

Busy Trenton News

(From our Own Correspondent)

Trenton, July 29.—Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Orrill returned today noon from Toronto where they visited with friends.

Miss Helen Higgins returned to town today having spent her vacation at Port Credit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gifford, who were recently married have returned to town and will reside here, Mr. Gifford being connected with the Chemical Plant.

Mr. Lorne Reynolds was a visitor to Brighton yesterday.

Miss Ollie Smith of the Moisons Bank has returned from camp where she spent the last few weeks at Coneseon beach.

Miss E. Armstrong is at camp at the Coneseon Lake.

Mr. Arnold Post recently returned from overseas was a visitor in town. Young Post is but only 16 years of age and has returned from France after several months with the forces.

Miss Ida May Braniff left for Brockville today to visit with her mother, who resides in that city.

Capt. W. Kent MacNee of Kingston was a visitor in town over the week-end.

Mr. Norman of Picton was a visitor in town yesterday.

Mrs. (Dr.) W. J. Johnson was a visitor with friends to the Lake shore yesterday.

Mrs. C. N. Barclay was a visitor to Belleville yesterday.

Miss Parton has returned from Cobourg.

The Dupre tennis club won fame at Cobourg Saturday in the tennis tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Browne have returned to their summer home at the Point, having visited in Toronto.

PICTON

Mrs. John Terrill and children of Calgary are visiting friends in town. Mrs. E. H. Walker of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mills, Burns Ave.

Mrs. W. G. Nichol of Montreal, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Bristol.

Mr. Jason Tice of Brighton visited his brother, George W. Tice, in Syracuse, last week.

Gunner Joe Ruben spent over Sunday in Picton, returning to Potawaw Camp on Monday.

Mr. W. S. Blakely visited in Toronto last week.

Mrs. Lyman Grover and small son are the guests of her father, Dr. Gilbert White, "The Lodge."

Miss Edith MacLean of the Ottawa Public School staff, is visiting Mrs. A. E. Calnan, Queen street.

Les Foote, an Indian boy of Prescott, was instantly killed by falling out of bed while asleep.

Mr. John Kelly of Newmarket, was in town over Sunday.

Mr. R. T. Williamson spent over the week-end with friends at Tweed.

Rev. A. J. Terrill and family, of Wellington are holidaying at Baptiste, Ont.

Mrs. Thomas Burke, of Utica, N. Y., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Norman.

Rev. P. A. Jourdan of Newtonbrook and Mrs. Jourdan are visiting at the home of Mrs. Graves, East Main street.

Mr. F. A. Way will leave this week for Vancouver, B.C., to take charge of the district as travelling salesman for the J. E. Hall Company of Toronto.

Mrs. T. Rogers, Caravan, Miss Maud Unger, California, and Miss Myrtle Washburn, Fenelon Falls, motored to Picton on Saturday, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Ferris.

Mr. Evan W. Sexsmith, of Vancouver, B.C., is visiting his father, Mr. W. G. Sexsmith, and his sister, Mrs. John Laird.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wilcox and daughter, New York, have arrived in Picton.

Rev. S. J. Shorey and Mrs. Shorey, Port Hope, are enjoying a holiday in Picton.

Miss Beatty and Miss Mather, of Tweed, have been visiting Miss Marion Davis, Elmbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. E. Spencer, Toronto, and Mr. Ray Spencer, spent a few days in town.

Harold Shortt, who is serving with the colors at Toronto, spent a short leave at home.

Mrs. A. B. Ketchum, Ottawa, is spending a few weeks in Prince Edward county.

Lieut. Leonard McFaul, son of Dr. McFaul, of Toronto, and nephew of Mrs. Peter Burr, of Bloomfield, is reported missing. Lieut. McFaul was with the R.F.C. in France.

Mrs. Eberle and two daughters and friend, Miss Hayes, of Erie, Pa., are visiting relatives and friends in the county.

Miss Emily Lewis of Chicago is in town visiting with friends.

Mrs. Morton Murdoch has left town for the summer and will visit with friends.

Mr. Norman Geddes left for Toronto at noon today.

Mr. Leonard Harris of Queen's University was a visitor in town today.

