

## CROWDS OF PICNICKERS HOLD FORTH AT PARK

Thousands of Children, Old  
and Young, Celebrate  
Dominion Day.

### HAPPY HOLIDAY

Weather Joins In To Make  
Event One To Be Re-  
membered.

It was a glorious day—a day of brilliant sunshine tempered with fresh, cool breezes that put a tang into the air and a zest into sport. For thousands of children, old and young, Dominion Day at Springbank will long be remembered as one of the happiest of holidays.

Varied were the programs, for it was a day of merry-making. Busy committees offered baseball, softball, football, races and novelties to satisfy the whims of all.

All roads, it seemed, led to Springbank, the beautiful. Trolleys closely following each other, were crowded with merry picnickers with bagging hampers of good things to eat. A steady stream of motors made their way to the picturesque spot, and a score of lovely lawns welcomed the thousands of visitors who came for the day.

Picnics were numbered in scores. There were Sunday school picnics, family reunion picnics, railway picnics, where knights of the road and their ladies gathered with the children to laugh and sing and play. There were large picnics and small picnics, picnics that took weeks of preparation and picnics that just naturally happened when old friends got together. Every group was a picnic. Every group was happy.

### ST. JAMES' ANGLICAN.

St. James' Anglican Church annual Sunday School and congregational picnic saw 450 people present. They went home tired out with the happy memories of a wonderful day.

The rector, Rev. W. L. Armitage was a busy man.

C. S. Manning was chairman of the sports committee, and put on a variety of events that won the admiration of all present. Mrs. O. E. Hunt and her band of willing helpers provided two cars for the army of hungry picnickers, and the way the sandwiches disappeared proved appreciation.

Two baseball games were keenly contested. Mr. Gilbert's class defeated Mr. Palmer's class, 7-4, and Mr. Hessel's class defeated Mr. Haller's class 7-4 and won the pennant.

### RACES.

Girls 5 and under—Margery Gregory, Frances Cox, J. Brown. Boys 5 and under—John Prosser, Arthur Newton, Geo. Martin. Girls 6 to 7—Isabel Clew, Ada Cox, Ruby Box.

Boys 5 to 7—Fred Haysom, Frank Kenny, Jack Totten.

Girls 7 to 9—Peggy Appleyard, Lydia Johnson, Edna Johnson.

Boys 7 to 9—John Pretty, Earl Wheatley, Sydney Kennedy.

Girls 9 to 11—Audrey Dace, Barbara Culbert, Shirley Wilson.

Boys 9 to 11—Jack Godder, Douglas Appleyard and Gordon Franks.

Girls 11 to 13—Rebecca Manuel, Eleanor Haysom, Olive Tripp.

Boys 11 to 13—Ben Totten, Sydney Benbow, Gordon Gregory.

Girls 13 and over—Ivy Cottrill, Helen Hallett, Helen Bugler.

Boys 13 and over—V. Vakerill, Charles Ferguson, Charles Evans.

Girls' chum race—Pat Manuel and E. Culbert, Velma Robinson and Olive Tripp.

Boys' three-legged race—Sydney Floyd and Sydney Totten, Douglas and Fred Appleyard.

Girls' peanut race—Harriet Sabine, Daisy Wheatley.

Jockey race—Vernon Franks and F. Totten, Robt. Stevens and C. Evans.

Coat race, mixed—Hilda Carter, Kath McNaughton, Aileen Hallett.

Running broad jump—Charlie Ferguson (16 feet), Bill Franks, F. Wakerill.

Girls' hoop race—T. Bamford, Helen Bugler, Ethel Oliver.

Leap year race—T. Bamford and McNaughton, Mrs. Wood and N. Campbell.

Mother and daughter race—Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. McFee, Mrs. Hodgins.

Father and son race—Mr. Manuel, Mr. Franks.

Ladies' biscuit race—Eva Oatridge, Mrs. Edwards, B. Galloway.

Boys' obstacle—Bill Franks, Fred Wakerill, Jack Mann, Aileen Hallett.

