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DAILY BIBLE SCHOOL IN VACATION PERIOD

Advocated Before Rotary Club by Rev. C. S. Buckingham of Ottawa.

Addressing the Kingston Rotary Club at the noon-day luncheon in the British-American hotel on Friday, Rev. C. S. Buckingham, Ottawa, made a strong appeal for the establishment in Kingston of a Daily Vacation Bible School. The Ottawa Rotary Club is supporting a similar school and the speaker asked that the Kingston club take the matter up. A committee was appointed to give the proposition consideration. The president, Leman A. Guild, presided, and there was a good attendance of members.

Rev. Mr. Buckingham pointed out the aim of the bible school which is to promote the welfare of children of all ages, irrespective of race or creed or sex, for a period of six weeks during the summer holidays, by giving them competent leaders and teachers in practical Bible stories, good music, industrial art and in organized play. And with the results set out as follows: Takes the children off the streets; keeps them out of mischief; improves their morals; makes them happy; relieves the mothers of anxiety, and above all, makes them better citizens.

The speaker declared that the children were the world's greatest asset. Dr. Wilfrid Grenfell, in carrying out his work in Labrador, had found that in order to save the people he must first save the babies. And here in Ontario we have found that in order to save humanity we must save the children. The vacation bible schools were held during the vacation period of the other schools.

Rev. Mr. Buckingham related many interesting stories of the good results accomplished through the bible schools and after telling his stories asked the question: "Is not this worth while?" Do you know of anything better that will help make Canada a righteous and peace-loving country?

The schools had a great influence upon the children and tended towards righteousness and peace in the hearts of the children.

"The Rotary Club has a wonderful motto—'Service Above Self'—He profits most who serves best. And I know of no better investment for the club than to establish one of these bible schools."

The children attending the bible schools salute the flag daily and in saluting the flag say, "I pledge allegiance to the flag and to the empire for which it stands; one nation, indivisible with peace, welfare and good government for all."

Rotarian Rev. J. S. LaFlair moved the vote of thanks to the speaker and in doing so stated that the address of the speaker would bring to the members memories of the boyhood days and how their vacation was spent. It was important during the vacation period to keep the boys from evil companionship and bad habits. During vacation time it was a good thing to have the boys acquiring or doing and engaged in something worth while. Rotarian LaFlair stated that the speaker had put forth his subject in a lucid and enlightening manner.

The president stated that he regarded the matter as a most important one and for this reason felt that it should go to a committee for a report. He appointed a special committee, consisting of Rotarian LaFlair as chairman, Harry Breathwaite and C. S. Anglin, to consider the question of establishing a school in Kingston and report back at the next meeting.

The club received a letter from Miss Lovick, school nurse, in which she told of the good work accomplished by children who had been fitted out with glasses at the expense of the club.

The president also had another very pleasing report to make to the members, to the effect that out of thirty-five clubs, the local Kingston club stands second as regards attendance. The members are now out to take the top rung of the ladder. Guests introduced at Friday's luncheon included G. E. Wightman, "Syl" Grace, Ottawa, a former member of the club; Dr. J. T. Davis, H. Edgar and Mr. Raymond, Montreal.

Special mention is due the singing at Friday's luncheon. Rotarian Harold Singleton was at the piano and it was wonderful the way the members put over the various club songs. The club is going strong as

regards attendance and enthusiasm in the work.

Rotarian "Al" Davis is in New York having "the time of his life." Last week he attended the luncheon of the Rotary clubs in New York and was also present at the club's luncheon on Thursday of this week, when he was presented with a flag for the Kingston Club.

Rotarian Rex Snelgrove is keeping up his attendance. He is still at St. Catharines and attends the luncheons of the club there every week. He was the speaker at the club luncheon this week and as per usual gave the members one of his breezy orations. Rex and his stock company are doing well in St. Catharines. The company has been playing to capacity every night since they opened on Jan. 31st. The company intends staying in St. Catharines until the end of the theatrical season, May 3rd.

The Fun Shop

By MAXSON FOXHALL JIMMEL

But Hearts Were Trumped! See them seated at the table, Jessie, Marshall, Mac, and Mabel, playing bridge as best they're able, Holding hands!

Just while Marshall's busy dealing The table overturns revealing Mac and Jessie, with much feeling, Holding hands!

