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New Advertisements

THE METHODIST CHURCH ACTON

REV. I. M. MOYER, Pastor
Parsonage—Willow St.
MOTHERS' DAY—SUNDAY, MAY 9
11 a. m.—The Minister.
3:30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—The Minister, Special music.

WANTED

Experienced outside salesmen. Apply to PROFIT & DONALD GLOVIS CO., 42-2 Dundas, Ont.

FOR SALE

May, young pigs, fresh raw and half blood. Apply to PROFIT & DONALD GLOVIS CO., 42-2 Dundas, Ont.

FOR SALE

Happy Thought Range, No. 9, an excellent new \$25.00, heating stove. Address HOX 18, Free Press Office.

FOR SALE

New Happy Thought Range, with coal and wood burners. Apply to W. M. JOHNSON, Mill Street.

FOR SALE

3 Buffs; a Happy Thought Range, with coal and wood burners. Apply to I. COLE, Young Street.

FOR SALE

A "Perfect" bicycle, new tires, mud guards, counter, spring seat, convertible handle and tools. Apply to J. B. THOMAS, H. R. No. 3, Acton.

PASTURE WANTED

For twelve head of two-year-old cattle. Must be good pasture with abundance of water. Apply stating terms to P. O. HOX 27, Acton.

HOUSE FOR SALE

Hand-laid brick, best of rooms, good cellar, electric lights. For particulars apply to JOHN THOMAS, H. R. No. 3, Acton.

FOR SALE

New Ford Touring Car, fully equipped, electric lighter and starter, late 1919 model. A bargain for sale. Apply to MRS. GEO. HAVILL, Acton, Ont.

WANTED

Gardener for vegetable garden and lawn and hedge trimmed. Apply to HADAMON & CO., Hox 24.

BRICKS FOR SALE

Three varieties of Superior, Syracuse and other brands. Will also have brick, rubble and blue. For particulars apply to A. W. HATHOR, Fairview Avenue, Acton.

CEMETERY PLOTS CARED FOR

Best care for graves, water, sod and sod cemetery plots, trim the grass and carefully care for the plot. Apply to J. HATHOR, Fairview Avenue, Acton. Phone 54—Hox 602.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gumbel wish to thank the friends who assisted them in their journey during the long and tedious journey. Their best wishes to all.

BRICK HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE

That comfortable brick house on Church Street, between the water and the late Huron bridge. Have room, electric light, clean good gas, stable, bath and porch. Convenient to station. In splendid part of town. For particulars apply to A. W. HATHOR, Hox 602.

RESIDENCE AND LIVERY FOR SALE

A two-story seven-roomed frame house with pantry and washroom, soft water and hot and cold water, electric lights, in good condition, also the livery, barn, horse, and carriage. Possession can be given immediately. For particulars apply to the premises or to L. B. ATKINSON, Acton, Ont.

BRICK HOUSE AND TWO LOTS FOR SALE

That comfortable well-built, two-story brick house at the corner of Mill and Huron streets. House contains eight rooms with good cellar, hard and soft water, electric lights. The home of the late Dr. John Lawson and family. This property is suitably situated. The property is suitably situated. The property is suitably situated. For particulars apply to the premises or to L. B. ATKINSON, Acton, Ont.

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, MAY 7

The Girl from Outside

By Rex Beach. A drama of the trail of the Yukon. The Grand Canyon. With Josephine and Larry Brown. Price 25c and 16c war tax.

SATURDAY, MAY 8

Matinee and Night

"The Girl from Outside" with picture with Alice Brady. "The Girl and the Duke" with Pearl White.

TUESDAY, MAY 11

"The Girl from Outside" with Dorothy Gibson. "The Duke" with Pearl White.

R. L. GREGORY

A Pocket Dictionary Is All Right Until You Look for Some Word it Doesn't Contain

Same with a clothing stock. It's good only so long as it can meet every demand that is made upon it.

