

Second World War -

Thursday evening, January 31st, 1946, the members of Laskay Women's Institute, sponsored a Welcome Home Banquet for all boys in our neighborhood who went overseas, numbering fourteen.

The hall was tastefully decorated with flags and the colour scheme was carried out in red, white and blue; red and pink carnations on the tables.

Menu

Tomato Juice	
Roast chicken	
Mashed potatoes	Peas, carrots
Salad, pickles	celery, red jelly
Bread - rolls	
Pie	Tarts
Tea	

A short program chaired by Rev. M. Jenkinson of Laskay United Church was done. Misses Mary and Gwen Smith favored us with an instrumental duet. Mrs. Reta Richards and Miss Helen Hunter sang duets. Mrs. Mariel Riddell, favored us with a solo. Mr. Jenkinson proposed the toast to the boys and Kenneth Scott very ably responded.

Another highlight of the evening was the presentation of Initialled wallets containing \$5.00 bills and a written address prepared and read by Mrs. Ruth Finch; wallets were presented by Adella Lawson.

Guests of Honor were Russel Ezard, Murray Ezard, Kenneth Scott, Alvin Clubine, Norman Etheridge and Mrs. Mary Whittle { in absence of her husband in England.