Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births 25c., Marriages 50c. Deaths 50c., Memorial Cards 50c. 10c per line extra for poems.

DIED

McLEAN—At lot 3, con. 10, Erin, on Saturday, March 2, 1918, Duncan McLean, aged 67 years.

BELL—In Acton, on Tuesday, March 5, 1918, Mary H. Easterbrook, widow of the late William Bell, aged 62 years.

MORROW—In Georgetown, on Sunday, February 24th, 1918, Mary Jane Hillis, widow of the late Hugh Morrow, in her 73rd year.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1918

EDITORIAL NOTES

Democracy is rapidly coming into consideration in all walks of life. The Washington Star reports that: "Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt was refused a private car to carry her from New York to Spartanburg, S. C., the other day by the railroad administration. She offered to pay forty ordinary passenger fares for the privilege of an exclusive car, but the railroad administration explained that the railroads in the present emergency cannot afford to devote an entire car to any one person or small party."

Peat apparently cannot be depended on as a substitute for coal next winter, according to the replies of the Ontario Government to a deputation which interviewed them on the subject during the past week. The Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines, however, announced that any municipality willing to undertake the cutting of trees in Algonquin Park under the supervision of government officials, might have the wood free for distribution at the cost of cutting. There is a provision of $100,000 in the Estimates, which will be expended in an investigation into the source of the fuel supply in the Province, with a view to remedying present conditions.

The frank and manly manner in which Premier Hearst met and answered the delegation of several thousand men on Saturday afternoon, who demanded legislation permitting the manufacture of beer with a higher contents of alcohol, was most commendible and statesmanlike. Sir William courageously said to the delegation: "I am not going to shelter myself behind any other Government . . . I must tell you candidly that I do not see my way clear to promise you any change in the statute books." His straightforward refusal to modify the Ontario Temperance Act in the interest of the brewers and their friends won for him an added prestige with the general public.

A bill has been introduced by the Attorney General with the object of preventing the spread of venereal disease. This measure is the outcome of a recent report by Mr. Justice Hodgins on the care of the feeble-minded and the best method of fighting the social scourge. Every hospital receiving aid from the Province may be required to make provision for examination and free treatment of persons suffering from venereal diseases, and it is understood that only duly qualified medical men will be permitted to treat such cases. The expense of treating patients who are unable to pay will fall upon the municipalities. The operation of this act will be watched with deep interest. The principle of compulsion has been introduced. (1) The treatment of persons under arrest suffering from venereal diseases; (2) The examination of persons suspected by local health authorities; and henceforth such diseases will be classified as "contagious."

To our older readers it will seem almost incredible that twenty years have passed since the death of W. H. Storey, the founder of the well-known glove business of W. H. Storey & Son, and Acton's first occupant of the Reeve's chair. But it was on the 6th March, 1898, that this worthy and foremost citizen passed away at the height of his business career, at the age of sixty-one years. Mr. Storey was a man of business enterprise, a municipal leader of prominence, a citizen whose opinion was valued and whose energy was always appreciated. When Acton was incorporated as a civic municipality in 1873 he was unanimously chosen Chief Magistrate, and had associated with him as the first Councillors this quartette of well-remembered and esteemed citizens: John Speight, Asa Hall, Charles T. Hill, and Dr. McGarvin. All of these leaders have long since passed away. Mr. Storey's interest in Acton and the betterment of the community never flagged and he was always willing to sacrifice personal and business interests to serve the town. It was this fact that led to his occupancy of the office of Reeve the last year of his life after twenty-five years given more or less fully to the town of his adoption. The name of W. H. Storey will always be associated with Acton as one of the most useful and highly esteemed citizens who ever called Acton his home.

PROTECT THE OWLS, DON'T SHOOT THEM

Many hundreds of the common barn owl are destroyed each year. Whenever the farmer kills one of them, he is murdering one of his best friends. Great men who have made it their work to study our American birds tell us that the owl is one of the most useful and harmless birds of prey, subsisting almost entirely on noxious vermin, such as ground squirrels, rats, pocket gophers, mice and bats, frogs, small reptiles, grasshoppers and beetles. Only very rarely small birds are caught by them and occasionally a rabbit.

