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ACTON
REV. I. M. MOYER, Pastor
Parsonage—Willow St.

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2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—Rev. Dr. J. H. McArthur.
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YOU ARE INVITED—COME

ACTON BAPTIST CHURCH
G. K. TYLER, PASTOR

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11 a. m.—"The Vision of the Golden Candlestick."
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Strayed from home last Friday, a half grayhound dog, light brown, white breast, answers to name of Trix. Reward for recovery. Apply to
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PURSE LOST
Between Brown's Drug Store and Edwards' Bakery, on Monday. Contained a sum of money. Finder will please leave at Edwards' Bakery or Free Press Office and receive reward.

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A valued black silk umbrella with gold mountings. Was a present to a deceased friend and is therefor highly valued. Reward for recovery.
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A heavy leather tug without cockeye, was lost between the farm of Robert Campbell and the Acton Post Office. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Edwards' Harness Shop, Main Street, Acton or at the Free Press Office.
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Hand Compositors, men or women, by non-union plant, 48 hours, $36.00. Permanency of position guaranteed to satisfactory workers. We operate Mutual Sick Benefits, Life Insurance, Dividends, Vacations and other co-operative advantages not found in Union shops. Apply,
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The Ebbage property on Main Street having been sold it is necessary to clear out the contents of the pump and concrete shop. C. R. Ebbage, the owner, will sell the gasoline engine, pump machine, line shafting and pulleys, circular saw, tile moulds, grindstone, emery wheel, etc., by auction on the premises on Saturday evening, July 23, at six o'clock. There'll be bargains for anyone who can use any part of this plant.
3-2 R. J. KERR, Auctioneer.

PROCLAMATION!

CIVIC HOLIDADY

In compliance with the custom which has prevailed for many years
MONDAY, AUGUST 1
will be observed as a civic holiday, for 1921, and I hereby proclaim that day as a civic holiday for Acton, and respectfully request that all our citizens observe it as such.
GEO. BARBER, Reeve.
Reeve's Office, Town Hall,
July 20, 1921. 3-3

REAL ESTATE
If you want to buy or sell real estate ask Kerr, he knows.
The following sales have been made the last few months:
Kenney Bros. store to J. W. Kennedy.
Mrs. Hornby's house to J. A. Smith.
S. Cordiner's cement block house to F. Cleave.
S. Cordiner's double brick to Mrs. Hornby.
Mrs. Lynd's house to W. J. Barberree.
S. Cordiner's white house to R. Hilton.
Newton property, Limehouse, to Geo. Milliere.
McComb's property, Rockwood, to L. White.
Thomas Cutting farm, Esquesing, to W. James.
Mrs. Ebbage's house, on Main Street, to John Boyd.
Lot and barn, corner of Bower Avenue and Wilbur Street, to S. Cordiner.

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, JULY 22
'The Branding Iron'
An unusual tale, told in an unusual manner. Educational Reel "The Canadian Beaver." Pathe comedy.

SATURDAY, JULY 23
"Remodelling Her Husband," starring Dorothy Gish. Comedy "Edgar Camps Out." Fox News.

TUESDAY, JULY 26
"Voice in the Dark," an eminent author picture. Chapter 3 of "The Son of Tarzan." Pathe comedy.

COMING—"THE DEVIL"

R. L. GREGORY

Telling Again This Week of Great

July Sales!

Producing a Sweeping Lowering of Prices Throughout the Many Departments of this Big Store

It is a painstaking clearance of all the incomplete lines of spring and summer goods carried out in earnest and with thoroughness. Every department has its quota of special offerings and the savings involved bring these goods within reach of the most limited pocket book. Prices are so drastically reduced as to leave no doubt of the real bargains. Buying freely is practising economy in the truest sense, for many of the articles on sale will serve through the summer months, while others can be safely laid aside for early fall days.

Among the Items Included are:

Millinery at immense reductions.

Women's Coats at half-price and many other lines of Ready-to-Wear Apparel greatly reduced.

Wash goods and staple goods at tremendous price sacrifices.

Wallpaper at 1-3 to 1-2 off.

Axminster Rugs at immense reductions, as well as many other lines of House Furnishings.

Men's Clothing at astonishing bargain figures.

