

Local and Personal Happenings

ONLY CANADIAN WOMAN



Margaret Littlewood, Scarboro Bluffs, Ont., is the Link trainer instructor at No. 2 Air Observer school Edmonton, Alta. It is believed there is only one other woman in the world presiding over the intricate and accurate ministrations of this amazing electric device which so accurately simulates conditions of actual flight. Strong men emerge perspiring and jittery from this machine which is to aviation what the lie detector is to advanced criminology, but Margaret Littlewood, with one thousand hours to her credit, methodically handles her intricate work with a thoroughness and impartiality that wins the admiration of veteran fliers like her boss, W. R. "Wop" May, who are her daily companions.

The merchants were all glad to observe civic holiday on Monday after the tremendous push of last Saturday, when everybody was called on to do two days store work in one.

A number of citizens made a hasty trip down the 9th the other evening, expecting to assist at a farm fire, but they discovered it was only an alskie stack of straw the farmer was disposing of.

Last Saturday afternoon Baby Danny Bone was introduced to his new home on north Church street, since he arrived there that day from the Brierbush. He's going to like it, we know, with mother and dad, three little sisters and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker.

Mrs. (Dr.) Dale of Newmarket, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Tomlinson, also Mr. and Mrs. John Marriot of Woodstock, called on friends in Stouffville last week. Norman Marriot, is serving in the army, friends will be interested to learn.

Mrs. Jos. Hoover, O'Brien avenue, was removed to the Brierbush Hospital last week in a very weakened condition. Since the old home on the avenue was closed and the memorable auction sale held a few weeks ago, Mrs. Hoover has been living with Mrs. Amos Lehman, neighbor and life-long friend.

"I feel even younger," said Mr. E. R. Good of the Brierbush when asked about how it felt to be a granddad twice in about two days. A son was born to his daughter, Mrs. Gor. Hall, Toronto, on July 23, and a son to his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edward Good, as recorded in the birth column in this issue. It is interesting to note that both mothers were born on the same day, which all reminds us that events take some odd turns.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY,
AUGUST 12—13—14
"CASABLANCA"

Rev. and Mrs. H. Shantz are holidaying at the Canadian Keswick Conference for a couple of weeks.

Miss Isabelle Robinson of Toronto, was a weekend visitor with her cousin here, Mrs. Chas. Nolan.

Mrs. J. H. Silverthorn and Joyce, have gone to Orchard Beach for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Williamson, were weekend visitors here with his mother, Mrs. Frank Williamson, Church St.

Mrs. Stevens, O'Brien Ave. is holidaying near Fenelon Falls for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Malloy were in Weston for several days holidays last week with their son, Lambert, who is a school teacher at Leaside, and who is occupied during the summer months at Woolworth's Ltd.

A field of thistles just west of town near Ringwood invite the attention of the weed inspector. In fairness to others in the neighborhood such a situation should not be ignored even in these busy days and shortage of farm labor.

Several car loads of the United Church young people motored to Lake Simcoe on Sunday, to enjoy the day with Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Davis, who are holidaying there.

Evelyn Shantz, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Shantz, Blanche Hoover, daughter of the township clerk in Markham township, and Betty Farmer, daughter of the auctioneer, are in camp at Keswick, a jolly party no doubt. The girls assist as table help.

Now a Major
Dr. Neil Smith, popular young Stouffville dentist, who went overseas with the Dental Corps over two years ago, has been promoted to the rank of Major, according to word reaching friends in Stouffville. Neil has been married since going to England, and folks are looking forward to the time when the couple will return to Stouffville to make their home.

Now in Jamaica
Harold Cook, big popular first-baseman with Stouffville's hardball nine of a few seasons ago, who was called to the armed forces after holding a position in John Inglis for some time, has been stationed in Jamaica. "Cookie's" unit was posted to the southern isle, to replace the Argylls, who returned last month.

A picnic group that were unable to get water at the park on Thursday certainly were entitled to register a protest. The council or the park commission had neglected to have the water turned on at the grounds tap for the convenience of the public, and now it is learned that the pipe was burst last winter, hence the water cannot be turned on until repairs are made. It is really the responsibility of the Park Commission to see that such service is rendered. If they are to maintain the park in anything like a picnic centre.

