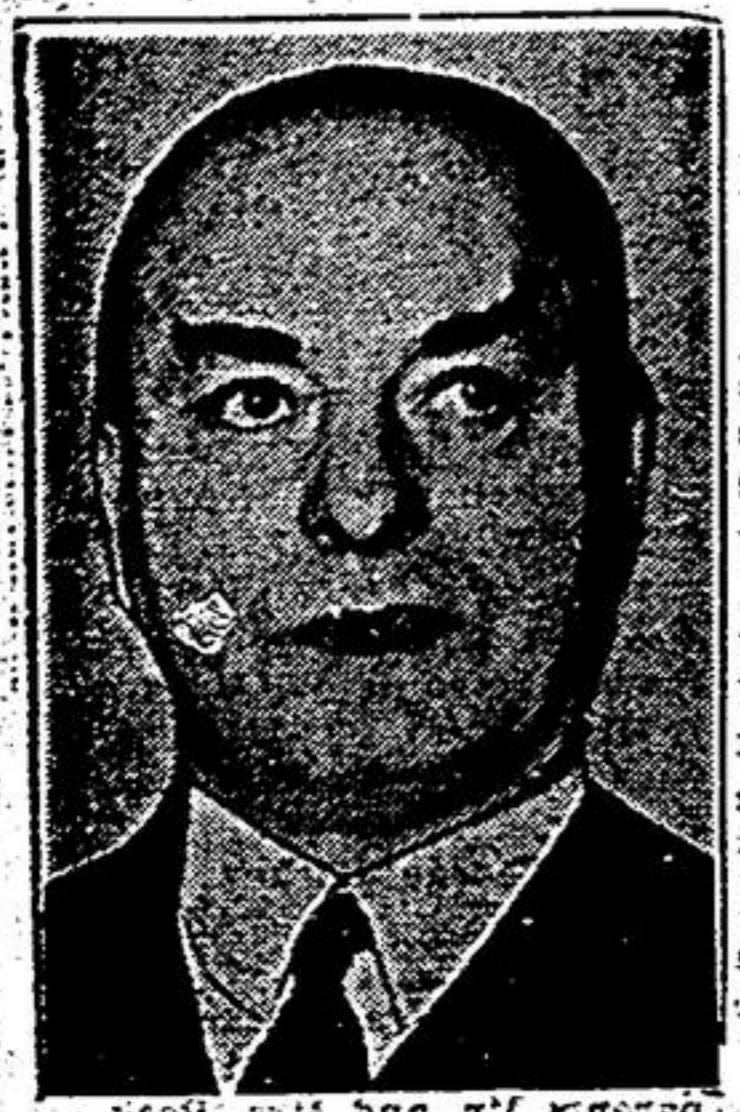


COMMANDS WEST ATLANTIC



A towering British admiral, proud to be flying his flag in a Canadian warship, salutes Canada as a land for shipbuilding and calls on her for "a mighty effort" to help drive the enemy from the seas. Vice-Admiral Sir Charles Kennedy-Purvis, K.C.B., says: "Build more anti-submarine craft, turn them out fast, and operate them; hasten repair of damaged ships, and increase air patrol of the ocean lanes."

RED CROSS NOTES

The Stouffville work-room is open every Thursday afternoon. More workers are needed during the holiday season, as we are being constantly reminded that it will be a disastrous thing if holidays cause a drop in the quantity of Red Cross supplies.

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Local & General News

Notice—Public Library will close for holidays on Saturday, July 19, opening on Tuesday, August 5th.

Iean Gostick, Claremont has been spending a week with her grandmother in town.

Wellington Lehman took a trip over to Schomberg last week. He reports some good hay crops in that region.

Next Saturday being the 12th of July, Orangemen will journey to Mount Albert where North York and North Ontario lodges will hold their annual celebration.

Margaret and Betty Jean Freel are holidaying at Camp Oconto in the Kingston-Ottawa district, while Master Lloyd Freel is staying at Kilcoo in Haliburton for a week or two.

A shower a week will spoil the small potatoes, and that is just what Stouffville has received the past fifteen days. It rained on the last two Mondays, bringing nice showers that have wonderfully helped the gardens that are hard pressed.

Rev. L. E. Atkinson started his career in Uxbridge by preaching four times last Sunday. Due to union services there he took the Presbyterian charge which has a circuit church at Quaker Hill, then he preached in the old Quaker church on the hill in the early morning.

Morley Brown and Harold Morden, local boys, who left three weeks ago on a hitch-hiking trip to the Pacific coast, reached Edmonton on July 3rd, intended to push on to Calgary to see the rodeo show, then will pass over the Rockies on to the coast. Judging by the time made the boys have found the "thumb" method of transport fairly speedy.

