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A. L. MILLER,
Editor

Nanticoke World Day of Prayer Service

The World Day of Prayer Service was held in the Nanticoke United Church on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Warren Jackson, president of the Anglican W.A. and Mrs. H. K Saunders, president of the W.M.S. of the United Church, in charge of the programme.

Mrs. L. Harris and Mrs. A. C. Saunders gave the Bible Readings and prayers were read by Mrs. I. Evans, Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Lawton, Mrs. Banfield, Mrs. J. Vokes, Jr., and Mrs. Pratten. "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was the solo selected by Mrs. Kenneth Vokes, who was accompanied by Mrs. Harvey Vokes at the organ. Mrs. R. M. Dennis was organist for the service. A devotional address, prepared and read by Mrs. W. R. Hodges, stressed the theme for the day, "In quietness and in confidence shall be your strength" and the quotation from the King's Christmas broadcast "I said to a man who stood at the gate of the year. Give me light that I may tread safely into the unknown; and he replied "go out into the darkness and put your hand into the hand of God. That shall be to you better than light and safer than the known way."

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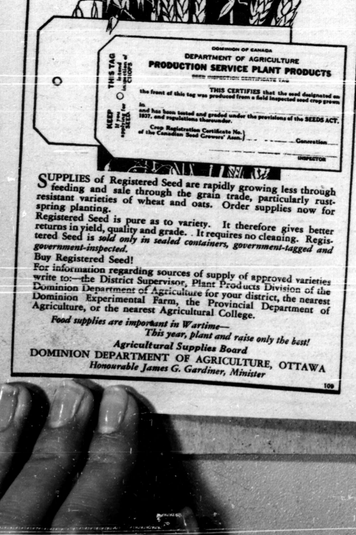

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APPENDICITIS OPERATION

Miss Jean Kindry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Kindry, of Nanticoke, was operated on in St. Joseph's Hospital in Hamilton on Monday for Appendicitis Reports are that she is doing well.

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Wesley United Church News

INTERESTING ADDRESS

Speaking on the "Petroleum Resources of Canada" Mr. George Armstrong gave an interesting address at the Y.P. meeting on Tuesday night. Suggesting that the largest deposits of crude oil in the British Empire are to be found in Canada, he told of how experts were trying to make this available for the British Fleet by the construction of huge pipe lines from the McMurray oil fields in Alberta to the Hudson Boy. Over a hundred billion barrels of oil or enough to fill the world's need for One hundred years are available in this area. In concluding his address, the speaker said that greatthough Canada's resources were, her greatness in the future would be determined by the character of her people and their faithfulness to God

The topic for the meeting was taken by Marion Awde who told of Mission work in India by means of a number of lantern slides. The meeting was in charge of Jack Ball ey and Ileen Faulkner while Stan Greig conducted a business meeting A vote of appreciation to the lunch committee at the Officers Congress was voted.

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"The Resolution that the Womens page of the newspaper is of more benefit to humanity than the sports page will be debated next Tuesday at the regular Y.P. meeting. The topic "Loyalty" will be given by Miss Mitchener.

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Rev. S. B. East to Speak to Board of Trade

The meeting of the Jarvis Board of Trade which was originally scheduled for Tuesday evening, February 13th, and which was postponed until next Tuesday evening, February 20th, in the Town Hall, will be addressed by Rev. S. B. East. understand Mr. East has prepared an address on Finland and will deal with its historical background and conditions as they exist there in this present day. His address is most timely and undoubtedly a large attendance will be present at the meeting in order to hear him.

In addition to this business will be dealt with, and plans will be made for the annual spring banquet.

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RED CROSS DONATIONS

The following donations have been received during the past week by the Jarvis branch of the Red Cross:

Mrs. Geo. Rue $1.00
Sandusk Women's Institute 5.00

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WALPOLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL MEET

Jarvis, Feb. 10. 1940

The Municipal Council of the Township of Walpole met on the above date pursuant to adjournment All members present. Reeve H. W. Parkinson presiding. Minutes of last meeting were read and all correspondence given due attention.

Dennis and Pond — Resolved that the minutes be adopted as read. Carried.

McKenzie and Catherwood — Resolved that Samuel Britton, Geo. E. Pond, Emerson Nie, Bert R. Ionson and Sanford Schweyer be trustees for Cheapside Hall for the year 1940, and that the corporate seal be attached to this resolution to give it the force and effect of a By-law. Carried.