A sale bill was printed in the office of The Tribune last week for the disposal of the household effects and residence of the late Annie S. Curtis at Milford Bay. Mrs. Curtis was quite well known around Stouffville. She died last spring while her husband the late Peter Curtis passed away just a year ago. Members of the Curtis family around Stouffville are very familiar with the fine old home at Milford Bay. Mrs. Graham, Vandorf, mother-in-law of the township clerk Jack Crawford, is a sister and executrix of the estate.

Pictures and Letters Wanted
The Tribune is still anxious to obtain photos and letters of local men in the armed forces. There are a number of men who have joined the forces recently from Stouffville from whom we are most anxious to obtain pictures. Our gallery of soldiers, sailors and airmen is nearing the hundred mark, and we do not wish to miss anyone. Interesting items of news from boys, now overseas are most acceptable.

Last Saturday evening's crowd in town was believed to have been the peak crowd of the season. Certainly, it reached the saturation point. Almost every side street in the place and vacant lots were used for parking. At the bottle neck between O'Brien avenue and the C.N.R. tracks one unthinking truck owner parked his truck and caused endless trouble all evening, or until the owner left for home. The town constable couldn't leave the centre business section for a minute, otherwise someone would cause a blockade, and hence could not readily do anything about the truck that had been left in the bottleneck. It has been suggested that the town should have a bylaw forbidding or limiting truck parking on Main street to one hour. This would mean that truck owners would find parking space on side streets so that the main avenue of traffic could be kept free.

Mrs. Walter Lee and family were visitors on Sunday with Mrs. H. Lee, Church St.

Mr. Alfred Abrey of Meaford, is visiting his friend Mr. J. S. Holmes of "Beth-Eden". In 1931 Mr. Abrey and Mr. Holmes took a trip to England together, both having relatives there.

Mrs. W.H. Shaw, Miss Lucy Waters, Mrs. Robt. Leslie and Betty and Miss Helen Nicely, motored to Owen Sound on Civic Holiday. Mrs. Leslie and Betty remained there to spend a week's holiday while the other members of the party returned home the same evening.

Miss Nora Stapleton has returned from a delightful holiday at Orchard Beach. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobbs, Toronto, and Rev. F. E. and Mrs. Hyde from West Milton, Ohio. Mr. Hyde was a former Christian Church pastor here.

Miss Marjorie Rayner, Toronto, and Mrs. Cameron Adams and little son Johnnie, are here from Hamilton, visiting Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Love. Capt. Adams who has been holidaying here returned to Hamilton to resume his duties with the Canadian Dental Corps

Christening Ceremony
Baby Carol Anne Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston of Hamilton, was christened at the afternoon service in Christ Church (Anglican) by Rev. F. Herman. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Johnston (C.N.R.) and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foote.
The Godfather of the little Miss is W. R. Johnston, and the Godmother in Miss Grace Foote.

Employees Hold Picnic
Employees of the Stouffville Machine & Tool Works held a picnic at Appleton's Park, Musselman's Lake, on Saturday afternoon which was attended by between 40 and 50 men, women and children, employees and their families. Games and sports were indulged in all afternoon, and every youngest on the grounds was treated royally, all winning prizes. E. S. Barkey and Eileen Lewis won the two \$5 war saving certificates offered by the firm as prizes on the draw. It was a more tired group that wended its way home in the early evening, than was ever seen trailing from the Machine & Tool Works after a heavy days work. Tired, but contented and happy.
Miss Eva Hoover received the thanks of all present, as well as the firm itself for the splendid work she accomplished in organizing the whole affair, and we have been asked to pass on a vote of thanks in this public way to Miss Hoover.

Enough Twine, but No More



Better tie a string around your finger to remind yourself to go easy on twine and rope. There's enough binder twine to tie up this year's crop—that is, if the crop is normal—but it must be used sparingly on the farms if there's to be enough to provide for emergency demands.
Trouble is the shortage of hard fibre, according to the Department of Munitions and Supply. In peacetime, binder twine was made from Java and African hard fibres. Today, the limited supply of these best quality fibres is being reserved for the Navy and ocean going Merchant Marine.

Miss Ruth Curtis, who is now located in Toronto, is in town on holidays visiting relatives and friends

Women, we hear, are wondering how much darning it would save if they could paint socks on their husbands.

Miss Mary Baker (daughter of Mr. Morgan Baker) and a group of girls from west of town are enjoying a holiday this week at the lakeside cottage of Mr. Hugh Bannerman on Big Cedar Point, Lake Simcoe, south of Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schreiber and family of Ayr, Ont., were in town for a day or two visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Shantz. The visitors were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barker and daughter of Kitchener.