The entire household effects belonging to the estate of the late Mrs. John Harris will be sold by auction at the late home on Main street east next Saturday, July 12 beginning at 1:30 o'clock. In addition, the brick house and large lot with a fine garden will be offered subject to reserve bid. Offering well cared for household goods, this sale is likely to attract a good crowd of people.

A Holstein heifer, belonging to York County House of Refuge has recently completed a Canadian record of performance on twice-a-day milking. Al Pryne, formerly of Stouffville and one of the aged men now in the home, will be proud of the fact that he gets his milk from one of the county's herds with such a fine record "bossie" in its stables.

In town a few days last week to while away a few happy hours among the scenes of his childhood was Mr. Ross Fleury of Dearborn, Michigan, who is one of the great army of U.S. citizens to be in Canada at this time. Ross Fleury is a member of a well remembered family of earlier days, and the mere mention of his name brings to mind the thoughts of his very fine mother who sang in the Methodist church choir, and even when a great age she sang here at an old boys' meeting coming from Toronto with the group. Ross' outstanding achievement in a public way was his lacrosse career, he being goal keeper for the Stouffville team the year they won the Ontario championship. Mr. Fleury missed many of the scenes which hang on memory's wall, but he did contact several old friends including a teammate Ed. Pennock. He found both Frank Rao and John Monkhouse sitting tall and fashion, but missed A. C. Burkholder who played lacrosse too, but who is up at Port Carling enjoying the lake breezes. Ross said he recalled one year here as a boy when the berries were so plentiful folks were giving them away to neighbors and friends after picking them. Mr. Fleury was accompanied by a cousin Mr. Harvey Fleury, retired banker, formerly of Aurora and now of Toronto.

A sign on a mail box near Ballantrae, read: Bull dog for sale. Eats anything. Fond of children.

Miss Ethel Goudie has purchased Mrs. Hamilton's house, and lot on Church street south near the park entrance, and intends to make her home there this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Collins were at Filey Beach, Jackson's Point, for several days last week, participating in the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Clark which was celebrated at their cottage there.

Reeve Arthur Weldon continues to make satisfactory progress toward recovery since his serious illness of a month ago. He hopes to be out of bed in a few days now, and so may soon be active again, friends will be glad to learn.

The English Dintthus, or more commonly known in this country as pinks, a new race is being developed here this year by Mr. James McGivern, from seed he procured from the Old Country. Mr. McGivern has thousands of gladioli this year, which he has gone into in a rather big way, and this new flower of the prim class, will be watched with interest.

People in Old Ontario are going to have the French language crammed down their necks whether they want it or not. One half of each page of the unemployment insurance books are printed in French, the lower half in English. It's the boldest effort yet to push in another language, we have seen. The entire book should have been printed in English.

Good summer congregations both morning and evening greeted Rev. Douglas Davis for his introductory services as the new pastor of Stouffville United last Sunday. He aptly reminded the parents that he could fairly accurately appraise their estimation of him as pastor when he became acquainted with the boys and girls because it would reflect through this channel, but he confidently looked forward to a ministry here of great profit as well as pleasure.

When the body of the Toronto young lady was recovered from Musselman's Lake on Thursday of last week, a few moments after she went down, there came a call to the Stouffville fire brigade for the use of a pulmotor, an apparatus for forcing air into the lungs, useful in cases of drowning or persons overcome with smoke. However, the brigade possessed no such equipment and therefore could offer no assistance.

Among the renewals for The Tribune subscriptions received this week to date is one from R. C. Meabry of Dunrea, Man.; Mr. and Mrs. Meabry lived in Stouffville and conducted a nursing home in O'Brien avenue just before leaving here. Living in her native district of Manitoba we presume crops are fine and all is well, with Mrs. Meabry and her husband, as they gave us no news, and the old saying is "no news is good news."

Rev. Douglas Davis told his congregation in the United Church on Sunday at the introductory service that on Monday he would go to Camp Ashunyog, Sibbald's Point Lake Simcoe, where he was camp director for ten days with the Rev. Stanley Osborne as his assistant. Ten days of healthy, wholesome fun for boys under 14 years, is provided by this private camp, the grounds of which have lovely woods with plenty of shade, safe swimming, and where good wholesome meals are provided. Mr. and Mrs. James Ridout, of this town are in charge of the culinary arrangements, which serving nearly three hundred meals a day, is no small contract. Swimming and life saving are taught by instructors of the O.R.E.C. Mr. Davis heads the group of religious instructions.

E. A. Grubin, R.O., Optometrist and Optician, will be at his office in Stouffville on Monday, July 14th.

Miss Doreen Sherman of Toronto is holidaying here with Miss Mae Mowder.