The number of rats, mice and other noxious vermin required by a pair of these owls to feed their family, usually consisting of from five to seven young, is almost incredible and exceeds the capture of a dozen cats for the same period. It has been noticed that when one of the birds has young it will bring a mouse to its nest every twelve to fifteen minutes. One pair of barn owls destroyed 7,000 to 8,000 mice in one year and a half. Any farmer has a fairly correct idea as to how much grain 7,000 mice will consume in the course of a year.

THE SCHOOLS' ROLL OF HONOR

Standing of Pupils at the February Examinations Last Week

The following gives names of pupils in the High and Public Schools here who took honor roll standing at the last examinations.

High School Department

Form III

Class I—Roy Brown, Marguerite Stewart.

Class II—Olive Mowat.

Class III—Mabel Robinson, Violet Smith, Willie Ross.

Form II

Class I—John Waldie, Clara Lantz, Duff Wilson, Jessie Mowat and Laura Macdonald, Ray Agnew, Harold Kennedy, Linton Campbell.

Class II—Bessie Woodhall and Elsie Stewart, Letty Lawrie, Florence Robertson.

Class III—Edna Johnstone and Alice Johnstone, Lloyd Kenney, Neil Gibbons.

Form I

Class I—Max Bell, Willie Stewart.

Class II—Jack Kennedy, Hazel Macdonald, James Talman, Agnes Dobbie.

Class III—Charlie Anderson, Vida Anderson, Harold Wansborough, Charlie Mann, Willie Kaley.

W. H. Stewart, Principal.
P. Z. Baker, Assistant.

Public School Department

Sr. IV—Esther Starkman, 326; Margaret McNabb, 319; Alice James, 315. Total 350.

Jr. IV—Marie Mowat, 372; George Bishop, 271; Stephen Guest, 261. Total 300.
M. Z. Bennett, Teacher.

Sr. III—Neilib Hall, 349; Jean Barber, 347; George Jiggins, 347; Donald Kennedy, 332. Total 490.

Jr. III—Earl Cooper, 319; Erle Lambert, 311; Calvin Wilson, 297. Total 470.
J. M. McLeod, Teacher.

Sr. II—Dora Lambert, 203; Eugene McPherson, 188; Ernest Coles, 185. Total 240.

Jr. II—Jean Orr, 238; Joe Hearst, 207; Olive Cooper, 193. Total 193.
M. H. Fleury, Teacher.

Sr. I—Viola Waller, 192; Russell Weadge, 189; Frank Kelly, 188. Total 200.

Jr. I—Mona Smith, 149; Edna Green, 147; Florence Barr, 125. Total 200.
D. Folster, Teacher.

Sr. Primary, C—Arthur Henderson, Jack Symon, Elvin Gamble and Albert Hall.

B.—Gladys Scarrow, Ethel James and Raymond Lambert, Dorothy McPherson.

A.—Burt Smethurst, Wilma White, Leona Waller.
Olla H. Armstrong, Teacher.

Jr. Primary, Sr. C—D. Ewing, D. Lantz, G. Stewart.

Jr. C.—J. Weadge, J. Atkinson, M. Price, J. Smith.

B.—J. Noble, T. Johnston, J. Cree.

A.—C. Anderson, G. Babcock, M. Lambert.
L. M. Royce, Teacher.

MILITARY NEWS

Pte. Dan Ritchie has already been promoted to be a corporal.

Sergt. Wilfrid Coles was home from Deeew Falls during the week.

Pte. I. B. Wedge was home from Exhibition Camp during the week.

Cadet Ethelred White, of the Royal Flying Corps, Toronto, was home over Sunday.

Pte. Linton Kenney, of the C. A. S. C., Brantford, was home for a brief visit this week.

Gunner Willie Akins, of the 64th Battery, Guelph, spent his week-end leave at the home of his grandfather Postmaster Matthews.

Pte. Frank McPherson, son of Mrs. A. McPherson, Bower Avenue, who is with the forces at Halifax, has been promoted and now wears a corporal's stripes.

Sergt. Ralph Swackhamer was home from Hamilton Camp on last leave this week. After acting for two years as an instructor at various camps he is about to leave for overseas.

A fine portrait of Bugler Bobbie Stewart, taken while on leave at Aberdeen, Scotland, was received by the Free Press last week. Bobbie wrote: "I leave for France in a few days. Best wishes to all."