Pond and McKenzie — Resolved that the tax collector's time be extended till next meeting of Council. Carried.

Catherwood and Dennis — Resolved that the following road and general accounts be paid. Carried.

General Accounts

Bert R. Ionson, constabulary services $6.70; Orland Diehl, constabulary service $3.95; The E. Eaton Co. constabulary equipment $18.00; Municipal World, supplies $33.40; Geo. Risdill, error in taxes $3.09; H. E. P. C. Cayuga $6.66; John Henning, balance salary and postage $33.58; J. J Parsons, Registering births, marriages and deaths $22.25; L. M. Porter, care of John Messecar $23.55; Mrs. Haun, care Lloyd Winger $20.00.

Roads & Bridges

January Accounts —

D. Horvatits, chains $37.00; Wm Crawley $4.60; Peter Wilkins $2.50; Norman Stewart $2.50; M. Maxwell $1.50; Roy House $2.50; Roy Weldrick $1.00; Robt. Yule $8.20; Keith Stallwood $7.10; Fletcher Hannah $2 .00; F. Lofthouse $3.00; Ern Sydhol $1.50; Murray Butler $1.60; Wm Smuck $1.60; E. B. Field $6.00; W. Waterbury $75.00; Hagersville Quarries $137.31; Sanford Schweyer $2.00; D. Waterbury $2.00; J. J. Parsons $2.00.

February Accounts —

Township of Woodhouse $62.61; D Ross $4.00; George Stone $2.00; Earl Brown $2.80; S. J. Innes $285.00; Reg Leatherdale $9.25; D. Horvatits $88.91; Kett Bros. $66.94; W Waterbury $75.00; Ralph Phibbs $28.80; Wm. Bray $17.50; Jack Phibbs $1.50; Geo. Vanloon $2.50; Fred Barker $2.20; Art Wood $1.60; Byron Pond $1.75; Charles Cox $2.10; Harold Johnson $1.00; Alex. Bartlett $6.00; Art Hopper $1.00; A. V. Roberts $5.20; Wm. Martin $13.60; Earl Winger $12.00; J. B. McKenzie, stamps $3.00.

Pond and McKenzie — Resolved that we do now adjourn to meet on Saturday, March 16th at Ten o'clock A.M. Carried.

H. W. PARKINSON, Reeve.
J. J. PARSONS, Clerk.

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CLEAN SEED FIRST STEP IN PROFITABLE FARMING

May Be Determining Factor in Success or Failure of Farming Operations, Says J. D. MacLeod, Ontario Department of Agriculture.

The sowing of clean seed is the first step in profitable farming and may easily be a determining factor in the success or failure of farming operations, says J. D. MacLeod, seed expert of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

A definite number of bushels per acre are required in order to pay for the production of the crop. If the total yield per acre is below this amount, a direct loss will be the result. This is true not only of crop production but also of all other industries connected with Agriculture which are more or less dependent on the economical production of field crops.

There are three important factors sowing of clean, well graded seed of

ANGLICAN CHURCH NEWS

RETREAT

On Tuesday, February 13th, a number of the priests of the Niagara Diocese gathered in Christ Church Cathedral, Hamilton, for a retreat. The Very Reverend R. H. Waterman, Dean of the Cathedral was the celebrant at the Holy Eucharist. The Reverend G. N. W. Smith, Rector of Port Maitland, gave the address. A paper was also read by the Reverend A. A. Ireland, Rector of St. John's Church, Thorold.

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MID-WEEK LENTEN SERVICE

At the weekly Lenten service in St. Paul's on Wednesday evenings at 8. P.M. the Rector is taking a hymn each week as the subject of the address. During the Divine Service five of the hymns written by the author of the hymn being studied, are sung.

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REQUIEM

On Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock a requiem was held in St. Paul's Church for the repose of the soul of the late Lord Tweedsmuir, Governor General of Canada.

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THE RETURN TO RELIGION

"Thoughtful people are realizing that the most urgent need of our day is a return to the fundamentals of religion. Our spiritual bankruptcy in a time of world distress — the sense of inadequacy so many of us feel in handling our personal problems — are evidences of soul sickness as well a economic mal-adjustment. It is not the clergy alone who are saying this. Far weightier is the testimony of bankers, statesmen and business men who say that civilization cannot survive without the reinforcement of religion.

