McIntosh and Mr. F. Raymer spent part of Saturday morning sleigh-riding on the hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bunker and family of Newmarket spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. N. Bunker.

The Study Group met at Mrs. G. Thompson's home on Monday evening with a splendid attendance, even if it was cold. Mrs. Wm. Slack convener made a few brief remarks, then Jim Harris acted as chairman for the evening, the following program was presented. A paper by Edna Foskett, "The House of Windsor" a brief story of the Royal Family—A Humorous reading by Mrs. A. Fuller; A Treasure Trail when Mrs. Harris won the pot of beans. Paper—Gordon Bolender, a brief outline of the "Growth of our Empire." Vocal solos by Mr. Curtis, music supervisor of the schools. A paper by Mrs. Harris, a brief sketch of "Nellie McClung's Life; Community Singing led by Mr. Curtis; Ladies and men's stunts; A reading by Mrs. William Slack, "Sunshine and Awkwardness" when all had a jolly laugh. A contest followed, then a social half-hour.

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## W. H. Moore M.P. Holds Forum for Pickering Farmers

How can Britain afford to pay 90 cents an hour for unskilled labor draining oil from the crankcase of an army truck to be shipped to Africa, when the cry has been raised that she cannot afford to pay any better price for farm produce from this country. Is the question which farmers of Ontario County voiced at an amass meeting held in the Township hall at Brooklin last week.

Farmers of this district want to know how they are going to keep in business in the face of a labor famine brought on by payment of high wages in war industry and with produce prices at low ebb, and last night they besieged W. H. Moore, M.P., for this riding, with questions which he attempted to answer in an open forum session.

In explaining the drop in the price of hogs sold to Great Britain, Mr. Moore had pointed out that Britain must preserve her foreign exchange, and is paying the best prices she is able to pay at the present time. He declared he did not blame Britain for seeking the best prices she could get.

"Why is it then, that man can leave the farm and get 90 cents an hour draining oil from a truck crankcase in war industry," R. Ray McLaughlin demanded.

"How can England afford to pay an outrageous price through a war contract for a thing like that when we are told we cannot expect better prices for agricultural products because she cannot afford to pay it?" he continued.

"That I cannot say," Mr. Moore admitted. "The call was received for tanks and trucks, and we are endeavouring to supply that demand."

Question of Value

Ernie Webber, president of the South Ontario Agricultural Society in supporting Mr. McLaughlin in his argument, stressed that it is not a question of high prices, but one of full value for each dollar expended here.

"Farmers of this country are not unpatriotic in registering a complaint," Mr. Webber asserted. "It is not a question of raising hogs at eight cents a pound; we are willing to do all we can to help Britain. It is purely a question of value for money paid—not a question of what Britain has to pay. If Canada wants to sell hogs to Britain at three cents a pound I say let us do it, but don't make the farmer suffer—give him a fair price for fair value."

Mr. Webber asked for an explanation of his charge that inexperienced carpenter labor was employed at Camp Borden at 90 cents an hour and allowed to prolong the job and hold it back to make the good money last.

"At the present prices a man makes a profit of about a dollar a hog, and a mere boy can go into war work at an Oshawa factory and make that money every 66 minutes he is working," Mr. Webber claimed. "In little more than an hour he gets as much as a man gets for raising and feeding a hog for six months."

Farmer Gets Short End

W. H. Dryden, prominent Ontario County farmer, pointed out that it is a problem for farmers to live under present conditions. He felt it is not altogether due to low

### THOMAS BARNES IN HOSPITAL

Mr. Tom. Barnes who is on the Toronto Star staff as an adv. writer, is in the Isolation Hospital. He was in town one evening last week owing to the death of Miss Sophia Monkhouse, and intended to return here again the next day for the funeral. However, during the night he was stricken, and removed to the hospital, presumably with a contagious disease. Probably Tom will be found to only have the measles and his quick recovery is anticipated.

### 2nd Line Uxbridge

The flu has visited almost every home in the district, but no casualties, we are glad to say.

Congratulations to Shirley McGuchin, Garnet Bacon, Orvan Brethour on their recent birthdays.

Cold, frost, hills and spills, did not prevent a large gathering at Charlie Forsyth's spacious home where everything was in order for the Baxter Merry Makers and the fun that accompanied the evening's entertainment.

They danced until midnight, How the time did fly Then came the lunch For all the bunch

Of course we took up collection For the Telly's War-time fund, Of nickels, dimes and dollars To help them lick the Hun.

prices, but costs of production are up.

"The farmer seems to be pulling on the short end of the whiffletree," Mr. Dryden asserted. "Everything seems to be lopsided."

Mr. Moore pointed out that the general wholesale prices increases has been only 7 1/2 per cent. since war started, while food wholesale prices scale shows an increase of 6 1-10 per cent.

Farmer's Sons not Paid  
"I am glad to see farmers' sons get work in the factories," Mr. (Continued on page 7)

## Lions Club Carnival To Be Outstanding Winter Event

Expected to Better Anything Ever  
Seen on the Local Ice, in the Matter  
of Gayety and Color.