Postmaster Eugene Leavens and his father Mr. M. T. Leavens, were in Bolton on Monday for the funeral of the latter's cousin, the late N. F. Leavens who died there suddenly on Saturday. For long years the deceased had been publisher of the Bolton Enterprise, a position he recently relinquished to one of his two sons. He had been afflicted with a serious heart condition for some years. We regret the passing of Mr. Leavens whom the editor of this paper knew as a very fine man, and one whom the people of Bolton are going to miss.

Mrs. E. Greenshields who lives at 115 Main street, Toronto, was privileged to reach her 77th birthday just recently, and since that time she has been able to leave her bed where she was confined since last January due to a broken hip. However on her birthday this former resident of the 7th concession of Markham was the recipient of many birthday cards, and her appreciation is here sent back to all those old friends who so kindly remembered her. It is now three years or more since Mrs. Greenshields went to live with her son J. Greenshields in the city.

On Friday evening, Mr. Robert Ratcliff and son Howard gave The Tribune a glimpse of the nicest string of bass to be hauled into Stouffville since the season opened two weeks ago. The Ratcliffs did their angling back at Clear Bay which is 26 miles north of Bobcaygeon, and caught forty-eight finny beauties in two days. Twenty-six were accounted for on Thursday when according to Mr. Ratcliff, one could scarcely get his line back in the water fast enough. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ratcliff were also present for the sport, having been holidaying at the Bay for two weeks.

If something could be done to eliminate throwing sticky paper and small candy cartons on the roadway of the village, the main section could be greatly improved. As it is, the walks are fairly littered. Trouble is, even if the authorities or some other body provided receptacles at the corners for depositing rubbish of this kind in, could the children and grown-ups be trained to use them. Some could be, some never would use them. Nowadays with every kind of candy and chocolate bar wrapped in paper, the litter is on the increase.

The Walkerton district takes the cake for having a cow that has played ball or tossed one around more hour per day and night than a Ty Cob. Back in 1936, a cow owned by Joseph Spielmacher of Bentinck township put an end to a children's ball game when it swallowed a sponge rubber ball along with a mouthful of grass. Except for a subsequent bloat, the animal suffered no apparent ill effects from the unusual addition to its diet, and the episode was forgotten. Sunday the cow died, and on opening the stomach Mr. Spielmacher found the long-lost ball, little the worse for spending five years in the bovine digestive system.

A piece of new pavement is being laid on Church street, which reminds us that the Council seems to be coming in for a lot of criticism because of poor places on the sidewalks. Most of these so-called poor places are nothing more than poor workmanship. On that issue the ratepayers have real justification to complain. Too many walks are poorly built, and steps should be taken that will ensure nothing but first class walks being laid. Any other kind is a waste of time, effort and the tax payers money. We are not pointing a finger at anyone, but we do want a better sidewalk built. Fifty per cent of those put down in the last few years are rotten on top. They should have been good for 25 years. The officials know this, yet there is no change. It is possible to build sidewalks by contract with a guarantee for five years. What a lot of money such a guarantee would have saved in the past ten years.

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Markham Council Plans Tax Sale

Ted Williams who is a music pupil of Mrs. H. Barnes was successful in passing his Grade 8 piano with honors.

Mrs. N. Williams and two sons of Toronto are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wilkinson, Church street.

Miss Dorothy Wells of the Bethesda Hospital staff, London, is in town staying on O'Brien Avenue, while visiting her uncles, K. G. and Nathan Tarr.

Mrs. James Mowat and Mrs. McNeely are holidaying with Mrs. Mannah at Woodland Park. The latter's daughter Kathleen McNeely, aged 15, of Charlottetown, P.E.I., won the bronze medal for general proficiency, offered by His Excellency the Governor General of Canada, also 1st for Ethics and 1st for Arithmetic, English and History, also the 1st for Geography.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson, Church street, were in Toronto last week for the wedding of their granddaughter Dorothy Mildred Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman S. Williamson to Lieut. Lloyd Alvin Hales, member of the G.G.H.G. The affair was a lovely evening wedding at Danforth Avenue United Church, which was suitably decked with flowers for the occasion.

Assisting in haying operations on his farm on the 10th concession north of Stouffville last Friday, Wm. Michell suffered possible fractured ribs and head injuries when he fell fifteen feet from a beam in the hay mow. Mr. Michell was standing on the beam attempting to place a sling load of hay as it came along the track. However the bundle swung around with such force that he was carried off its end and landed on his head in the mow below.

TAKES WHITCHURCH SCHOOL
Contrary to a report appearing in Claremont news last week, Miss Isabelle Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fleming, has accepted S.S. No. 8 Whitchurch, located on the 6th concession a couple miles north of Markham townline. It was reported that Miss Fleming had taken in the school just south of Ashburn.

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