Write! Three little kiddies, Marshall, Rodney, and Marilyn, were discussing the girls the two boys were to escort to a party, reports Marlon Woods.

Instead of giving the full name, Rodney thought it would be smarter to mention only the initials. "Oh, I'm taking M. M.," he observed nonchalantly.

"I don't know who my girl is," replied Marshall, "but her initials are 'R.S.V.P.'"

Dead men tell no tales, but they leave a lot of anecdotes after them.

War's Aftermath. "Kain't you eat jes' a 'I'll bit mo'?" "I neveh has et plenty. I was bawn un-et an' I've been 'at way evah since. I kin always eat mo'."

"How come you so skinny?" "Wah Mistry. All I et fo' two yehs in France was govment rashes. Day wasn't fillin'. I et m' seyf down to boy-size pants de fust yeh. Sec'on yeh deh lets me run wild 'cause dey couldn't find no un-fawn small enough."

The Absent Present. Marjorie came home, after the first day in school, crying as if her heart would break. Her mother, reports Mrs. Arthur Messing, seriously inquired as to the cause of Marjorie's sorrow.

"Teacher promised me a present but she didn't give me any," sobbed Marjorie.

"Teacher promised you a present!" said mother. "That's funny. First time I ever heard of such a thing. How did she happen to promise you a present?"

"Well," replied Marjorie, "teacher was giving out seats and she called me and said: 'Miss Marjorie, you sit here for the present.'"



The Tortoise and the Hair. OUR OWN BOOK REVUE DEPARTMENT

Darwin's Origin of Species. The birds in the air, the fish in the sea. Just a couple of limbs in our family tree.

The Rubaiyat. A Persian leans against a tree And drinks and talks philosophy.

Robinson Crusoe. A guy. A desert isle. What's wrong? He didn't take ten books along.

The Ancient Mariner. A salt, he buttoholes a guest. And gets his troubles off his chest. Howard Diets.

Readers are requested to contribute. All humor, epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, burlesques, satires, and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for at from \$1.00 to \$10.00 per contribution; from \$10.00 to \$100.00 per line for poetry according to the character and value of the contribution; as determined by the Editor of "The Fun Shop."

All manuscripts must be written on one side of the paper only, should bear name of this newspaper, and should be addressed to Fun Shop Headquarters, 110 West 40th Street, New York City.

Following revelations by a criminal, bonds stolen from banks at Foremost, Alta., and Radner, B.C., valued at \$300,000 have been recovered intact in places in British Columbia and Montana.

United States financial assistance to Belgium might take the form of a long-term loan.

BRITISH NAVY USES BRONZE PROPELLERS

Of importance to motor boat builders is the announcement that the British Navy use a particularly high-grade manganese bronze from which propellers are made for their battleships and motor boats.

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Canadian motor boat builders are hoping for an early completion of so important a feature in connection with the manufacture of boats.

GANANOQUE

April 5.—Rev. T. H. H. Hall, Merrickville, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lewis for the past few days.

The Canoe Club held its annual meeting on Monday evening last, and elected the following officers for the coming season: Commodore, Jack Sampson; vice commodore, W. J. Wing; secretary, Dr. Stedman; manager, H. A. McCorney.

House committee—George Funnell, chairman; Jack Hargrave, W. Robinson, Dr. Fraser, W. Dennisson, Dr. Stedman.

Executive committee—S. C. Taylor, G. R. Webb, D. Ford Jones, William Edwards, W. B. Mudie.

Fleet committee—C. S. MacKenzie, Arthur Pullaw, Ross Richardson, Hubert Rogers, Frank Mooney. Storage manager—Thomas Plaids. Miss Theresa Brennan, Hotel Dieu staff, is spending the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Brennan.

James McMillan, Ottawa, joined Mrs. McMillan here, yesterday, and will spend the week-end at the Provincial.

Mrs. P. LeClair has returned after spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. Whitty, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lutz, Mrs. Harold McCorney and Mrs. James McMillan, motored to Kingston yesterday.

"THE CONNECTING FILE"

Royal Canadian Regiment Has Interesting Magazine. In order to keep alive something of that splendid comradeship which distinguished the Canadian Expeditionary Force in the late war, and which tended to relieve some of its more horrible features, the Royal Canadian Regiment is publishing a monthly magazine which has been named "The Connecting File."