The names of Wm. Currie, Campbellville, Joseph Woodcock, Acton, and Wm. Walsh, Georgetown, appeared last week in a list of draftees who had been ordered to report on January 23 to the 2nd Battalion, 2nd Ontario Regiment, but had not done so.

The friends of Pte. Robbie Dunbar, of the Forestry Corps, received on Tuesday a letter from him stating that he had gone to France on the 24th January, and is now in training within hearing of the big guns. Before leaving he had a week's leave which he spent with relatives at Leeds.

A letter from Pte. Arthur Watson, of the 164th Batt., written at Witley Camp, England, on the 9th February, says that he had just enjoyed a six-day leave in London. The sights in the metropolitan city were of great interest. Pte. Watson says that while he has seen many great sights in the old country he never would think less of Canada his beloved home. He sends address is N. 663,287 Witley Camp, greetings to all Acton friends. His Surrey, England.

OBITUARY

MRS. WILLIAM BELL

Mrs. William Bell passed peacefully away on Tuesday morning at the home of her son, Mr. Jeremiah Bell, Church Street, after a long illness. Last August Mrs. Bell was operated on in the hospital at Guelph, for some internal ailment. She seemed to improve for a time, but dropsy set in and for many weeks her condition was critical. Mary H. Easterbrook was the daughter of the late George Easterbrook, of Nassagaweya. She was born at the homestead on the Guelph road sixty-two years ago. In 1877 she married William Bell and for nearly forty years they lived happily together in Nassagaweya. Mr. Bell pre-deceased her in August, 1913. Three years ago Mrs. Bell removed to Acton. Her son, who was the only child of the home, had built her a very comfortable home on Knox Avenue, and here she resided until her illness became acute. Mrs. Bell was a woman greatly beloved by all who knew her. She was of sterling Christian character and stood for right things. She was a devoted member of the Presbyterian Church. The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock to Fairview Cemetery.

R. J. KERR'S LIST OF SALES

Tuesday, March 12—John Awrey, 2nd line, Erin, clearing sale of stock and implements.

Wednesday, March 13—John Reid, Mimosa, sale of household furniture and stock.

Friday, March 15—James Green, of Oustic, farm stock.

Monday, March 18—The estate of the late James Talbot, Shiloh, farm stock and implements.

Tuesday, March 19—Robt. Harbour, Hillsburg, farm stock and implements.

Thursday, March 21—Peter Hills, at Churchill, stock and implements.

Wednesday, March 27—Ira B. Vanatter, Erin, clearing sale of shorthorn and high grade cattle, farm stock and implements.

Tuesday, April 9—John H. Reed, at Mimosa, household effects, etc.

For particulars as to sales address.

R. J. KERR,
Telephone 36 Young St., Acton.

HOW TO BE HAPPY

Cultivate the habit of looking on the bright side of every experience, no matter what it is.

Accept cheerfully the place you find yourself in to-day.

Throw your whole soul into your work.

Do as many courtesies as possible for the people you are thrown with every day.

Adopt and maintain a childlike attitude of trust in your God.

Everybody can tell how happy a life they are living by asking themselves one simple question: How do you act back home at the breakfast table?

I used to believe that any one could be happy with plenty of money and automobiles and yachts and so on. But my experience as a physician has cured me of that. I have found the folks of that class usually the most miserable in the world.

Nearly everybody lives one sort of double life; one on dress parade and one back in the home.—Selected.

CLEARING
AUCTION SALE
In the Township of Erin

Clydesdale Horses, Registered Oxford Down Sheep, High Class Cattle, Farm Stock, Implements, Grain, Hay and Roots

The undersigned has received instructions from

ROBERT DARBOUR

lot 21, 6th concession of Erin, two miles south of Hillsburg, to sell by public auction on

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1918

at 1 o'clock sharp:

CLYDESDALE—1 Brown Mare, 9 years, sired by Star of Roses, in foal to Ravenscraig, McKinnon's horse; 1 Bay Mare, 9 years, sired by Baron Elator, in foal to Ravenscraig. These mare are sure breeders having raised a number of prize winners, weight 1,600 lbs; 1 Bay Filly, rising 3 years, sired by Baron Gartely; 1 Bay Filly rising 2 years, sired by Baron Gartely; 1 Bay Filly, rising 1 year, sired by Baron Gartely. These Fillies have three imported crosses and choice quality. Brown Colt, rising 1 year, sired by Baron Gartely; Black Mare, rising 3 years, sire Baron Gartely, eligible be registered; 1 Bay Gelding, rising 5 years, by Baron Gartely, weight about 1,450 lbs.; Gray Mare, 9 years, sired by Scotch Hazel, good single and double.