Teachers' skipping—T. Bamford, E. Oliver, Irene Pope.

Men teachers and officers, 75 yards—B. Gilbert, Jack Liddle, Paul Dawson.

Gump race—Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel.

Stout ladies' race—Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. Tinsley.

Ladies' time race—Mrs. Prosser, Mrs. W. Manuel, Mrs. Hodgins and Mrs. Taylor.

Church officials, novelty—Mr. Franks, Mr. Hodgins, Rev. Armitage, Men's Club, chariot race (two flippers and a flapper)—William Arnold and William Chapman, Mr. Totten and Mr. Wakerill.

Officials wives, balloon blowing contest—Helen Armitage, Mrs. Newton, Mary Jenkins.

Oldest married couple—Mr. and Mrs. Page, 38 years married.

Couple with youngest baby on the grounds—Mr. and Mrs. King.

Oldest member on the ground—Mrs. Payne.

### KING STREET CHURCH.

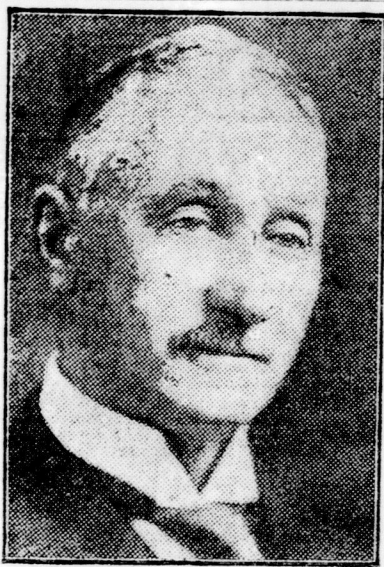
Over 200 members and friends of the congregation of King Street Presbyterian Church held their annual picnic at location 2, just east of the baseball diamond. To say that they had a good time is to put it mildly. They romped through a program of eighteen events that ended with a supper as enthusiastically received as the novelty numbers.

One of the features of the day was a ball game between Chalmers Church and King Street, the former winning by a score of 12 to 8.

Other events were:

Baseball game between married men and single men, resulting in a victory for the benefactors by a score of 4-3.

Boys' race, under 6—Geo. Clark, Girls, under 6—Peggy Sellars,



HON. J. A. ROBB,

acting minister of finance, whose proposal to float a \$300,000,000 loan for Canada met approval yesterday in the House of Commons. Mr. Robb has not decided as yet where the money will be raised.

### CHALMERS CHURCH.

The Chalmers Church picnic committee put on a varied program of 22 events. Every number was keenly contested, and the novelty races created great excitement.

Three softball games were the features of the day. Chalmers Y.P.S. won from King Street with a score of 12 to 8. The Trail Rangers of Chalmers then trimmed Chalmers 16-11. The Ladies' Aid then made the managers bow to their better playing, the ladies winning 10-6.

Results of the races were as follows:

Girls, 5 to 25 yards—Violet Howard, Ruth Standfield, Ruth Kenneth.

Boys, 5 to 9—Frank Francis, Dave McHarg, Harold Scott.

Girls, 7 to 9—30 yards—Margaret Francis, Alma Bell.

Boys, 7 to 9—Fred Legg, Clifford Phillips.

Girls, 9 to 11—50 yards—Donna Dye, Jessie Findlater.

Boys, 9 to 11—Dave Duncan, Kenneth Phillips.

Girls, 11 to 13—May Duncan, Georgina Duncan.

Boys, 11 to 13—Frank Greene, Dave Duncan.

Girls, 13 to 15—Viola Phillips, May Tilly.

Boys, 13 to 15—Roy McDonald, Dave McPherson.

Shoe race, girls 6 to 12—Margaret Standfield, Thelma Timpany.

Shoe race, boys 6 to 12—Fred Legg, Frank Greene.

Chum race, girls only, 8 to 14—Florence Tilly and May Duncan, Olive Purcell and May Tilly.