Obviously religion is no magic remedy in a few painless doses. It is no easy way out for any of us. The practice of religion involves the same expenditure of time and effort as the cultivation of any great art. Vital religion cannot be had on easy terms with no down payment. It involves sacrificial living and painful effort. No proxies are acceptable. Every man must draw his own breath. Every person must nourish his own soul.

Here is the supreme value of Lent. It sets aside a special season for intensive spiritual cultivation. It harnesses good intentions with definite means of making them effective. Lent is a kind of train dispatcher clearing the tracks for the more serious purposes of the soul.

May God bless us as we enter these weeks of special privilege. To pray more earnestly, to worship more regularly, to think more kindly, to act more generously; above all to recognize and try to conquer our besetting sins, cannot fail to bring us the joy of those who have "fought a good fight." Over all our Lenten efforts let us write this text "Whatsoever ye do, do it heartily as to the Lord !"

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ORIGIN OF LENT

The custom of keeping a fast in preparation for Easter is of very early origin. At first there was great variation in the length of the season. It was not until the end of the sixth century that the present arrangement of the forty days was established. It was Gregory the Great who sent Augustine the monk to England in 596 who fixed the beginning of the season on Ash Wednesday, forty-six days before Easter, thus giving forty days of abstinence by leaving out the Sundays, which are called "in" and not "off" Lent!

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LENTEN PRIVILEGE

There is one Lenten privilege which all of us ought to prize, and that is the opportunity more frequently to receive the Holy Communion. The greatest blessing ever vouchsafed the soul, and the chiefest means of grace which must not be missed. Carefully prepared for, there is no act of worship which will be found more precious, fuller of spiritual comfort, more peaceful, more uplifting. Try it this Lent.

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In crop production — weather conditions over which farmers have no control; soil conditions over which farmers have partial control and the condition of the seed that is sown over which farmers have almost complete control. When one considers this latter fact the folly of sowing poor seed is apparent. Mr. MacLeod states.

Clean seed should be a bright, plump, uniform sample, pure as to variety, free from all foreign matter including seeds of other cultivated crops, diseased grains, small, shrunken grains and weed seeds.

"Ontario has been fortunate in having two good crop years. We do not know what is in store for us in 1940, therefore farmers are urged to make sure that they have their 1940 seeding requirements on hand. Clean and grade a sufficient amount of seed for your own use. Do not leave this important work until your bins are low."

"Do it now." If you have not sufficient or suitable seed of your own, purchase high quality seed from your neighbor, "advise Mr. MacLeod.

When a well-cleaned and graded sample is sown of a recommended variety, one may expect a vigorous and uniform germination, strong plants capable of resisting unfavorable weather conditions and disease, a uniformly ripening crop, harvested with a minimum loss and of the best marketable quality, also cleaner fields, greater yields, higher grades, better prices and more profits.

It is the duty of every farmer to endeavour to increase crop production at the present time. This can and should be accomplished by increasing yields per acre, thereby lowering costs of production rather than by increasing the total acreage under crop. It costs little more to produce a 70 bushel crop of oats than it does a 50 bushel crop. The sowing of clean, well graded seed of a recommended variety will make this possible providing climatic and soil conditions are favorable.

Summarizing SPORTS -BY- B.P.

Probably the most popular sport in Jarvis is Badminton and it is the least published by this department. However, maybe the racket swingers are glad that such is the case. Nevertheless the Jarvis Badminton Club deserves more credit and support than it's getting. Last year the club boasted a membership of close to Fifty players, and this year that number has been shaved only slight ly. So you see it really is a very popular sport in our fair town. No town in this district can boast as many followers as our own club, regardless of its population. So far this season our club has taken par in three tournaments and has been successful in all three, defeating Caledonia, Waterford and Cayuga.

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Besides out of town tournaments, there is plenty of competition on our home court. The players' names are listed on the "ladder" and challenge games are continually played The challenger may play the second man above himself and if he is successful, he changes places on the list Needless to say, the object of the game is to get to the top of the ladder, and the top players in the men's and women's division, usually take part in the tournaments away from home. The ladder idea is a good one and it affords keen competition.

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Renton's annual hockey question crops up again. The old boys, or rather their rejuvenized club, is in the playdowns again. Last Monday night they defeated Burtch Two to nothing and thus hold a nice lead in the goals to count series. By the time this reaches you the Renton boys should have disposed of Burtch and prepared to meet the winner of the Teeterville — Mt. Pleasant series However, if they should suddenly slip they will be out of circulation for another year. These four teams are very evenly balanced and the series should be a hot one.