No end of preparations are being made for the Stouffville Lions Club big carnival to be staged in the Arena here on Wednesday night, February 5th. To assure plenty of costumes on the ice, Lions Club members will all be decked out in both patriotic and comic costumes, the two classes in which one may enter.

Lucky number tickets will be handed to everyone, both spectators and skaters entering the rink and these will be good for a lucky draw during the evening. As an added attraction for spectators a broomball match will open the show with the Lionesses facing off against the Lions. There will be skating from 9 to 10.15.

A further feature will be a spectacular horse race on skates. There will be good cash prizes for patriotic and comic costumes, as well as races for girls and boys under 18 years, best couple skating and lucky spot prizes.

This event is being put on by the Lions Club to raise much needed funds to carry on the fine child welfare work which they are doing in the community, much of which is perhaps unknown to the public. Everyone is asked to come along and "lost" the cause, and there'll be plenty of fun whether you are a skater or not.

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## Church Announcements

**BLOOMINGTON, RINGWOOD  
CHRISTIAN CHURCHES**  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941

Bloomington—11 a.m.  
Ringwood—7:00 p.m.  
Rev. W. E. Smalley, will preach  
Come and Worship With Us.

**ST JAMES PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH, STOUFFVILLE**

Rev. T. De Courcy Rayner, Minister  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
9:45 a.m.—Divine Worship  
Subject: "All Things New."  
This message is a continuation of and sequel to the message Mr. Rayner gave in the United Church at the Week of Prayer service. All are welcome.

**SECOND MARKHAM BAPTIST  
CHURCH**

Stanley Medhurst, Pastor  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
9:45 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Worship  
Subject:  
"Giving Him the Pre-eminence"  
The minister's farewell message.  
Wed. 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting

**LEMONVILLE, BALLANTRAE  
UNITED CHURCHES**

Rev. W. S. Irwin, Pastor  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
10 and 11 a.m.—Ballantrae  
2 p.m. and 3 p.m.—Lemonville.  
Thursday, January 23  
8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting at Mr. Jordan's, at Ballantrae.  
"Now we have received, not the spirit of the world," but the Spirit which is of God." —1 Cor. 2:12

**STOUFFVILLE CHRISTIAN  
CHURCH**

R. K. Vickers, Pastor  
Thursday—Ten Talent Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Forsyth, Tenth street.

Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship

**CHURCH HILL**  
2:00 p.m.—Sunday School  
3:00 p.m.—Worship.

**STOUFFVILLE BAPTIST**

Rev. Duncan, Macgregor, Pastor  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
10:00 a.m.—Bible School  
Classes for all ages  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship.  
Subject:  
"Continuing to be Saved"  
Wed. 8:00 p.m.—Prayer Service  
Friday, January 24—The Bible Study Class—Note change in night.  
Come and Worship With Us.

**CHRIST CHURCH, ANGLICAN**

Rev. F. Herman, Rector  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
2:00 p.m.—Evening Prayer  
The Rector will be in charge.

**STOUFFVILLE UNITED  
CHURCH**

L. E. Atkinson, Minister  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
"The Faith That Does Not Fail"  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship:  
"Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress."  
This is the first in a series of three great books. Special singing  
8:15 p.m.—The Young People's brief bright hour.

Tuesday 8 p.m.—The monthly meeting of the Women's Association will be held at the home of Mrs. D. I. Stouffer.

Wednesday, January 29 — The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held, beginning with a supper at 6:30 p.m. Reports of all organizations, also election of officers. Strangers and visitors are always welcomed at these services.

**DICKSON HILL and MT. JOY  
Mennonite Churches**

Rev. P. G. Lehman, Pastor  
**DICKSON'S HILL**  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
Standard Time  
10 a.m.—Mr. Shepherd will preach  
11 a.m.—Bible School.  
10:30 a.m.—Bible School

**MOUNT JOY**  
Daylight Saving Time  
10:30 a.m.—Bible School  
11:30 a.m.—Morning Worship  
8:00 p.m.—Evening Worship  
Mr. Lehman will preach at each service.

NOTE—Plan to attend the Markham Township Sunday School Convention, Thursday all day at Victoria Square.  
You are cordially invited

**STOUFFVILLE MENNONITE  
CHURCH**

Rev. H. Shantz, Pastor  
Sunday, January 26th, 1941  
10:00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.—Divine Worship  
2:30 p.m.—Mongolia S. S.  
7:00 p.m.—Evangelistic  
Mr. J. Shepherd  
7:00 p.m.—Altona.  
Monday evening 8 p.m.—Young Peoples Meeting at Stouffville  
Tuesday evening 8:00 p.m.—Evening classes at Bible School, "Child Study" and "The Work of the Holy Spirit."  
Wednesday evening 8:00 p.m. Song and Bible Study.  
Wednesday evening 8 — Altona Prayer Meeting.  
Thursday evening 8 Stouffville Prayer Meeting.  
Friday evening 8—Atha Prayer meeting

## Specials for This Week

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