Three-legged race, boys only, 8 to 14—Roy McDonald and Gordon McPherson, Bob Findlater and Frank Greene.

Young ladies' race—Alice McMurtry, Bertha Bradford.

Arm chair race—Gordon McPherson, Roy McDonald.

Teachers' race—Nita Foster, Room-ent uncan.

Elopement race—John Duncan and Bertha Bradford, Don Donaldson and Robina Duncan.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Standfield, Mrs. E. Dugan, Mrs. McPherson.

Married men's race—Mr. Legg, Mr. May.

Chum race—Bertha Bradford and John Duncan.

Time race—Nita Foster.

### SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL.

Of the throngs at Springbank, there were 150 holiday makers from Southern Congregational Sunday School. A jolly time was spent by these children and their parents and a good list of sports was run off.

Results of the races and games were:

Peanut scramble—Everybody won.

Girls, 6 to 8—C. Riddick, H. Hales, P. Tye-man.

Boys, 6 to 8—R. Fonger, J. Stackhouse, W. Wade.

Girls, 9 to 12—U. Liersch, V. Mote, L. Thompson.

Boys, 9 to 12—G. Fardiman, G. Miller, W. Hawke, W. Fardiman.

Girls, 13 to 15—A. Gillett, M. McNea, H. Liersch.

Boys, 13 to 15—J. Osborne, E. Hill-ton, G. Pease.

Girls' time race—Miss Osborne.

Boys' three-legged race—W. Rud-dock and S. Pease, W. Hawke and W. Fardiman, M. McNea and G. Liersch.

Officers and teachers' relay—E. Wherry, L. Ruddock, H. McFadden.

Throwing baseball, ladies—Alma Green, May McNea, Margaret McNea.

Men's kangaroo race—H. McFadden and W. Mote.

Arm chair race—W. Knoll, P. Anderson, A. Jones.

Consolation race—G. Liersch, R. Ruddock, F. Burke.

Dr. Taylor and H. McFadden were conveners of the race committee.

William Powell and L. R. Anderson were starters; and S. Angles, William Selham and A. Jones were judges.

Mixed teams played softball at 4 o'clock, and following the married men's play at 5 o'clock the picnic supper followed, and another between the single men and the single ladies.

### CANADIAN NATIONAL EXPRESS.

A feature of the big Canadian National picnic was the ball game between the Dominion Express and the Canadian Nationals. The Dominion Express won by a score of 18 to 7.

There were many features at the Dominion Day celebration of the "Knights of the Road," and there was an unusually large attendance. There was an abundance of good things to eat, and everybody had a real good time.

The results of the races were as follows:

Boys' race—Five years and under, J. Woolings, C. Mellish, B. MacKay.

Girls' race—Five years and under, M. Dennis, H. Jennings, M. Cumming-ham.

Boys' race—6 to 8 years, B. Von Dusen, B. N. Cooper, J. McLean.

Boys' race—6 to 8 years, S. Bone, A. Brown, S. McLean.

Boys' race—9 to 11 years, R. Roan-son, J. Cushing, B. N. Cooper.

Boys' race—9 to 11 years, M. Cunningham, M. Murdoch, L. Chapman.

Boys' race—Under 16, G. McWaine, G. Regon, J. Cushing.

Girls' race—Under 16, J. Jennings, E. Roughly, M. Roughly.

Balloon race, ladies—E. Molinshead, Mrs. Cassels, Mrs. Caldwell.

100-yard dash, open—B. Donahue, F. Rodney, B. Lewis.

Collar and tie, open—F. Carroll and Mrs. Van Dusen.

Married men's employees only—H. Harrison, F. McLean, E. Caldwell.

Married ladies, employees' wives.

### TRINITY CHURCH.

Trinity Church was represented by over 100 members and friends, who thoroughly enjoyed their holiday among the shady trees that fringe the Thames. The Rev. J. Hale was present, and had the pleasure of

### Cracker Burns

#### Girl To Death

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, July 1.—A firecracker

shred down the neck of her dress

on May 15 brought death this

afternoon to Ada, the 7-year-old

daughter of Reginald C. Morris.