Hundreds of men's new Suits and Topcoats mean nothing to you, sir, if they don't include what you are looking for. It's just a case of water, water everywhere, and never a drop to drink.

So instead of telling you how many hundreds of garments we have in stock, we just want to assure you that we also have in stock the Suit and Topcoat that you have in mind. The variety at MACDONALD'S—in Guelph—is big enough to influence your choice, if you haven't made up your mind—and it's big enough to satisfy your choice if you come to Guelph with your mind already made up.—Some things to be said about our assemblage—

Women's and Children's Apparel and our Selection Of Wallpapers and Home Furnishings

Next time you buy outside your own home town, try Guelph's Big Store.

D. E. Macdonald & Bros. Ltd.

GUELPH'S LEADING AND LARGEST STORE
Wyndham, Macdonell and Carden Streets - Guelph, Ont.

NEW SPRING WALLPAPER

BROWN'S DRUG STORE

Has the Biggest Display of Wall Paper ever shown in Acton. Call to-day and take a run through our Sample Books. See our Window Display.

No need to go to, or order from the city. We can save you money.
Nu-Way Cleaner for cleaning Wall Paper, Kalsomine and Plaster. Does it effectively.
Full-Line of House-cleaning Requisites.

A. T. BROWN

Drugs and Stationery MILLS STREET, ACTON

Our Motto: RUSSELL'S Quality Goods Square Dealing Right Prices

Summer Underwear For Men, Women and Children

Summer Hosiery For Men, Women and Children

We have just received a shipment of Fancy Dress Voiles. These goods are very fashionable and are moderately priced.

CORSETS

We have a splendid assortment of Corsets, all bought before the recent advances. Our prices are right.

Ask to see our New Spring Prints, Gingham, Muslin, Foulards, Fancy Hair Ribbons. Prices to suit all.

GROCERIES

In this line we are always on top. When you buy your Groceries here you can always depend on them being fresh. When you place your next order give us a call.

WE PAY CASH FOR BUTTER AND EGGS

D. C. RUSSELL

MILL STREET - ACTON, ONT.
Store Closes 6.30, except Friday and Saturday

\$2,117.77 for the Citizens' Memorial to Soldiers Collected

The \$2,500 Objective is Easily Within Sight for the Proposed Monument

SPLENDID RESPONSE MET BY THE CANVAVERS

Mr. Gray, the Chairman of the Committee of Five, remarked when accepting the appointment three weeks ago, that it was his duty to see that the best of the town was secured. The Committee met promptly and presented with their report a very pleasing response. The objective of \$2,500 was fixed as the amount for a suitable monument. A list of names was compiled. This Committee met and organized and fixed Monday as the date for the canvass. Every canvasser named accepted the position and each was promptly on hand to start out immediately on the hour. The result of the canvass was most encouraging. Citizens generally showed their loyalty to the memory of our noble heroes who made the supreme sacrifice in the great war, and manifested a very pleasing willingness to contribute to the fund required to erect a citizens' memorial to their memory.

Over \$2,000 has already been subscribed. A number were not at hand when the canvass was held. These will no doubt hand in their contributions, which will be acknowledged in these columns. The Committee has not been able to call upon the residents of the farming district contiguous to Acton, but many of these have expressed their desire to have a share in this memorial to our fallen heroes. Their contributions may be handed to any of the canvassers named, and all sums received will be promptly acknowledged in the Free Press.