HARNESS—1 set Team Harness; set Plow Harness; 1 set of Single Harness, number of collars, bells, set of woollen horse blankets, curry combs brushes, etc.

CATTLE—Grey Cow, 7 years, fresh; Grey Cow, 5 years, milking well; Red Cow, due in April; Red Cow, due in May; Black Cow, milking well, bred 2 months; pair of Polled Angus Heifers rising 2 years; pair of Polled Angus Steers, rising 2 years; Red Steer and Heifer, rising 2 years; 3 one year old 1 steer, and 2 Heifers; 4 Calves, one veal Calf; 6 choice thick fat Cattle, weighing from 1,300 to 1,500 lbs. each. This is a good herd of cattle and in first class condition. Registered Oxford Down Sheep; 18 pure bred Oxford Down Ewes of the Tower farm breeding, with pedigrees and bred to E. Barbour's imported ram.

HOGS—Pure bred Berkshire sow, due to farrow last of April; 5 young Berks, 3 months, 2 boars and 3 sows; Young York Sow, due in April; Plymouth Rock Fowl; 50 Pure Plymouth Rock Hens.

IMPLEMENTS—Deering Binder, 6 foot cut; Deering Mower, 5 foot cut; International Seed Drill; International three drum Steel Roller, nearly new; McCormick Steel Sulky Rake; Deering Cultivator, 17 hoe; Adams Wagon with box; Cutter; set Bob sleighs, Top Buggy, new, never used; Adams Hay and Stock Rack combined; Harrison Fanning Mill, with bagger; Gibson Scuffler, new; Cockshutt 2 furrow Plow; 3 Fleury Plows; Double Seated surrey, with top; set of Iron Harrows; set of Scales; Wheelbarrow; Turnip Pulper, Eureka; 2 sets doubletrees and whiffletrees; 2 neck yokes; Potato Scoop, logging chain; 20 grain bags; large Potato Sprayer, new forks, hoes, chains, clevices, etc. Some household effects.

GRAIN—75 bushels of O. A. C. oats, fit for seed; 50 bushels Regenerated Banner Oats, fit for seed; 150 bushels feed Oats; 300 bushels mixed grain; 150 bushels seed Barley, O. A. C.; 100 bushels of Buckwheat; 25 bushels Seed Peas, Golden Vine; 14 tons of Hay; a quantity of turnips.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount 12 months' credit will be given on furnishing approved joint notes, 5 per cent. off for cash. Hay, grain, roots, fowl and fat cattle cash.

No reserve as the farm is sold. Train will be met at Hillsburg C. P. R. morning of sale for parties coming a distance.

R. Bryan, Clerk. R. J. KERR, Auctioneer
Acton, Phone 38

CLEARING OUT
AUCTION SALE

Registered Shorthorn Cattle, Farm Stock and Implements, Seed Barley, Oats and Potatoes Hay Feed, Etc.

The undersigned has been instructed by

IRA B. VANNATTER

R. R. 1, Georgetown, Phone 95 r. 22, to sell by public auction at lot 4, 7th line Erin Township, one mile and a half west of Ballinafad, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1918

at one o'clock the following:

REGISTERED SHORTHORNS — 1 Cow, 11 years, due July 27; Cow, 4 years, due September 21; Cow, 10 years, due May 22; Cow, 3 years, due May 22; Cow, 3 years, fresh January 31. These are all good milkers. Three are registered in R. O. P.; one a three-year old, heating 1,100 lbs. of milk per month. Heifer, 2 years, due September 28; 3 Heifers, 1 year old; 3 Heifer Calves; Bull, 4 years old; Bull, 9 months old; Bull, 6 months old; Bull, 4 months old; Bull, 2 months old. Some good thick ones. Catalogue of Shorthorns sent on request.

GRADES—Cow, 5 years, due June 5; Cow, 5 years, bred January 20; Heifer, 1 year; Heifer Calf; Steer, 14 months, fit for Easter meat.