Miss Doris Whittier was a visitor in Belleville yesterday.

Mrs. William Ireland was a visitor at the Point yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith, of Hallowell were visitors in town today.

The many friends of Hugh Farncomb will congratulate him on his success, having completed his training both in England and France in his flying. He has now received orders for the Mediterranean Sea for active service. He has the good wishes of all for further progress and safe return.

Mr. K. Lomas of Winnipeg was in town over the week-end.

Miss Gertrude Ellis of Port Hope has returned home having visited with friends at Trenton and Belleville.

Don't forget the baseball match tomorrow at the Firemen's Park—the Chemical boys are sure some players.

Miss Francis White has returned from Ottawa where she visited with her sister who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evans, of Peterboro are in town visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward White have returned from Rochester, N.Y., where they have visited for the past two weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Combes left for Toronto this morning.

Miss Ethelwyn VanDusen, Kindergarten Director, is in Toronto taking a summer course in vocal music at the University Schools.

Miss Nora Martin who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Martin, Toronto, is now the guest of Miss Mildred Horsey at Cressy.

Mrs. O. K. Palmer, formerly Miss Frankie Dyer, of Des Moines, Iowa, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Pope. Mr. Palmer expects to reach Picton next week for a few days' stay. Mrs. Palmer's eldest son, Frank Dyer Palmer, Corporal 49th Infantry U.S.A., is now on his way overseas.

Dr. Harry M. Murdoch and wife of Winnipeg, who have been visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John MacGillivray, Queen street, also his cousin, Mrs. Clarence M. Way and Mrs. Edith P. Finley, went to Kingston last week enroute to Montreal. Mrs. Clarence M. Way accompanied them to Kingston, where they were the guests of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Jewell, who is in the city for the summer.—Times and Gazette.

MARYSVILLE

The farmers are well on with their haying and report a fairly good crop.

Mr. James Fahey's many friends gave him a pleasant evening on Monday night last, he being home on his last leave.

Mr. Willie Casady and Miss E. Murphy were married at St. Mary's Church on Monday morning last.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Oliver are the proud parents of a 3-lb baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Clark spent Thursday in Napane.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Meagher spent last Sunday with Mr. Meagher's father, Mr. F. McCormick at Kingston.

Miss Nellie Harvey and her niece Miss V. Oliver, of Deseronto, spent last week with her brothers, Messrs. Harvey.

Mr. E. Dafee is helping Mr. W. Joyce in his garden.

Mrs. M. McAlpine was called suddenly to her home at Sarnia on account of the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Langen.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. James Morden in the death of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Exley.

Mrs. Nellie Meagher returned home after spending two months with her brother and sisters at West Brook.

Miss E. Harrison is spending a few days with Miss Rose Fahey.

Mrs. Clifford, of Deseronto, is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. F. O. Sullivan.

Mr. Bernard McGuinnis spent Sunday evening last in Deseronto.

Mrs. E. Dafee and daughter spent Saturday in Deseronto.

As a means of preventing thefts of automobiles some owners are now having their names engraved on the wind shield.

Foxboro Auto Case in Court

J. Bell of Marmora Committed for Trial on Charge of Causing Injury

John Bell, of Marmora, was this morning in Magistrate Mason's police court committed for trial on a charge of having, while in charge of a motor vehicle, by wanton or furious driving, caused actual bodily harm to James C. Dafee at Foxboro on June 27th. Crown Attorney Carnew conducted the examination of witnesses, while Mr. A. Abbott appeared for Mr. Bell. When the charge was read, Mr. Bell did not plead as he desired his case to go before a jury.

Mr. James C. Dafee, of Thurlow, the injured man, told the story of the accident as he knew it. He was coming to Belleville early in the morning of June 27th and turned off to the left side of the road to stop at Ashley's Cheese Factory, not more than half of his carriage being on the gravel road. To Mr. Abbott he said he did not look around while crossing, to see if anybody was coming. "I seldom ever see anybody on the Foxboro road at seven o'clock in the morning. I did not expect to find anyone behind me."