The success of the citizens' memorial is now assured and there will be no regret among those who are assisting in the erection of this noble memorial during the war. The contributions received to date and the names and amounts of the various subscribers are as follows:

Mrs. P. H. McDonald and Wm. Cooper, Canvassers	\$2117.77
D. C. Huxford	75 00
Mrs. H. Pearson	5 00
Mrs. Melanson	1 00
Mrs. Fred Wright	1 00
Mrs. J. Savage	1 00
H. Starkman	5 00
R. J. Kerr	1 00
Mrs. L. Langille	1 00
Mrs. E. S. Rice	1 00
Hon. D. Henderson	25 00
C. C. Henderson	25 00
Rev. W. L. Findlay	4 00
Kearney J. C. Nelson	10 00
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Mrs. George Brown	10 00
A. T. Brown	15 00
James Huxford	10 00
Wm. Johnson	5 00
J. H. Reed	1 00
Mrs. Fred Cooper	1 00
Mrs. H. M. McDonald	5 00
A. Gibbard	5 00
Dr. H. A. Campbell	1 00
Mrs. H. Wardlaw	3 00
Food Wilds	5 00
Rev. J. H. Huxford	1 00
Mrs. Margaret White	1 00
Rev. J. H. Huxford	1 00
Chas. Davenport	5 00
W. J. Huxford	5 00
Mrs. D. Bell and J. C. Matthews	103 00
Mrs. D. Ross	5 00
Mrs. Howick	5 00
Mrs. Madlock	5 00
Mrs. Huxford	10 00
Evad How	3 00
Mrs. H. Holmes	5 00
C. H. Huxford	5 00
Mrs. J. C. Collier	4 00
Mrs. Geo. Campbell	1 00
Mrs. Annie Collier	1 00
Mrs. D. Polster	5 00
Mrs. W. A. Howarth	1 00
Mrs. and Mrs. Aweary	7 00
Wm. Thompson	1 00
Mrs. H. A. Campbell	1 00
Mrs. D. McLaughlin	1 00
W. J. Wallace	2 00
W. J. Wallace	2 00
C. Woodhall	1 00
Mrs. Jos. Moore & Miss Clara Reed	5 00
Mrs. C. C. Huxford	1 00
Mrs. H. H. Huxford	1 00
Mrs. P. Moxley	5 00
Mrs. H. Huxford	5 00
Geo. Huxford	5 00
J. C. Matthews	5 00
Mrs. George Huxford and H. P. Moore	78 00
C. A. G. Matthews, Toronto	25 00
Mrs. and Mrs. H. P. Moore	25 00
George Melanson	5 00
George Huxford	5 00
Mrs. and Mrs. George Huxford	5 00
John Cameron	5 00
Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Denny	5 00
Mrs. Lattie E. Spaight	5 00
Mrs. Isabella Anderson	5 00
Mrs. and Mrs. Hoy Arnold	5 00
Mrs. Thos. T. Moore	5 00
Mrs. Charles Jenner	5 00
Mrs. Mae Moore	3 00
Mrs. and Mrs. W. J. Huxford	3 00
Mrs. Madeline Howick	2 00
Robert Wallace	1 00
Prof. Cooper	1 00
Mrs. and Mrs. Huxford	1 00
C. A. Conway	1 00
The Misses Grubbs	1 00
Wm. Huxford	1 00
William Huxford	1 00
Mrs. R. L. Laid	1 00
Hugh Macdonald	1 00
Shelton Moore	1 00
Mrs. Robert Garvin	1 00
Mrs. and Mrs. Alex. Donald	1 00
Mrs. A. Huxford	1 00
Wendell Spaight	1 00
Mrs. E. Spaight	1 00
H. Wilson	1 00
Mrs. W. J. Gould and A. T. Brown	324 00
Mrs. W. J. Gould	275 00
Dr. T. Gray	25 00
Mrs. D. Gray	25 00
Mrs. L. Gray	1 00
C. Moloney	1 00
G. A. Dills	5 00

News of Local Import

Hamilton and Toronto Trains Connect—The Grand Trunk line table has been changed so that the evening train from Hamilton connects with the train from Toronto at 4:30 o'clock at Georgetown. This will be a great convenience for passengers for Acton from Hamilton and intervening points.

Toronto Fishermen Have on May Day—A trio of trout fishermen from Toronto drove from their city homes to Acton early Saturday morning and spent the day on the trout streams of this locality. Their catch had a hungry look when they returned to Toronto, but they then had the advantage of viewing the beauties of nature at this higher altitude during their outing.