Boys' Clothing at surprisingly big savings, too.

YOU'LL SAVE YOUR RAILWAY FARE TO GUELPH MANY TIMES OVER IN THESE BIG JULY SALES. FACT IS, MORE YOU BUY, MORE YOU SAVE. COME THIS WEEK

D. E. Macdonald & Bros. Ltd.
GUELPH'S LEADING AND LARGEST STORE
Wyndham, Carden and Macdonnell Streets - Guelph, Ont.

Saturday Specials!

Fudge in assorted flavors, Vanilla, Chocolate, Strawberry, Maple. Regular Price 30c. Saturday Special Price, 26c.

Assorted Chocolates, regular 50c and 60c per lb. Saturday Special Price, 37c.

Neilson's Assorted Chocolate Bars. Regular 5c each. Saturday Special Price, 6 for 25c.

Always a Welcome Treat Is
Willard's Ice Cream
Cooling of course, but more than that—it's creamily delicious, a rare dessert and titbit welcome alike to man and woman. All the wanted flavors, fresh fruit and all the old standbys.

Mill Street
Acton - - **H. WILES**

Ours for Service!
Yours to Criticise!

Come in on Saturday and try a pound of our fresh Moonlight Mellos, which we are offering you below cost.

A great Special in cent goods for the kiddies.

Our Week-end Chocolates are still in great demand. Come where you get both quantity and quality for your money.

JOHN MOFFAT
MAIN STREET - ACTON, ONT.

1-9-2-0
Our prices are down. Look what you can buy to-day in our store for $24.00, compared with what you could buy one year ago.

100 lb sugar $24 00

1-9-2-1
LOOK THIS LIST OVER.

1 Pail Jam	$1 00
2 Old Dutch	25
1 Pail Marmalade	1 00
1 Soap	5
2 Corn Flakes	25
3 lbs. Rice	30
3 lbs. Tea	1 10
1 Dozen Eggs	33
5 lbs. Prunes	1 00
5 Cans [illegible]	90
1 Tube O[illegible]	30
5 Can Corn	75
5 Cans Peas	1 00
100 lbs. Sugar	9 50
24 lbs. Flour	1 45
4 lbs. White Beans	50
1 lb. Soap Flakes	25
3 Sunlight Soap	25
5 lbs. Starch	[illegible]
1 Dozen Oranges	[illegible]
3 Tins Salmon	45
2 lbs. Raisins	60
1 Box Sodas	35
1 Box Bran	20
4 Tins Pork and Beans	55
3 Boxes Matches	35
3 Cans Milk	30
Total	$24 00

D. C. RUSSELL - Mill St., Acton

The Farmers Won Majority In Alberta

The General Election in that Province Defeated the Liberals

FORMER PREMIER MAY AGAIN BE CHOSEN

Edmonton, July 20.—The latest election returns give Liberals 15, United Farmers 38, Labor 4, Independents 4. The Farmers are in the saddle in Alberta, the second province of Canada to send to its legislature a majority group representing the organized agricultural interests.

The United Farmers of Alberta fought the battle with the Liberal government of Hon. Charles Stewart on the broad issues of the alleged iniquities of the old party scheme of politics rather than on the record or politics of the Stewart administration, and the polling recorded their sweeping victory.

That the Farmers will have sufficient supporters to form a government of their own is certain. That they will have the active co-operation of the Labor members, who number three, and of a number of so-called Independents is equally certain.

Their leadership has not been announced. H. W. Wood, the president of the United Farmers, which includes 32,000 members, and which in the last year raised by private subscriptions more than $100,000 for its advancement purposes, of which about 25 per cent. was used for political organization, is not considered a possibility despite his position and his membership of the Dominion Grain Commission and other important bodies. He is in his niche, so the farmers and himself have intimated, and there is little likelihood that he will be more than the paternal adviser of the government.

The one safe proposition is that Farmers will make an effort to get ex-Premier Stewart to lead a selected coalition government. Without any exaggeration Stewart is trusted implicitly by the Farmers in spite of the defeat of those who were associated with him in the recent government, and if he can be persuaded to lead the Agrarian party, he will be highly acceptable to it, for as a matter of plain fact no other man in Alberta is so thoroughly in the people's confidence as Stewart.