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The Juvenile hockey schedule has been finally drawn up. Just when other O.H.A. teams are settling down to the play-offs, the Juveniles get started. In our local group we find Hagersville, Simcoe, Caledonia and Woodstock battling for top honours and the right to continue in the O.J. H.A. playdowns. Both Simcoe and Hagersville have strong clubs but Woodstock and Caledonia are still dark horses as far as we are concern ed. This group should enjoy a good season with Woodstock and Hagersville fighting at the bell.

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HALDIMAND ENUMERATORS

Caledonia — 1, James A. McConachie; 2, W. F. Murray.
Canboro — 1, Robert Bartlett; 2, Ervin Harnett; 3, Calvin Smith.
Cayuga Village — 1, Thomas Rhodes.
Cayuga North, Twp. — 1, Ross Best; 2, Eph Nabb; 3, Kenneth Bell; 4, Marshall Murphy; 5, Graham Walker.
Cayuga, South Twp. — Ivan Reichheld; 2, Harry Clark.
Dunnville — 1, Eldon Parkhill; 2, Helena McIndoe; 3, Robert Marshall 4, Wm. McGregor; 5, Ernest Kinney.
Dunn — 1, Fred Newman; 2, Andrew Hanna; 3, George Siddal.
Hagersville — 1, Stanley Buck; 2, Wm. Jones.
Jarvis — 1, Andrew Miller.
Moulton — 1, Herbert Bartlett; 2, Andrew Riley; 3, Roy E. Houser; 4, H. E. Neff; 5, Earl Angle; 6, Bert McAlonam.
Oneida — 1, James McMoran; 2, Edgar Lang; 3, Ralph Long; 4, Gerald Fagan; 5, Emerson Thompson.
Rainham — 1, Norman Hartwick; 2, Wm. Holmes; 3, Grant Drehmer; 4, Alvin Sitter.
Seneca — 1, Harry Kelly; 2, Thomas McSorley; 3, Bert Heart; 4, John Stoneman; 5, Edgar Hyslop.
Sherbrooke — 1, Arthur Clarke.
Walpole — 1, Warren Banfield; 2 Emerson Nie; 3, Earl Marr; 4, Wm Laidlaw; 5, Roy Butler; 6, Clarence Winger; 7, W. H. Cherry; 8, Lloyd Lindsay.

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ALONG THE AIR WAVES

Canada "Carries On" With War Effort

A sound picture of Jack Canuck, with his sleeves rolled up to the immediate undertaking of the CBC's Features Department. On Sunday night, 9.00 to 9.30 P.M., E. S.T., the Toronto studios will inaugurate the new series, "Carry On !" What has to be done and what Canada is doing, will be told in drama tic form. Listeners will follow the doings of Canadians in the First Division overseas and, as never before, will be kept in touch with the prosecution of the war on the Home Front.

The Features Department of the CBC claims that it has one of the broadest canvases that has ever been found in broadcasting, and it is determined to cover it with vital and vivid pictures.

Newsworthy events of the week, march with the dinner pail, the machine gun and the test-tube; in training for the air force, the army and the navy; geared to the greatest production effort of her Nationhood — this is the story of "Carry On !", designed and produced by the CBC as a weekly broadcast service to the National Network.

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Rev. L. D. Brown, B.
Sunday, February 18
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2.30 P.M. — Sunday Sch
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His Friends."
Wednesday, February 21
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8 P.M. — Evensong
Sermon — "One of
Hymns of the Church
10. A.M. — Sunday School
Class.
11.15 A.M. — Matins
Sermon — The Rector
Friday, February 16th —
8. P.M. — Vesper Service
Sermon illustrated with
Slides.
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2.30 P.M. — Afternoon
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News of the Countryside

From The Record's Correspondents

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The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Stanley Lint on Thursday afternoon of this week.

Messrs. Amos Porter, Frank Laidlaw and Harold Porter are attending the Plowmen's convention in Toronto this week.

Mr. Osborne Ebert, our assessor has commenced his work for the year

Several ladies from this church attended the World's Day of Prayer meeting held in the Jarvis United Church on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Blake Sevenpiper, of Rainham, spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Osborne Ebert.

The Hydro line is being extended from No. 6 School House down as far as Mr. Joseph Genery's home.

The Y.P.S. will meet in the church on Thursday night of this week, with Miss Frances Campbell as convener. Miss Edna Awde will give the topic.