HOGS—8 Hogs, 6 months, fat; Sow, with litter at foot; 20 Barred Rock Hens; 2 Cockerels.

HORSES—Mare in foal to (imp.) Clyde; Mare, 9 years old, heavy; Horse, 9 years old; Gelding, rising 3 years, heavy. He is well marked, will make a dandy. Filly, rising 2 years; Gelding, rising 2 years; Bay Horse, years old.

IMPLEMENTS—Binder, Frost & Wood; Mower, Frost & Wood; Sulky Rake, Frost & Wood; Disk, 14 plate, Frost & Wood; Hay Loader, International; Side Rake, International; Seed Drill; Cultivator; Roller; Harrows, 12 foot; Harrows, 9 foot; Oliver Riding Plow; Fleury Walking Plow; Two-furrow Plow; Scuffler; Wagon; Bob Sleigh; Buggy; Cutter; Hay and Stock Rack; Gravel Box; Plank for Gravel Box; 2,000 lb. Scales; Milk Scales; Wheelbarrow; Platform for weighing stock; Root Pulper; Fanning Mill; Hand Cutting Box; Silo filling pipes; Hood for blower pipe; Handy Bull Ringer; Bull Halter; Humbug; Ladder; Cross-cut Saw; Crowbar; 2 heavy Logging chains; Pig Crate; Feeding Crate for hens; Plank 2x4, 24 ft.; Hot bed frame and glass complete.

HARNESS—Double set of Driving Harness, solid nickle; Set Team Harness, new; Set Single Harness, good; 4 Collars, long straw; Old Harness; String bells.

SEED, HAY, FEED—40 bags select Seed Potatoes, Irish Cobbler and Green Mountains; 100 bushels O. A. C. 21 Barley; 55 bushels Banner Oats; 15 ton Hay; Bone Chop and Feed. All seed will be put up in good sacks ready to take away day of sale.

TERMS—Nine months credit on approved joint notes. Four per cent. per annum off for cash. Seed, feed, hay, fowl, fat hogs, fat steers, and all sums of $10.00 and under cash.

IRA B. VANNATTER Proprietor
R. R. 1, Georgetown, Phone 95 r 22

R. J. KERR Auctioneer
Acton, Phone 38

MILLINERY OPENINGS

Ladies of Acton and vicinity are cordially invited to inspect our display of SPRING and SUMMER MODELS on

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
March 15 and 16

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ACTON Phone No. 13

MORTGAGE SALE

Of Property at Crewsons Corners

Under and by virtue of the Powers contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1918

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at the

Station Hotel, Acton, by R. M. Milligan, Auctioneer

the following property, all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Esquesing in the County of Halton and known as the Northwest part of Lot Number Thirty-two in the First Concession of the said Township of Esquesing, being that part of the west half of said half Lot lying and situate between the Grand Trunk Railway and the Westerly and Northerly limits of said half lot containing by admeasurement fifty-seven acres be the same more or less, reserving however one acre of the Westerly corner.

On the said property is erected the ordinary farm buildings, consisting of the dwelling house, barn, stable, etc.

Terms—Twenty per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at time of sale. Balance to be paid in thirty days without interest. Property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

A. J. MACKINNON,
Vendor's Solicitor, Acton, Ont.
Dated 1st March, 1918. 36-3

MORTGAGE SALE

Of Property in the Village of Acton

Under and by virtue of the Powers contained in a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction on

SATURDAY, MARCH 23, 1918

at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon at the

Station Hotel, Acton, by R. M. Milligan, Auctioneer

the following property, all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Acton in the County of Halton, being composed of Village Lot No. One on the South side of Mill Street in the said Village, as shown on plan of sub-division of part of the South East half of Lot No. Twenty-eight in the Second Concession of the Township of Esquesing, said plan was made by Herbert J. Bowman, P. L. S. for Adam Cook and duly registered. On the said property is erected a dwelling house and warehouse known as "Caldwell's Implement Shop."

Terms—Ten per cent. of the purchasemoney to be paid down at time of sale. Balance to be paid in thirty days without interest. Property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

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Specials For the Men
At the Big Store

Men's Navy Serge Suits—Just 25 men's navy serge suits in stock Bachelor make sizes 34 to 42 hand tailored No. 1 trimmings, pants with or without cuff, these suits are guaranteed to give satisfaction in every way and the price is right. Special at $18.00

Men's Fancy Worsted Suits—Just 22 of this line of suits in stock in Blues, Brown and Gray mixtures, sizes 34 to 40, hand tailored, everything in this suit is of the very best you can depend on getting good value for your money. Special at $18.00

Men's Odd Pants—We are showing this week some extra good values in men's odd pants, now is your chance to get a pair at a reasonable price. Drop in and look them over, all sizes in stock.