Two women were elected to the legislature in this election, Mrs. Nellie McClung, for Edmonton, and Mrs. Walter Parlby, for Lacombe.

The Halton-Peel Games

Acton Lost to Georgetown, but will Give Milton Some Guess Work This Week

Acton lost its fourth consecutive game in the Halton-Peel League when they were defeated at Georgetown on Saturday by the team representing that town, by 5 to 3. The score surprised some of the "wise guys" around town who freely predicted a walk away for Georgetown. Durno was in the box for Acton and pitched great ball, restricting the Georgetown sluggers to 5 scattered hits, but numerous errors behind him lost the game for him. Some idea of how he pitched can be gained from the fact that only two balls were hit to the outfield during the game. Blackburne in the box for Georgetown also pitched a good game but the team behind him fielded well, especially McCartney their centre fielder, who robbed Acton of several hits. This player was given a great hand when in the sixth innings he raced in and made a shoe-string catch off Hynds' drive back of second and doubled Nelson off first. It was a great play.

	R.	H.	E.
Acton	3	5	7
Georgetown	5	8	3

Score by innings—
Acton .... 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3
Georgetown .... 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 1—5

Batteries—
Acton—Durno and Kentner.
Georgetown—Blackburne and McGill
Umpires—Tuck and Garden.

The schedule makers did not give Acton anything the best of it, as the locals were required to play four of the first five games away from home.

They visit Milton next Saturday, when they hope to break into the "win" column. The team as it is now constituted looks as good as any in the league. One of their chief faults is their inability to play baseball when the breaks are going against them. As long as all is going well they field and hit with the best of them. Then, perhaps the opposing team will get a little break in the luck and the locals are up in the air, and before they again reach terra firma the opposition has usually piled up too big a lead for them to overcome. This is not always the case, of course, but several games have been lost this year through this fault.

Gravelling Esquesing Roads

$794.04 Paid for Gravel, Hauling and Spreading Same on Township Roads

At the last meeting of Esquesing Township Council the following accounts were paid for gravel, gravelling, etc.:

Harry Ardwell, gravel	$ 30 60
Harry Ardwell, putting on	84 24
Harry Ardwell, spreading	26 40
Harry Ardwell, grading	38 00
Duncan Sinclair, blasting rock and removing	45 00
Joseph Allan, gravel	13 35
E. R. Mills, gravel	11 85
E. W. Grace, gravel	78 80
J. L. Moore, gravel	16 80
James Wilson, gravel	240 00
Freeman Robertson, gravelling	45 00
A. M. Laird, gravel	15 60
Wm. Smellie, filling gravel	33 00
Adam Alexander, gravel	13 60
Peter Murray, gravelling	13 00
Thomas Moffat, gravelling	113 50
	$794 04

Many Have Passed Away

There are now 599 newspapers and periodicals of all classes published in the Province of Ontario, as against 745 before the war. This means that there has been a decrease of 146 papers in the last half-dozen years. The publishers have been hard hit by the high cost of paper, by increases in labor, ink, metal, type, machinery and everything else entering into the cost of publication. The result is the mor[illegible] among papers as shown by the above figures. It is not likely that the [illegible] places will be filled in many ca[illegible]. It costs too much, nowadays, to [illegible] and establish a newspaper, as it h[illegible] does to operate them.

—Prince Nelson, [illegible] world's most sensational high wir[illegible] in a big double bill at Waterloo, [illegible] Friday evening, July 29.

News of Local Import.

Civic Holiday, Monday, August 1

Reeve Barber has proclaimed Monday, August 1, as Civic Holiday. This is the same date as most of the cities and towns of the province have chosen.

St. Albans' Garden Party

St. Alban's Garden Party opens this afternoon with a Sale of Work and Afternoon Tea in the Park at 3 p. m. In the evening the programme arranged will be given, the admission then being only 25c. and 15c. A good time is promised and everybody invited.

Rev. Dr. McArthur Next Sunday

Rev. Dr. McArthur, of Moffat, will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist Church next Sunday in the absence of Rev. I. M. Moyer, the pastor, who is on his vacation. Dr. McArthur is a preacher of a scholarly type, and has had wide experience, having been a missionary in Japan for a number of years.