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ROCKFORD

The annual day of Prayer held by Christian Women the world over, was observed by the ladies of the congregations of Mount Zion, Salem and Rockford United Churches and Tyrrell Baptist Church at Rockford United Church on Friday afternoon The meeting was conducted by the Presidents of the Missionary societies of the various churches, Mrs. T. Blayney, Mrs. R. Rolfe, Mrs. J. Herron and Mrs. Roy Hall. An appropriate devotional address on "Prayer" was given by Mrs. L. Challwood.

The regular meeting of the Mission and will be held next Sunday after Sunday School.

Miss Martha Kenny was the guest Sunday of Miss Bernice Golding.

Mr. Alex. Thomson, of Hamilton, spent a couple of days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Work and pilot of Simcoe, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Vickerman and Norma, Mrs. Jas. Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Priest, were entertained to tea at the home of Miss Marion and Henry Smith on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. A. Buck spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar French of Mt. Hope. Mrs. Jos. Buck and Mr. Cole returned with them for spending a week there.

Mr. Ralph Golding has purchased the farm of Mr. Frank Hamby.

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HAGERSVILLE

The fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tobicoe was accidently shot on Tuesday when a young brother was handling a gun, which the father had been given and when unloading had mishap one shell. The charge entered through the girls shoulders killing her instantly.

Mrs. Long (nee Martha Teal) and children have returned to the home their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Springvale, from Rutter, northern Ontario. We are sorry to learn they had to enter a sanatorium in the hopes of regaining health.

Mrs. J. W. Courtnage was in Detroit last week attending the funeral of her brother, the late Mr. Hall.

Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Edith Hagersville spent over the week end in Pedonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carver and family of Hamilton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden, Railway street.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Risdill of Hamilton were guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. Risdill's mother, Mrs. Sheldrick.

A number of Rebekahs from Forterford Lodge, motored to Jarvis the 80th anniversary of the sister Rebekahs there. It being the Rebekah Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Senn, spent the past week end with relatives in Burlington and Windsor.

Mrs. Frank Whitford spent over the week end with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Viola Peacock has returned to a visit with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hoover spent over the week end with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. William Kiefer enumerator for Hagersville, is making his annual round.

Rev. N. Pitcher of Toronto, conducted the morning services in the United Church on Sunday in the interest of the Ontario Temperance Federation.

Mr. Chickner has gone to Kingston where she has employment.

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KOHLER

Miss A. and Mary Kline, spent the week in Hamilton visiting their grand mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parkinson of Jarvis, spent last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rauchs.

Quite a number attended the W. M. S. supper at the home of Mrs. Links last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Kohler visited Mr. Trodadale in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Kline and Mary spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Adams in Cayuga.

Mr. Charlie Bilger, of Dunnville, and Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Nafziger, on Friday.

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MARBURG

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McBride and family of Jarvis were guests of Mr. George McBride on Sunday afternoon

Mr. James Rohr returned to his home on Saturday from Beamsville where he has spent the past few weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ernest Drake since his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cruise entertained the Young People of Grace United Church, Port Dover, on Monday evening, February 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mason are now residing on the farm that Mr. B. Mason recently purchased from the late Mrs. C. Welch.

BORN—In Woodhouse, on Monday, February 5th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs Clarence Dixon, a daughter.

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RENTON

The Renton W.I. held their February meeting at the home of Mrs. Dan Burtch on Wednesday last. Plans were made to hold a card and Chinese Checkers party at the Orchard Inn on February 21st.

Mrs. C. McInally had charge of the program which was on Historical Research. Mrs. C. Misner gave an interesting talk on Renton and the events which happened there years ago. Violin selections were given by Mrs. J. Threader after which a contest was held on questions about the W.I. both local and world wide. Mrs. A. McClain gave an interesting demonstration on pressing a man's suit, after which lunch was served to Twenty-four members.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Mitchell entertained the Pedro Club at their home on Wednesday night.

Mrs. L. Ludwig and family have returned to their home in Tillsonburg after spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Otis.

A number from this vicinity attended the Box Social and Dance held at Wiggins Hall on Friday night.

Several from this district attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Hugh Andrews held at her home in Woodhouse on Sunday.

Mr. Jim McBride from Mt. Pleasant, spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chase, of Simcoe, Minerva Viola and Ruby Graham spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Duncan.