No. 1 Tweed Mixture 4 Pockets and Match Pocket, Good Wearing Pants Special at $2.75

No. 2 Fancy Stripe Worsted Pant With 4 Pockets and Watch Pocket Straps for Belt. Will Give Good Wear Special $2.95

No. 3 Fancy Tweed Pants in Gray and Brown Mixture for Everyday Wear This Line of Pants Cannot be Beat, Special at $3.00

No. 4 Fan[illegible] Pants This Lin[illegible] got Upon the [illegible] Cuff, Sizes 32, [illegible] Give Good W[illegible] Coat and Vest [illegible]

No. 5 Fan[illegible] Pants made [illegible] England Par[illegible] and 42, can [illegible] very best of [illegible] to Give G[illegible] $4.75 pair.

Men's Fla[illegible] $1.50—Thes[illegible] are made u[illegible] English Fl[illegible] stripes only [illegible] at $1.50 ea[illegible]

Men's Ba[illegible] and $2.25 [illegible]

Men's C[illegible]

Men's F[illegible] 45c. and 5[illegible]

A Barg[illegible] doz. in th[illegible] ders, hea[illegible] this suspe[illegible] 50c. our p[illegible] pair for $[illegible]

[illegible]-Stripe Worsted [illegible] for Young Men [illegible]test Style With [illegible]nd 36 only, will [illegible] and Match any [illegible]ecial at $3.75

[illegible]orsted Gray Stripe [illegible]om Good West of [illegible] sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, [illegible]ade any Length the [illegible]mings Guaranteed [illegible] Wear, Special at

[illegible]te Night Shirts for [illegible]nnelette night shirts [illegible] a good quality of [illegible]lette and come in [illegible]s 15, 16, 16½, Special

[illegible]og Overalls at $2.00

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[illegible]ade pants at $1.50

Ribbed Socks at 35c.

Men's Suspenders—5 [illegible] of heavy work suspen[illegible] with leather ends, [illegible] was made to sell for [illegible]day 35c. per pair 3

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SPECIAL FRIDAY & SATURDAY

British Columbia Pink Salmon Steaks, per lb.	22c
Finnan Haddies	18c, 18c, 20c lb
Salmon Trout	22c and 25c lb
FRESH SEA FISH	
Fresh Halibut Steaks	30 lb
Red Sea Salmon Steaks	30 lb
B. C. Pink Salmon Steaks	25 lb
Flounders	12½ lb
Smelts, extras	30 lb
Steak Cod	17 lb
Fresh Cod, Headless, and Dressed	12½ lb
Fresh Haddock, Headless and Dressed	12½ lb
FRESH LAKE FISH	
Western White Fish	22 lb
Headless and Dressed Pike	20 lb
Yellow Pickerel	18 lb
Tullibees, winter caught	12½ lb
Lake Superior Herring	6 for 25c
PICKLED FISH	
Salmon Trout	20 lb
Lake Huron Herring	40 Dz
DRY COD	
Acadia Tablets, boneless	22 Pk.
Skinless Cod	20 lb
Shredded Cod	15 Pk.
SMOKED FISH	
Golden Ciscoes	23 lb
Finn Haddies (choice)	20 lb
Fillets (choice)	25 lb
Kippers, pair	15
Bloaters, each	05

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SPRING WHEAT SEED FOR ONTARIO

The world demand for wheat in 1918 justifies the greatest possible effort towards increased production. The small acreages of Fall Wheat put in last fall will mean increased acreage in Ontario available for Spring Wheat. The Ontario Government is co-operating with the farmers in order to provide seed. It has purchased 50,000 bushels of No. 1 Marquis Spring Wheat Seed through the Seed Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture. More will be purchased if necessary to fill needs.

Distribution—Seed is sold only in 2-bushel bags. Carloads will be placed at certain points in the Province where less than carload orders can be filled, the purchaser paying local freight from such distributing point to his own station. Where Farmers' Clubs or other organizations bring in carload lots, the price at their local stations will be the same as at distributing points.