Speeding through Stouffville has been noticeably less this summer, still a few get caught, and several were hailed into court by Constable Rusnell last week, who laid charges against a number travelling over the 30 mile limit. Why not take it easy, and avoid court fines?

Mr. Ed. Penneck who has been confined to his home for several years has not been able to enjoy his accustomed place on the veranda the past week, since he has not been able to hold onto his already precarious health.

War Branch Notice
We acknowledge the gift of \$5.00 from Mrs. McCullough; quilts and clothing from the 9th line ladies, and a box of clothing from Mrs. Rowe on the 5th con.

Red Cross Notes
Several groups of willing workers have been quilting in the local sewing room during the past few weeks. We also thank the Ringwood Excelsior Class for a quilt donated this week.—Mrs. Roy Grove.

They Manned the Polls
The polling booths in Stouffville for the Provincial election held yesterday were located in the former jewelry store in the Grubin block and in the former Bank of Nova Scotia building. Both places are splendidly located. There were two booths in each place, the bank block polls were manned by W. R. Sanders, (photographer) D.R.O. and John S. Dougherty, poll clerk; Wm. Griffiths, D.R.O. and Lud Hoover, poll clerk; on the south side in the Grubin block N. M. MacLean and Morley Barker were the two deputy returning officers, while their poll clerks were Willis Widdifield and C. Cadieux.

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INDUCT NEW PASTOR AT AGINCOURT CHURCH

At a special service, conducted by Rev. Levi Atkinson, Uxbridge, Rev. James Terry, formerly of Courtright, was inducted as pastor of Knox United Church, Agincourt, last week. Rev. C. B. Dawson, D.D., of Simpson Avenue Church, Toronto, preached and Rev. Geo. H. Dix, of Washington United Church, gave the charge to the minister and congregation. At the reception which followed, Rev. Roland Hill, rector of St. Timothy's Anglican Church, and Ernest Root, of Woodbridge, spoke briefly and a program of music was enjoyed. A large congregation attended.

PROMINENT SUNDERLAND BASEBALL FIGURE NOW IN THE SICILY CAMPAIGN

Major G. A. Welsh, prominent figure with the Sunderland hardball nine a few seasons ago, is in Sicily with an anti-tank brigade. Major Welsh was a former postmaster in the northern village before going overseas, and will be well remembered as a familiar figure on the bench when Stouffville vs. Sunderland were in their baseball heydays.

The Major was mentioned last week in connection with the part played by the Royal Canadian Engineers in the capture of Leonforte. At dawn Maj. G. A. Welsh arrived on the scene. Welsh is short but as plucky as they come. They say he is one of the best anti-tank battery commanders in the army. They now call him "Tiger" Welsh—a name given by a brigadier. Welsh surveyed the ticklish bridge situation and hustled up some anti-tank guns. His gunners banged 20 rounds into the German pill boxes and positions at "Sticky Corner" and finished off the opposition there.

Lt. Ed. Galway, of Toronto, was supposed to go into Leonforte with a bulldozer and he was standing by the bridge, so he and Welsh went up the road to Sticky Corner with a couple of men. They heard Germans talking over the stone fence and shouted to them to come out. Twenty-one Germans appeared with their hands up. The Nazi prisoners started to move down the road in line when three German mortar bombs exploded at the corner among them. Only three survived, Welsh and Galway were unhurt.

PADRES WENT TOO



Padres jumped from planes on to Sicily along with the paratroopers. Capt. Matthew J. Connelly, Catholic chaplain, is ready to go. Lieut. Geo. Wood, Protestant chaplain, also jumped.

RATIONING TIME TABLE

Coffee or Tea (Green)
Coupons 1 to 12 inclusive now valid
Coupon 13 valid August 19
Valid until declared void
Each good for 8oz. coffee or 2 oz. tea
Sugar (Pink)
Coupons 1 to 12 inclusive now valid
Coupon 13 valid August 19
Valid until declared void
Each good for one pound of sugar
All canning sugar coupons now valid
Butter (Purple)
Coupons 20 and 21 now valid
Expire August 31
Coupons 22 and 23 valid August 5
Expire August 31
Coupons 24 and 25 valid August 19
Expire September 30
Each good for ½ lb. butter
Meat (Buff)
Coupons pairs 8, 9 and 10 now valid
Expire August 30
Coupon pair 11 valid August 5
Expire August 31
Coupon pair 12 valid August 12
Expire August 31
Coupon pair 13 valid August 19
Expire September 30
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