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TYRRELL

There was a splendid crowd of young people at the Mount Zion skating rink on Friday evening last when the Women's Association of the Church served lunch in the basement of the Church.

A good delegation from the Y.P. Societies of Mount Zion, Rockford and Salem attended the Haldimand-Norfolk Prechytery Y.P. Officer's Congress held at Wesley United Church, Jarvis, on Wednesday evening, last.

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INEQUALITY CAN BE EASILY RECTIFIED

(Moose Jaw Times)

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics the total consumption of electricity for domestic purposes in Canada in the year 1936 was 1,887,116,000 kilowatt hours, and the revenue received was $38,339,102.00.

In that year the total consumption for domestic purposes in the province of Saskatchewan was 36,004,000 kwh., and in Ontario the total consumption for domestic purposes was 1,098,598,000 kwh. In Saskatchewan the average rate paid by the consumer was 5.14 cents per kw h. and in Ontario 1.61 cents per kwh

The figures supplied by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics disclose that 11 out of every 18 kwh. consumed in Canada for domestic purposes in 1936, or 60 per cent. of the total, was consumed in Ontario. They also disclose that 71 per cent of all domestic consumption of electricity took place in the two provinces of Ontario and Quebec; and also that two per cent. of the total domestic consumption took place in Saskatchewan.

The total revenue in Ontario in 19-36 for electricity used for domestic purposes was $17,716,636, and if the 8 per cent. sales tax is applied to those figures, the tax revenue to the Provincial Government would be $1,420,000, or a levy of 1.288 mills per kwh.

Apply the 8 per cent. sales tax to the total Dominion revenue of $38,339,102 in 1936 and it will be found that it works out at a levy of 1.624 mills per kwh. Ontario, it will be seen, would have a levy appreciably below the average for the whole Dominion.

On the other hand, when the 8 per cent levy is applied to the total revenue from electricity for domestic purposes in Saskatchewan in 1936, it works out at 4.112 mills per kwh. or two and one-half times the average levy for the whole of Canada.

The contention of the Times-Herald has been that the sales tax can be applied to domestic-consumed electricity on a much fairer and more just basis if it were collected on the kilowatt hours consumed rather than on the price paid by the consumer. It has been suggested that a levy of one and a half mills per kwh. would produce approximately the same revenue as the present tax and the burden of the tax would fall with equal weight over the whole of Canada.

The application of one and one-half mills to the total domestic consumption of electricity in Ontario in 1936 would produce approximately $1,647,000, as against $1,420,000 produced by the present method of taxing the amount of the bill.

In Saskatchewan, the application of one and one-half mills to the total domestic consumption of electricity in 1936 would produce a revenue of $54,066, as against a total of $148,143, which results from the 8 per cent. sales tax on the total of the bill as paid by the consumer.

Then, when the one and one-half mill is applied to the total domestic

WITH THE -JARVIS- BOY SCOUTS

On Friday, February 9th, the First Jarvis Troop of Boy Scouts held their regular weekly meeting with fourteen present.

Tenderfoot Bruce Cucksey learned and gave half the Scout Law.

Fred Jacques is all ready to pass his morse code in First Class Scouting.

A lot of the calendar fretwork was finished except the filing and painting of them.

The next meeting will be on Friday at 7.30 P.M. February 16th.

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WITH THE CUBS

Last week after corners and marks were obtained we all journeyed to Mr. E. Miller's for another toboggan party. There were eighteen boys present. Lots of fun was enjoyed until 9.15 when we returned home where hot cocoa and refreshments were provided. A happy time was enjoyed by all. Don't forget next meeting. A very important announcement. Please be on time, same time, same place.

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PRODUCTION KEYNOTE AS FARMERS TO MEET

War-time crop production will be the theme of agricultural annual meetings scheduled for Toronto the week of February 12. The Ontario Crop Improvement Association which now has 30 branches, is sponsoring a seed display during the entire week, while the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair is holding a commercial seed show with prizes. All this activity is being housed in the King Edward Hotel and over 1000 delegates will be present.

Over 300 delegates are expected to attend the annual meeting and convention of the Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies, February 15 and 16, with Class A and B Fairs meeting February 14. These Societies dotted all over the Province are prepared to give leadership in the effort to increase crop production. The delegates will hear addresses on the dairy products situation by V. S Milburn, Secretary Treasurer of the Canadian Dairy Farmers' Federation, while Hon. J. G. Taggart chairman of the Bacon Board, Ottawa, will talk on bacon, and Dr. L. H. Newman, Dominion Cerealist, Ottawa, on field crops. Hon. P. C. Dewan, Ontario Minister of Agriculture and Hon. Mr. Taggart will speak at the banquet.