Road Work Commenced, But——

Esquesing Council paid $794.04 at last meeting for gravelling roads. That section of the second line opposite lots 29, 30, 31 and 32 has evidently been overlooked by both the Township and the County Road Commissioners. Part of this section of the road was graded a month ago, but the gravel needed has not yet put in an appearance. The road is about like some of the neighboring summer fallows just now.

Laudable Object for Garden Party

The members of Acton Women's Institute will hold a garden party in the park next Wednesday evening, 27th inst., having as its purpose the laudable object of securing funds for the erection of a public drinking fountain for Acton. A high-class programme has been arranged. It will be presented by James Reid, humorist, Toronto; Miss Florence Stewart Neal, gold medal character dancer, Toronto; the Acton String Quartette; the Acton Male Quartette, Piper Ross, Acton Citizens' Band, brief addresses. Rev. G. K. Tyler will be the chairman.

Acton Fall Fair—1921

Acton Fall Fair, to be held on September 20 and 21, will have an improved premium list for the exhibition this fall. Increased prizes and some re-arrangement has been made in the horses and cattle lists. The list of specials is expected to be unusually attractive and the committee is securing these earlier than usual. The general list is now in the hands of the printers, and within a few days after the completion of the canvass for specials the lists will be ready for distribution. If you have a special you would like to put in see Secretary Hynds to-day.

Another Successful Acton Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. McSpadden, of Haverhill, Mass., made Acton friends a pleasant visit while on a motoring tour last week. Mr. McSpadden is one of our Acton boys whose industry and perseverance have won for him prosperity in an American city. Mr. McSpadden owns a successful business in Haverhill and is the head of a happy home there. Mrs. McSpadden is the daughter of an ex-Mayor of the city. Both are active workers in the Presbyterian Church in their section of the city, where Rev. Dr. Atkinson, formerly of Galt, is the minister. The visit of Mr. and Mrs. McSpadden to friends in Acton and vicinity was much enjoyed.

Mammoth Pic-nic at Oustic

Rev. Father Goodrow has arranged for a big pic-nic in aid of St. Peter's Church, Oustic, for Civic Holiday, August 1, at McCann's grove, Oustic. Hon. E. C. Drury, Premier, Mr. R. W. E. Burnaby, President of the United Farmers, and other prominent speakers have been invited. There will be baseball matches, Guelph vs. Acton, races and games with good prizes. Jules Brazil humorist, Miss Jean Simpson, national dancer, Miss Helen Cameron, soprano, will also be attractions. There will also be a sparring exhibitions between Eddie Gallagher and Johnnie Dobbs. An orchestra will be in attendance. The event will be one of much interest to the community.

Band Concert Postponed

Owing to the heavy shower on Monday evening the open-air concert proposed to be given by Acton Citizens Band was necessarily postponed. This concert will be given next Monday evening, weather permitting, when the following programme will be presented:

Programme

1. March .... "Under Arms"
2. Medley .... "Southern Pastime"
3. Waltz .... "Georgiana Waltzes"
4. Serenade .... "Autumn Gold"
5. March .... "Progress"
6. Medley .... "When the Balmy Breezes Blow
7. March .... "The Old Oaken Bucket"
8. March .... "Joyful Greeting"
9. Waltz .... "Dreamy Hawaii"
10. March .... "Mount Healthy"

GOD SAVE THE KING

Failed to Capture Mercury Cup

A rink of Guelph bowlers, a quartette of experienced skips, skipped by G. M. Yates, came to Acton last Wednesday evening, and made an unsuccessful attempt to lift the Mercury trophy, which was captured by W. J. Gould's Acton rink at the tournament there on July 4 and 5. The Guelph rink were 9 shots down on the evening's play. The teams:

Guelph	Acton
J. Easton	J. B. Shorey
H. Mahoney	J. Hynds, Sr.
C. R. Barber	J. Hynds, Jr.
Geo Yates, sk. 16	W. Gould, sk. 35

Billy and his rink will make a courageous effort to retain the Guelph Mercury's artistic challenge cup. It decorates very nicely a niche in the club house assortment of trophies of the Acton Athletic Association.