Where to Buy—Purchases may be made either in the warehouse at the distributing points, or orders may be placed with the nearest District Representative of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, or they may be sent direct by mail to the Markets Branch, Department of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Payment in Cash—Price is $2.74 per bushel at Distributing Points. In all cases, without exception, cash must accompany order. Send remittance by marked check, postal note, post office or express money order made payable to Ontario Department of Agriculture, Markets Branch.

Order Early—In the event of the requirements of the Province being under-estimated, there may not be enough seed to go around. It is advisable in order to insure having their orders filled that purchasers should place orders as soon as possible. All orders are subject to confirmation and will be filled in the order received. As seed is delivered in 2-bushel bags, order should be for even numbers of bushels, and no order for less than 2 bushels can be accepted.

Names of Distributors at local points will be announced later. Distributing points at present decided are: Chatham, London, Woodstock, Hamilton, Brampton, St. Marys, Oshawa, Toronto, Port Hope, Port Perry, Peterboro, Lindsay, Barrie, Orillia, Newmarket, Listowel, Orangeville, Alliston, Durham, Simcoe, Welland, Palgrave, Kemptville, Brantford.

W. F. STRONG
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - BURLINGTON, ONT.
Ontario Department of Agriculture
Markets Branch - Parliament Buildings, Toronto

FARMERS ATTENTION

Make money in your spare time this winter by selling

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What [illegible] Offer You
What we [illegible]ant you to Buy
BIG MON[illegible] IN FARMING

TUES[illegible] MARKET

Wheat	[illegible]2.14
Oats	1.07
Barley	1.70
Hogs	$18-$20
Timothy	$20

Stock and Gr[illegible] Farm of 100 Acres
Frame house 7 room[illegible] and good cellar. Splendid bank barn 60x60. Good pig pen 2[illegible] School 1 lot. Glenwilliams 1½ miles. On part of this farm t[illegible] brick yard owned by Central Pressed Brick and Tile Compa[illegible] siding surveyed into it. Two dump cars, tracking, also C[illegible] will go with the farm at $7,000 for quick sale. $1,500 da[illegible] the balance on a mortgage at 5½%. Here is a little chance [illegible]u to make something worth while out of a stock farm, with [illegible]rd thrown in.

For Sale to [illegible] up Estate—A Bargain
100 acres—Chin[illegible] Township, 93 acres workable, balance bush and pasture, [illegible] orchard, church across road, School ½ mile, Mono Road 1[illegible] Rural mail and phone. 10 acres fall wheat. Fall ploughi[illegible] Soil clay loam, free from stone. Plenty of water, spring an[illegible]ell. Farm nearly level. 10 acres fresh seeding. Solid bric[illegible] 8 rooms. Frame barn 60x36. Frame stable, pig pen, i[illegible] shed. Possession April 1st. Price $6,000.00, $1,500 dow[illegible]ce arranged.

Come Ba[illegible] o Erin for a Bargain
Stock and grain [illegible] 250 acres. ½ mile from Peacock School Erin Village five mi[illegible] acres workable. 2 bank barns, 2 silos, Frame house, 6 roo[illegible]500 cash. Price $8,000, balance arranged.

TOWN LINE FA[illegible] GOOD GRAVEL ROAD BETWEEN HA[illegible] AND PEEL COUNTIES
100 Acre[illegible] Well Situated, Norval 1-2 Miles
All workable. [illegible] orchard. Soil clay loam. Solid brick house, 8 rooms; 3 f[illegible] barns; No. 1, 70x30; No. 2, 60x24; No. 3, 30x40; driving hous[illegible] pen; pig pen. School 3 lots. Good reasons for selling. Go[illegible] be sold at once. Buy now if you want it. Price $7,500, $2,500 [illegible] balance arranged.

FINE STOCK AND [illegible]N FARM—PLENTY WATER FOR STOCK
100 A[illegible]s, Hornby 3-4 Mile
Fine large solid [illegible] house, 9 rooms. 90 acres workable, 2 acres orchard. Soil grave[illegible] loam. Frame barn, No. 1, 38x60; No. 2, 40x67; pig pen 20x30 [illegible] and windmill. School ¾ mile; church 1 mile. Possession Ap[illegible], 1918. Price $7,350, $2,000 cash, balance arranged.