Oliver N. Dafee, son of Mr. Dafee, was at the factory and saw the car coming at a speed which he estimated was at least 25 miles per hour. Bell swung to the left crossing the gravel road, and seeing he could not get on the left swing to the right. The bumper rail struck the rear right wheel and Mr. Dafee, sr., was thrown out a rib being fractured.

Mr. Bell told the witness that he had slowed up and tooted the horn, but Mr. Dafee, jr., did not hear this. The car was going all over the road, Bell not seeming to be able to control it.

Several other witnesses were examined after which the Magistrate committed Mr. Bell for trial. Bell was admitted to bail.

Belleville Horses Raced

Pathseeker Won Named Race, Armadale Took 2:18 Class

Kingston, July 29.—Civic Holiday was celebrated here today by a successful celebration held under the joint auspices of the Army and Navy Veterans and the Gentlemen's Driving Club. The fair grounds were the scene of the celebration, and several thousand people were present to witness the sports, which were of a high class, the chief items on the program being horse races, of which there were three, and a game of baseball.

The first horse race was the named race, and it was won by Pathseeker, owned by H. D. Redpath, of Bloomfield, in three straight heats. Buster Gamble, owned by George Powell, Belleville, was second; Bolnard McKinley, owned by W. H. Eyes, Kingston, was third and Miss Guinette, owned by B. McKay, of Kingston was fourth. In the 2:22 class, Spier Olcott (F. Tracey, Ottawa) took three straight heats, followed by Rex (F. Laroche, Ottawa), second money; Penalty C. (Randall, Kingston), third money, and Blind (D. R. Benson, Belleville) fourth money. Five heats were required to decide the 2:18 class, the heats being as follows:

Armadale, O. Hawkins . . . 3 2 1 1
Dick Biffin, G. Powell . . . 1 2 3 1
Belleville, G. Powell . . . 1 2 3 1
Fred Hal, H. Patterson . . . 3 1 2 3
Kemptville . . . 2 1 4 3

The best time in the race was 2:14 3/4.

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officials of the Refuge and the guests. The recipients cordially thanked their friends, being wholly taken by surprise. After this, they right royally entertained the visitors and all departed regretting that the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson would mean the severance of such happy ties as bound them to Belleville and the county.

Soldier Defends the Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. Chas. Smariz, of Boissevain, Man., who is at present visiting Miss Sisson and other relatives of this city has brought with her a copy of The Boissevain Recorder, that contains some valuable letters in reference to the Y.M.C.A. The first letter is from Mr. E. T. Johnson, son of Hon. James Johnson and is as follows:

Dear Editor,—During my spring canvas with Mr. McDonald in the interests of the Y.M.C.A. I met many subscribers to the fund who cheerfully gave their donation but at the same time, expressed a doubt that the Y.M.C.A. was doing the work in France that they were reported to be doing.

In writing to Gr. Oliver on May 13th I asked him to tell me how he found the Y.M.C.A. in France. Gr. Oliver is a nephew of my mother's and has been in the service nearly three and one half years, and has been two years and eight months in France, receiving his first wound in last November.

I offer this letter in all fairness to the Y.M.C.A. and the public who have every right to know the facts, when they are donating so liberally to the various funds.

Yours very truly,
E. T. Johnson.

Gr. Oliver who replied, is the son of Mrs. Smariz and a nephew of Miss Sisson. He was wounded at the battle of Passchendaele last year.

"I'll tell you Ed., there is nothing better in France than the Y.M.C.A. and the ones that complain of it, well, I think you will find that they did not see much of France, or are 'chronic kickers' the 'Y.M.'s' have canteens all over the back areas where they usually give concerts every night, and the canteens sell things as cheap as they possibly can, cigarettes at tuppence, 'happenny' packages, they are 'pence' 'happenny' over here now. Then in the forward area they have little dugouts where they sell what they can get, and only allow so much to each man, so that as many as possible will be benefited, and give away free hot coffee or cocoa, and if you could see the thousands that get their hot drink every night, you would see it is not a small item. I could keep telling you of what they do, for pages but then it would not give them all the credit that is due them. I would hate to think what it would be without them; the next fellow you hear complain of them, just ask him for me, what more does he expect them to do, ask him just how they could better it. I think that is the opinion of the majority of men, I always took them as a matter of course, until you asked me.

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