They "Gassed" the Inspector

That arguing with and "gassing" a License Inspector in the performance of his duties isn't a very profitable job was forcibly brought home to David Johnston, implement agent of Ripley, on Thursday last, when before Magistrate James Tolton, of Walkerton, and Reeve Robt. Johnston, of Lucknow, he was fined $10 and costs for using abusive language to the Inspector of Huron County. The offense was committed at the Ripley races on June 16, and the charge was laid by Inspector White of Walkerton, who was present at the time and witnessed the performance. Walter Burnside, coal dealer, of Kincardine, also got in wrong for interfering with Inspector Fellow, and is this week apologizing through the Ripley Express, Goderich Star and a Kincardine paper for the part he played in the affair.—Mount Forest Confederate.

Costs $3,431.00 For Heating Shoe Factory

Fred Blow the Successful Tenderer for the Contract

THE TENDERS WERE FAIRLY CLOSE

In response to the advertisement of the Council for tenders for heating the Shoe Factory the following tendered were received:

W. H. Miles, Toronto—	
For Entire Building	$3,770 00
Excluding Basement	3,380 00
W. F. Mooney, Acton—	
For Entire Building	$3,711 00
Excluding Basement	3,376 00
J. W. Kennedy & Son, Acton—	
For Whole Building	$3,480 00
Excluding Basement	3,130 00
Fred Blow, Acton—	
For Whole Building	$3,431 00
Excluding Basement	3,005 75

Messrs. James, Proctor and Redfern, Toronto, the engineers for the waterworks, are the engineers for this steam heating contract.

The tenders were opened on Monday evening of last week, but were not finally considered until at a special meeting on Wednesday evening.

The tender of Fred Blow being the lowest, it was accepted. The Council decided to have the basement heated as well as the other two floors of the building. The contract is to be completed by September 15, otherwise a penalty of five dollars per day will be imposed upon the contractor as a forfeit.

A Hint From Burlington

Commissioner Hunt is busy cutting the weeds on the streets. When this work is completed he intends to cut weeds on vacant lots and charge it up to the owners. Under the Ontario statutes all weeds on vacant land should be cut by the end of June.—Burlington Gazette.

The Kind of Letters Appreciated

This is the class of letters appreciated in every newspaper office: "Concluding that my Free Press subscription must soon expire, I enclose cheque for $2.50 to ensure my receiving the paper for another year. It just seems like a fine big letter from Acton friends every week and you may be proud of the regularity with which it arrives here."—James G. Moffat, St. Paul, Minn.

$50 for Fresh Air Fund

The following eleven school girls held a lawn social on the lawn of the Soldiers' Community House last Saturday evening: Fanny Hurst, Marie Mowat, Marie Lantz, Laura Scott, Martha Wilson, Edna Henderson, Helen McDonald, Marguerite Ryder, Jean Kennedy, Jessie Mowat, Jessie Anderson. They served ice cream and cake and other refreshments, and told the fortunes of their patrons. As a result they were able to send $50 to the Toronto Star Fresh Air Fund. Miss Conway, of Toronto, proved herself a talented fortune teller.

It Aims to Do Good

The Acton Free Press has entered upon its 47th volume—fast approaching its half century jubilee. The Free Press stands in a class alone in local or town journalism, for while it covers in its editorial and news columns the material, moral, educational, religious and social interests of its constituency, it is a real good Sunday paper. Its articles are suited to all members of the household and its influence is ever good and uplifting. We wish for Editor H. P. Moore many years more of successful services in the interests of Acton and district.—Bowmanville Statesman.

Halton Shorthorn Breeders' Club

Halton breeders of thoroughbred stock met at the Royal Building on Saturday evening and organized the Halton Shorthorn Breeders' Club, with officers as follows: President, H. A. Pettit; Vice-President, A. G. Farrow; Sec.-Treas., R. R. Fleming; Directors—G. E. Castle and John Pettit, for Nelson; F. C. Willmott and Cecil McCann, for Trafalgar; John Norrish and Robt. Amos, for Nassagaweya; and R. Dredge and G. H. Swackhumer, for Esquesing. Prof. Geo. E. Day, of the Shorthorn Breeders' Association, delivered an address, in which he gave the breeders a great deal of valuable information.—Champion.