J. A. W[illegible]ILLOUGHBY
Georgetow[illegible] - Ontario

Rein. Advertisements

Knox Church, Acton

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES
Baptist, Presbyterian and Methodist Congregations

SUNDAY

11 a. m.—Rev. R. H. E. Large, B. A., B. D.
7 p. m.—Rev. R. E. Jones.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

2 p. m.—Methodist.
3.15 p. m.—Presbyterian.

WEEK NIGHT

Monday, 8 p. m.—Union meeting of Young People's Societies.
Thursday, 7.30 p. m.—Union prayer and praise service. Union choir practice at 8.15.

A WELCOME FOR ALL

WANTED

A girl for housework and spring cleaning. Apply at once.
MRS. W. C. WALLER,
Box 629, Acton.

SEED SPRING WHEAT FOR SALE

A quantity of good clean spring wheat, Carleton. Yield last year 25 bushels per acre. Will supply at $2.50 per bushel.
R. N. BROWN,
R. R. No. 2, Acton
30-2

WANTED—FARM TO RENT

One hundred acre farm in the vicinity of Acton. Would like possession at once. Write giving particulars as to farm, buildings and rent desired to
CHARLES BRIDGER,
R. R. No. 2, Acton.

INVITATIONS

For weddings, receptions, parties or any other function prepared and printed from clean, new modern type on fine quality papers or cards at reasonable prices at the
FREE PRESS OFFICE,
Acton, Ont.

HOUSE FOR SALE

On Bower Avenue, comfortable six room house, with summer kitchen and woodshed. Abundance of small fruit on property. Lot 66x132 feet, with good sized garden and chicken pen. For terms apply on premises or to
ROBERT SCOTT,
34-tf Box 63, Acton, Ont.

FOR SALE

A complete Ice Cream Outfit. Ten sets tables and chairs (new). Fountain, gas cylinder, gas tube, glassware, ice cream dishes, clock.

Also agency for Neilson's Ice Cream.

WILL SELL AT SNAP

Apply to
D. C. RUSSELL - - ACTON, ONT.

Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of Ada May Barber, late of the Village of Acton in the County of Halton, Married Woman, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Statute in that behalf that all creditors (if any there be) and other persons having claims against the Estate of Ada May Barber, late of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, married woman, who died on or about the twelfth day of December, 1917, are required to send by post prepaid or deliver to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the Administrator of the said estate, on or before the eighteenth day of March, 1918, their names, addresses and full particulars of their claims, duly verified and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, and after the said eighteenth day of March, 1918, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for any part of the said assets to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice.

A. J. MACKINNON,
Solicitor for the Administrator
Dated this 23rd day of February, 1918.

FARM FOR SALE
BY AUCTION
At Crewson's Corners

The Executors of the Estate of the late

MORGAN CREWSON, SR.

have given instructions to the undersigned to sell by public auction, at the Door of the City Hall, Guelph,

SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 1918

at 12 o'clock noon, the Crewson farm at Crewson's Corners, being lot 1, in the first concession of the Township of Erin.

The farm comprises 132 acres, more or less. There is an eight-roomed stone house, with kitchen and woodshed on the premises; also a stone barn, 54x60, with stabling underneath; a frame hay barn with driving shed underneath, a pig pen, and a workshop. There are two acres of orchard, two never failing streams, two rock-drilled wells, never failing. Eighty acres cleared, balance pasture land and bush.

The property is situated at the Village of Crewson's Corners, with store and church convenient, and daily call by rural mail delivery. Three miles from Acton; a mile from the Blue Spring station of the Electric Railway.

TERMS OF SALE—One third of purchase money to be paid in cash at time of sale; balance in twelve months without interest.

JAMES McDONALD, Auctioneer.

NEW WONDERLAND!

FRIDAY, MARCH 8
"BEWARE OF STRANGERS"
Drama. She said, "You made me what I am, now pay," and John Mentor, head of the International Syndicate paid.

SATURDAY, MARCH 9
"The Book Agent," with Geo. Walsh, and Charlie Chaplin in the "Count," in two parts.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12
Episode 12 of "The Fighting Trail," and a Vitagraph feature

FRIDAY, MARCH 15
"Within the Law," a Vitagraph special.

R. L. Gregory

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