Throughout the length and breadth of the dominion there are some 20,000 living former members of this corps with whom it is hoped to establish a definite connection by means of this magazine.

But the Royal Canadian Regiment, the peace time skeleton of the mighty force that did its "bit" towards making the world safe for democracy, is laying plans to keep the old brigade—division numerically—together. And the means adopted by Lieut.-Col. C. H. Hill, D.S.O., commander of the regiment since 1916, and his officers and men, is by means of a regimental publication which they began on an office typewriter three years ago and called it "The Connecting File."

Twenty thousand living citizens of Canada have served in the commissioned or enlisted ranks of The Royal Canadian Regiment, whose headquarters, in peace, are at Wolsely Barracks, London, Ont., with Companies at Halifax, Montreal and Toronto.

Instantly Killed. Havelock, April 5.—Thomas Shearer was instantly killed yesterday afternoon while pruning trees on his farm three miles from here on the Hastings Road.

His son, Gordon, went to the home of Sam Adams to get a ladder and when he returned he found the lifeless body of his father lying under a tree. His neck was broken as a result of the fall. Mr. Shearer leaves one son.

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IN MEMORIAM.

The Late Martha Hutchinson. There passed away, on March 27th, at the general hospital, Brockville, Mrs. Martha Hutchinson, Esq., one of the most highly respected and best beloved residents of that community. She was born at Escott, on March 9th, 1841, her maiden name being Martha Moxley. On Feb. 27th, 1863, she married David Hutchinson who predeceased her thirteen years ago. Five years ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis which left her almost completely helpless, having only the use of her right hand, but her mind was always bright and clear to the very last and she was possessed of a wonderful memory. She bore her illness with christian fortitude and with wonderful cheerfulness and courage.

She was cared for, alternately, in the home of her eldest son, Norman, and when extra care was required in the Brockville General Hospital where she endeavored herself to nurses and patients alike, and where the utmost skill and kindness was displayed. Here she was ever cheered by frequent visits of her children and many friends.

In December last she took a turn for the worse when her daughter, Mrs. Kendrick, Toronto, spent some weeks with her. From this attack she recovered and at the last death came suddenly when her grand-daughter and her sons were with her. She passed peacefully away.

On March 9th she celebrated what proved to be her last birthday; her granddaughter, whose birthday came on the same day, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Norman Hutchinson, were with her. On this occasion she received a shower of post cards from W.M.S. ladies of Athens, of which society she was a life member, and from those of her children who could not be with her. Flowers and messages. Her children mourn a loving mother and the community a kind neighbor and friend.

Surviving is one brother, John Moxley, Escott; five sons, Norman, agriculturist; Joseph in mercantile business in Spalding, Sask.; James, B.S.A., Ft. William; David, reeve of Front of Escott, and George, M.D., Southey, Sask., and two daughters, Mrs. (Rev.) W. J. Cross, Michigan, and Mrs. T. S. Kendrick, Toronto.

The funeral was held from the home of her son, David, to the Methodist church, where an impressive service was held by her pastor, Rev. Mr. Troop. The floral tributes and church full of sorrowing friends testified to the high esteem in which she was held. With the exception of two sons, in the west, all her children were present with many grandchildren.

The remains were laid to rest by loving hands beside those of her husband in Union cemetery. Rev. Mr. Dustin, Lansdowne, assisted in the ceremony.

Erecting a New Building. Bordenwood, April 2.—Making maple syrup is the order of the day. Frank Peterson and family were the guests of Fred Peterson, Sunday last. Gordon Scott and Eliza Haynes, at Elgin Gaylor's, Sunday; Ross Parks and Mrs. Noice and Mr. and Mrs. C. Haynes; Roy Scott called on M. Peterson last evening. Mrs. Noice started for Kingston yesterday, after spending some time with her parents here. Some attended the dance at Fred Peterson's last evening.

Frank Peterson is erecting a new building on his farm. Fred Peterson is building an addition on his house. The roads are in very bad condition on account of such heavy frosts.

Farmers Exempted. Cobourg, April 5.—Farmers residing within the corporation of the town of Cobourg have received from a portion of their taxes. Eleven have received exemption amounting to 2.91 mills, and four have received exemption amounting to 1.13 mills.

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