The Church Baseball League

Last week only three games were played. On account of rain last Thursday the Presbyterians vs. Anglicans game was called off. The Methodists played in all three games. They won from the Baptists by a score of 6 to 2, tied the Anglicans by a score of 7 to 7, and were defeated by the Presbyterians. The Methodists had a good chance to regain the leadership of the League but failed.

The standing is as follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Presbyterians	7	2	.777
Methodists	7	4	.636
Anglicans	5	3	.625
Baptists	1	10	.090

A "Round the World" Visitor

The Free Press had the pleasure of a visit on Monday from Mr. Alex. C. Campbell, who was at one time foreman of this office. Mr. Campbell just returned to his home at Markham a few weeks ago from Tonga, one of the Friendly Island group in the Pacific Ocean, where he has an interest in a cocoanut grove. During his travels Mr. Campbell spent several months in the leading cities of Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, the Philippians, and the Hawaiian Islands. He is an expert linotype operator and made good wages wherever he went. He has now decided to settle down in his boyhood's home at Markham.

Gibbens-Robertson

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Joseph's Church, Acton, on Tuesday, July 19, when Rev. Father Goodrow united in marriage Mary, second daughter of Mr. David Robertson, Acton, and James, second son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gibbens, second line, Esquesing. Miss Kathleen Gibbens, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Joseph Gibbens, brother of the groom, assisted the groom. The bride was dressed in ivory crepe de chine, with white Milan hat. The bridesmaid wore pink organdie with Leghorn hat. The groom's gift to the bride was a necklace of pearls, to the bridesmaid, a silver pin, and gold cuff links, to the groomsman. After the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served at the home of the groom's parents. The happy couple left for points east and on their return will reside at Mount Forest.

All Acton Pupils Have Passed The Entrance

Miss Minnie Z. Bennett, the Teacher, Fully Sustains Her Reputation

TWELVE OTHER CANDIDATES PASS AT ACTON

The entrance class of Miss Minnie Z. Bennett, of Acton Public School, have again this year sustained the reputation of the class. Every candidate who wrote passed the examination for entrance to High School.

Of the twenty-two who passed eighteen secured honors.

The following are the pupils of Miss Bennett of the Acton School:

CLARENCE BABCOCK (Honors)
ALFRED BISHOP (Honors)
BEATRICE BLAIR (Honors)
ERNEST COLES
OLIVE COOPER (Honors)
MARGUERITE COSTELLO
HELEN COXE (Honors)
RAY GAMBLE (Honors)
RALPH HENDERSON (Honors)
WILLIE HOLLOWAY (Honors)
JOE HURST (Honors)
ROY JOHNSTON (Honors)
TELFORD KENNEY
DORA LAMBERT (Honors)
HELEN McDONALD (Honors)
HECTOR McDONALD (Honors)
FLORENCE MILLS (Honors)
IVY PRECIOUS (Honors)
HARVEY RAWSON (Honors)
WILLROSE REID (Honors)
CLARA SAVAGE (Honors)
JENNIE WIGGINS

The outside pupils who passed, with teacher and School Section were:

JOHN WALLACE (Honors)—Alma Pennington, teacher, S. S. No. 3, Nassagaweya.

FRED BARD, LENA McALPINE—Gladys Mahoney, teacher, S. S. No. 5, Nassagaweya.

RUTH CARNOCHAN, CHRISTIAN FRANK, WALLACE LASBY, JEAN SAYERS, ETTIE TWIGGER, MARGARET WILSON—N. Isabel Mahon, teacher, S. S. No. 7, Nassagaweya.

WILLIAM KELLY—Alice Blanshard teacher, S. S. No. 8, Esquesing.

ADA NELLIS—Mary A. Vannatter, teacher, S. S. No. 9, Nassagaweya.

The highest three in standing at this centre were Ivy Precious, a pupil of Miss M. Z. Bennett, Helen Coxe and Clara Savage of the same school.

The honor of the highest mark in the county in this examination goes to Allen Bridgman, a pupil of Mr. John A. Lockhart, Principal of Burlington Central School, the second place being taken by Lillian Kennedy, a pupil of Mr. A. G. Green, Principal of Georgetown Public School, and the third by Isabel MacDermid of the same school.