Women are taking an ever increasing and important part in the work of Agricultural Societies and a two-day program has been outlined for them. Among other matters they will discuss methods" to overcome harmful competition of extensive and so called professional exhibitors.

The Ontario Crop Improvement Association meeting February 14 will have some 300 delegates present to hear the seed situation in Canada discussed by W.T.G. Weiner, seed supply committee, Ottawa. The results of crop testing work and recommendations in Eastern and Western Ontario will be given by Dr. L. H. Newman and Dr. G. P. McRostie. O. A.C. Guelph. James Laughland, O.A.C. will talk on rust resistant varieties. Hon. P. M. Dewan will speak at the banquet. Over 250 members of the Ontario Plowmen's Association will hear an interesting address on "What's New In Farm Machinery and Equipment" by Prof. L. G. Heimpel, Macdonald College, Que bec. "Branch Match Management" is another interesting item on the program. The plowmen meet February 13th.

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Every man feels instinctively that all the beautiful sentiments in the world weigh less than a single lovely action." J. R. Lowell

consumption of electricity in Canada for 1936, the revenue would be $1,830,674; whereas the 8 per cent. sales tax on the total revenue secur ed would give $3,070,000.

By changing the method of applying the tax, the citizens of every province in Canada would pay according to the quantity of electricity they consumed for domestic purposes. It would rectify the great injustice which now exists whereby the citizen of Ontario, where the average rate in 1936 was 1.61 cents per kwh., would not just pay 1.288 mills per kwh., while the citizen of Saskatchewan pays 4.112 mills per kwh.

It would also rectify and remove the excessive penalty imposed upon the citizens who live in Kelliher, Sask., where the rate for electricity for domestic purposes is 25 cents per kwh. The citizens of Kelliher would not be paying 20 times the tax which is paid in Ontario. The citizen of Tuxford 12 miles north of Moose Jaw, served by the Saskatchewan Power Commission, who pays $1.25 per month service charge and $1.30 for ten kilowatt hours of electricity consumed domestically, a total of $2.55, would not be paying on the basis of 20.4 mills, while the citizen of Ontario is levied 1.288 mills per kwh.

There are some who argue that a tax on the average rate would be fairer, and it has to be admitted that it would be; but it would not be as just and equitable as a flat rate tax of one and one-half, or even, for that matter, two mills per kwh consumed.

The inequality of the tax as now levied is further illustrated when it is realized that the consumer in the towns and villages and rural areas in Saskatchewan — Kelliher and Tuxford being examples — is paying more sales tax on his electric bill than the resident of Ontario pays for the electricity he consumes domestically and the tax combined, provided the comparison is made with respect to the same number of kilowatt hours used and paid for.

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RADIO SPOTLIGHT

DIALING WITH DAVE...

According to Bob Emery, the trouble with children's programs are the children themselves. Being in a position to do something about it, however, Bob has made his own juvenile program, Rainbow House, heard over WOR each Sunday morning from Nine to Ten, a four star production that presents good entertainment for the whole family including all the grouches who get asthma at the sign of a child performing.

Today Bob has nearly 150 talented youngsters on his list of performers culled from the best on the continent. Some of these youngsters are budding dramatic artists, others are singers with trained voices — while there are also musicians of school age who novelty turns.

In our humble opinion Rainbow House has been moulded into a show that will appeal to the whole family with the dramatic sketches taken from Bible stories, while some of the choral numbers are quite ambitious-ly-scheduled offerings such as Bach's works. Probably Bob Emery's success with the children has been due to the fact that he deals straight with the children, instead of down to them.

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Waltz Time — featuring Abe Lyman from WEAF over the Red Network of the National Chain on Friday nights at Nine — we think is a top flight music show. With Frank Munn, the capable tenor and the Manhattan Choir. Mr. Lyman's band puts on a program you will like

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A feature that is an outstanding radio achievement is now offered by CKOC in "Thrills From Great Operas" which is heard each Sunday afternoon at 5.15. Under the direction of Frederick Stark this splendid program is an interlude of tense drama blended with favourite arias — all in English. You can enjoy the work of the great masters in operas you may never have heard, in a language yo understand. CKOC rates a salute on this experiment —