Death was due to burns.

For six weeks the hospital

nurses and doctors worked to

save the little girl's life.

only—Mrs. Gilman, Mrs. Craig, Mrs.

Cunningham.

Wheelbarrow race—W. Drummond

and Miss Fasher, R. Findlater and

Miss Dennis.

Tug of war—The team captained by

D. Blackall.

Soda biscuit race—R. Findlater

and Miss Duncan.

Single ladies' race—Miss Malla-

shed, Miss Fasher, Miss Metherly.

Three-legged race—J. Duncan and

Miss Bradford.

Softball game—The team captained

by Miss Jennings.

Men over 50 years—W. R. Jones,

R. E. Mellish, D. J. Blackall.

Consolation race—J. Yule, George

Scott, H. Doonan.

Drawing for doll—Evelyn An-

drewe.

### LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Members of the Church of the

Latter Day Saints celebrated Domin-

ion Day at Springbank. They suc-

ceeded in every number, and the west-

end of the park and held races and

sports for everybody.

### HYATT AVENUE CHOR.

On a hill to the east of their scene

of merriment, the members of the

Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church

held their sports and games, fin-

ishing with a daintily-prepared

supper. F. H. Dowling, president; L.

Gourley, secretary, and J. L. Mc-

Alaine, organist, were on hand to see

that every one of the sixty members

and friends present had a real good

time.

### HAMILTON RD. PRESBYTERIAN.

Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church

had a record turnout for the annual

picnic. The many members of that

Sunday school enjoyed a program

that interested everyone, from the

kindergarten children to the elder

folks. Nearly thirty events were on

their program, and when supper was

announced it was given as much at-

tention as the other events of the

day.

Following are the sports results:

Kindergarten girls—Bertha Har-

ker, Ida May Campbell, Jean Tux-

ford.

Kindergarten boys—Gordon Mc-

Donald, Jack Oliver, Fred McDonald.

Girls, 6 to 7 years—Veda Harkness.

Boys, 6 to 7 years—Charlie Hurley,

May Lane, Leo Payne.

Girls, 8 to 9 years—Cora McDougall,

Fanny Mills, Ruth McDonald.

Boys, 8 to 9 years—Tommy Penlar,

Elvin McCallum, Sue Wilson.

Girls, 10 to 12 years—Elsie Coleman,

Helen Scafe, Nora Cannon.

Boys, 10 to 12 years—Willie Hark-

ness, Tom Wilson, Sam Harkness.

Girls, 13 to 15 years—Viola Munro,

Marion Stock, Grace Wilson.

Boys, 13 to 15 years—Eddie Barnes,

George Harkness, Russell.

Mary Henderson, Doris Santo.

Boys, 17 and over—James Russell,

Peter Bell, Melvinder.

Lady teachers' race—Mrs. J. Russell,

Alva Davidson, Ethel Carroll.

Men teachers' and officers' race—

Mr. Cree, Mr. Stein, Mr. Wade.

Coat race, lady and man—Marion

Stock and Peter Bell, Katharine

Stein and Fred Jones.

Balloon race, girls—Doris Winder,

Viola Munro, Tilly Wilson.

Balloon blowing, boys—A. Brock,

Copeland, Ben Butterworth, A. E. Stein.

Boat and shoe race—Sam Wilson,

Frank Teller, Geo. Payne.

Married ladies' race—Mrs. Mills,

Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Tuxford.

Three-legged race—Fred Jones and

Katharine Stein, Jane Hendry and

Miss Henderson.

Needle and thread race—Marion

Stock and Jim Hendry, Katharine

Stein and Mr. Teller.

Married men's race—Fred Jones,

Mr. Scafe, Mr. Keats.

Time race—Mrs. McNabb.

Helm chew contest—Jim Hendry,

Helen Scafe.

Ball throwing contest, girls—Cath-