Certificates will be sent as promptly as possible.

Successful Candidates

In the Entrance to Normal Schools and Lower School Examinations

The following is the list of successful candidates, students of Acton High School, who passed the Entrance to Normal Schools and Lower School examinations:

IDA M. BESWICK
LAIRD DANCEY
VERA M. HURST
DONALD KENNEDY
JEAN N. KENNEDY
JORDAN LAWSON
ROSE McEVOY
MARIE C. MOWAT
MARTHA ORR
VIOLA RUMLEY

The successful candidates throughout the county are as follows:

I. M. Beswick, R. K. Blair, M. E. Bessey, J. R. Bolger, M. E. Busby, H. G. Cartwright, M. D. Chisholm, F. J. Clements, S. L. Dancey, M. M. Doty, I. Featherstone, E. E. Ford, M. E. Ghent, G. W. Green, E. R. Galbraith, R. V. Gorham, R. O. Graham, V. M. Hurst, F. G. Huffman, M. L. Hardy, A. L. Henry, E. M. Inglehart, D. Kennedy, J. N. Kennedy, M. M. Kelly, J. Lawson, M. R. Leslie, L. F. J. Lindsay, J. R. McEvoy, M. C. Mowat, M. McCullough, A. I. McLaughlin, A. W. MacMillan, R. F. McCann, A. T. Moore, M. Orr, H. G. Peacock, V. M Rumley, D O. Schoan, W. D. Sutton, A. F. Wallace, C. M. Walker.

Bad Storm at Milton

One of the worst electrical storms ever experienced there broke over Milton, Thursday afternoon, the lightning, wind and rain doing a great deal of damage throughout the district. In Milton P. L. Robertson's screw factory windows were shattered, the Grand Trunk water tower was struck, the court house electric lights smashed to atoms, and other damage done. During the heavy downpour Main Street roadway was flooded several inches.

Motorists Getting it at Milton

The Milton papers say that Chief Constable Chapman is getting after violators of traffic laws. He has had two fined lately and has warned others. On Saturday night he was on the watch for offenders until after 12 o'clock. He will have the backing of citizens generally, particularly law-abiding motorists, who object to the odium that falls on them through the offenses of the speeders and boozing drivers. They hope to see some speeders fined.

What is the Label For?

In the first place it is to help the postal service to deliver the paper to the right party. In the next place it informs the subscriber as to how his subscription stands, whether paid in advance or is in arrears. It's a receipt for money paid, or a reminder of money that should be paid. Look at your label and see how you stand with the publisher. The month indicates that you are paid till the first of that month, unless otherwise indicated. The figures after the month indicate the year to which the subscription is paid, 1920, 1921, 1922 mostly indicated by 20, 21, 22 as the case may be.

Goes the Free Press One Better

The Post goes the Acton Free Press one better in the date of its founding, having first seen the light of day May 24, 1875—five weeks ahead of the Free Press—celebrating the birthday of good Queen Victoria. It was conducted for a few months by McCay Bros., then purchased by W. H. Bone, who ran it for eight years, when it came under its present management, which has been continuous ever since. Like Bro. Moore, we have so far kept out of the hands of the sheriff, but have witnessed the rise and fall of numberless publications in the district and the province during the passing years."—Thorold Post. Yes, Bro. Thompson, we've seen some considerable journalistic changes in the past forty-five years or so.

Social and Personal

Miss Bertha Barr is home from Toronto for holidays.

Mrs. G. H. Brown visited at her son's in Kitchener last week.

Mr. George Worden, Guelph, spent a day or so this week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell, of Richmond Hill, were here over the week-end.

Miss Margaret Kennedy, of Toronto, was home for the week-end holiday.

Mr. Ernest E. Barr, of Galt, made a short visit at the old home last week.

Mr. Harry Campbell and Master George visited at J. E. Gamble's this week.

Mr. John McKeague, of Toronto, spent last week at his uncle's, Mr. J. J. Kennedy.

Misses Elva and Edith Lowrey, of Fergus, visited at Mr. R. J. Kerr's this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Gray and their little daughter, of St. Thomas, are guests of Miss Mamie Masales.