Base Ball Concert Saturday Night—Acton Base Ball Club will hold what they term a big rollicking concert in the Town Hall on Saturday evening. The Toronto Hawaiian Band is the prime attraction. Former Actor, the Hawaiian Band, in their leader, a ten-piece orchestra is announced to provide further music. There'll be a grand old song by the Hawaiian band as well. The plot at Brown's Drug Store is selling out fast.

"The Bachelor" Wins First Prize—Of the thirty-two names submitted in the contest last October for the trade name for the new to be manufactured by Ingham & Co., the judges have awarded the prize to Mrs. William James, Mill Street, who sent in under the name of "The Bachelor." Many popular names were submitted, but the most numerous being those relating to "The Bachelor," "Acton Ladies" and such. These were considered too local in character.

Monument to Fallen Comrades—Next Monday, May 9, at four o'clock in the afternoon the Acton Soldiers' Monument will be unveiled. The ceremony will be conducted by the three returned army chaplains, Rev. Father Goodrow, Rev. W. L. Findlay, H. A. and Rev. Mr. Johnson, on the lawns in front of the Soldiers' Memorial, 15th St. All citizens of Acton and surrounding country are invited to attend this ceremony in honor of the men who fell in the great war.

Mrs. Moyer's Father Injured—News of a very alarming nature was received at the Parsonage on Saturday. Mrs. Moyer's father, Mr. William Huxford, was going to his work on Monday morning. He was riding on his bicycle and was struck by a car. He was severely injured and is now in the hospital.

Baccarat and Reception Service—The fourth quarterly communion service of the conference year in the Methodist Church last Sunday, was a feature of special interest. The number of communicants was unusually large. Thirteen new members were received by baptism. The service was held at the home of Mrs. Moyer.

The Moon's Eclipse Sunday Night—A total eclipse of the moon, lasting for one hour, was visible throughout Ontario North America on Sunday evening. The phenomenon was witnessed by many of our citizens after the conclusion of the church service. The eclipse was caused by the shadow of the earth was cast on the moon. The eclipse was visible in all parts of the province. It was a most interesting event.

The Site for Milton's High School—Though no deal has been closed it is practically certain that Milton's new High School building will be located on the site of the old site of Milton, Ontario, in the west side of Milton. The site is owned by the C. P. R. and is a most desirable site for a school.

Numerous Other Property Changes—Mrs. Gray has purchased from Mrs. James Melanson the plastered house on Lower Avenue in which she has resided for several years. She will be removed to their new home on Main Street.

An Acton Boy Home from Cuba—Mr. W. Fred Smith, who left Toronto last year after spending several years in the teaching profession at Acton, Ontario, has returned to his home in Acton. He is spending a week or two with his father, Mr. William Smith, and his mother, Mrs. William Smith, who live on the farm south west of Young, Ont. He was much interested in his home here and is glad to be back.

In Memoriam—It is with deep regret that we learn of the death of Mr. George H. Midgeley, who was born in York, England, and came to Acton, Ont. after spending several years in the teaching profession at Acton, Ontario. Mr. Midgeley was a most successful and popular teacher and was much loved by his pupils. He was a most devoted and successful teacher and was much loved by his pupils. He was a most devoted and successful teacher and was much loved by his pupils.

Citizens' Memorial Monument to Have Fine Central Site

The Methodist Church Has Donated Plot, with Deed of Land to the Town

While the final location of the memorial to the fallen soldiers of the town is still undecided, the Committee of Five and the citizens generally are in favor of a site in the center of the town. The Methodist Church has donated a plot of land in the center of the town, which is a most desirable site for a memorial.

The Methodist Church property on Mill Street, near the centre of the town, included a vacant lot which has been used as a church lawn. This lot was purchased for the purpose of erecting a memorial to the fallen soldiers of the town. The church has donated this lot to the town, which is a most desirable site for a memorial.

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