Mrs. Jennie Matthews, of Toronto, is spending a week or so at the home of Postmaster Matthews.

Mr. S. E. Cunningham, and his son, Edward, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kerr.

Mrs. Martin O'Brien and babe, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. J. J. Kennedy.

Mrs. David Ross has returned home from Guelph Hospital and is making splendid progress towards recovery.

Mrs. M. Langford, Knatchbull, and Mrs. Gilbert Lederer, Cleveland, Ohio, visited at Mr. G. Lantz's on Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. I. M. Moyer and Mrs. Hipple went to Windermere, Muskoka, on Tuesday for a couple of weeks' holidays.

Inspector W. H. Stewart, of Milton, and Mrs. Jackson, of California, with Mary and George, visited Acton friends last Thursday.

Misses Olive and Eileen Brown, Toronto, have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hamlin, Elwell, Howard and Evelyn, of Toronto, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. R. L. Johnston.

Miss Laura Wiles was suddenly seized with appendicitis on Thursday and taken to Guelph Hospital, where she was successfully operated on.

Mr. and Mrs. George Osburn and daughters, of Albany, N. Y., motored to Acton last week and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Burling and children arrived on Tuesday from Milwaukee, Wis., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Statham and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hartley, Milton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Iveagh, to Thayer Hepburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hepburn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor, of Montreal, spent Monday in town calling on friends of former days. It is several years since their removal from Acton.

Miss Irene Gibbons, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, last week, is making rapid progress toward recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Graham and family motored to Walton last week, where Mrs. Graham is spending a few weeks visiting at the home of her parents.

Mr. W. D. Forbes and Miss Marjorie, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. N. Forbes last Thursday. Miss Marjorie remained to spend a few holidays in Acton.

Mrs. Jennie McDougall, Mr. and Mrs. J. McMillan, Mr. Robert Brown and Mr. John Brown attended the funeral of the late John Eccles at Glenwilliams last week.

Mrs. A. D. Bridges, of Cranbrook, B. C., and Mrs. E. H. Near, of Toronto, are visiting their mother, Mrs Robert Johnston, Knox Avenue, and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards, Miss Lucy, Messrs. George Anderson and Rudolph Spellvogel, were at Beaverton last week attending the Old Home festivities there.

Miss Annie L. Hudson, of Ingersoll Collegiate Institute staff, formerly of Acton Public School, was here a day or so last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gamble.

Mrs. Hessie Mooney, Toronto, announces the engagement of her youngest daughter, Grace, to the Rev. Edward Ormiston Twiss, of Norval. Marriage to take place in July.

Miss Myrtle Clarridge has been successful at the recent Normal School examinations and has secured a position on the teaching staff at the Wellesley Street School, Toronto.

Miss Mamie Mulmprize, who was ill for a week or so in Toronto, prior to the closing of the school term, was taken ill with appendicitis at her home here on Saturday. An operation was successfully performed on Tuesday.

One day last week Miss Pearl McDonald, daughter of Mr. William McDonald, Esquesing, was taken ill with appendicitis while on duty as nurse at Guelph General Hospital. She underwent an operation and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Erwin, Georgetown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Flora Ellen (Nellie) to Mr. Harry J. Goldham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Goldham, Acton. Marriage to take place quietly third week in July.

Mrs. Robert Garvin, who has been very ill for the past six weeks, was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. N. Masales, Toronto, on Tuesday. She was accompanied by her son, Eric, and her daughters, Miss Garvin and Mrs. McLam.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard Wilson and the Misses Wilson, of Acton; Mrs. Harold Bingham and son, Kyle, motored to Aylmer and Lake Erie, and spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Leslie.—Georgetown Herald.

Mr. J. A. Price and Miss Reta and Master Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Price and granddaughter, Thelma, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Price and Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson and children, of Hamilton, were visitors at Mr. J. E. Gamble's over Sunday.

Mrs. Johnston, Main Street, was called to the sick-bed of her daughter, Mrs. Jeffs, at Thedford, a couple of weeks ago. Mrs. Jeffs passed away last week. Dr. Johnston, Miss Eva and Cameron went to Thedford to attend the funeral of their sister. A large family of small children is left.