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THE METHODIST CHURCH
ACTON

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

EASTER SERVICES
11 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Risen Christ."
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—The Minister.
Special Easter Music by the Choir.
YOU ARE INVITED—COME

PRESBYTERIAN
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
Minister—Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A.
Manse—Willow Street

SERVICES:
11 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Victory."
7 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Fountain of Life."
The evening service will be in charge of the Young Men of the Congregation. Special music by Young Men's Choir.
Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p. m.
The Guild—Monday evening at 8 o'clock.
Strangers leaving address with the ushers will be called upon by the Pastor.
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

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Quantity of White Blossom Sweet Clover. Apply to
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Pigs, six weeks old May 1. Also five year old horse.
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Bronze watch, on Monday morning, between the water tower and Free Press Office. Finder please leave at this office.

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Two roughcast houses, one on Main Street, and one on Frederick Street. Good valuable property that will be sold right if taken at once. Apply to
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Experienced operators on Ladies' Waists and Dresses. Working conditions unexcelled in Canada. Highest wages paid. Boarding houses secured. Apply,
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Of every size in the Counties of Halton and Wellington. If you want to buy or sell a farm see us. Homes in every quarter of Acton. Some at attractive prices for quick sale. We aim to please you.
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100 acres in the Township of Nassagaweya, being west half of lot 16, con. 5. About 50 acres under cultivation, about 20 acres in timber, balance good pasture land. Dwelling 24x36 with additions; barn; 48x48. Immediate possession. Apply to
The Guelph Trust Company,
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CARD OF THANKS
The undersigned desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness during the illness of Mrs. Charles Davidson, and at the sad ceremonies in connection with the burial services. These kind ministrations will always be remembered by us all with gratitude.
HER CHILDREN.

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A number of farms for sale, ranging from 50 to 250 acres.
Those two stores on Mill Street at the corner of Main Street for sale. Best business corner in town. Sold either separately or en bloc. Will be sold at a bargain if taken at once.
Also 1 brick cottage, 5 rooms, first-class repair, situation the best. $2,100 for quick sale.
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PUBLIC MEETING

PROVINCIAL HIGHWAY
A Public Meeting of citizens will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, April 18, at 8 p. m. A representative of the Hon. F. C. Biggs will be present to discuss with the citizens the proposed route the Provincial Highway will take through the town and a good attendance of all interested is requested.
GEO. HARRIER, Reeve.

WONDERLAND

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 14
"A Girl from God's Country"
A Northwest story, starring Nell Shipman. "Screen Snapshots," No. 7. Hall Room Boys comedy, "Meet My Wife." Matinee at 3 p. m. Night at 8 p. m. Prices, Matinee, 11c and 16c; night, 16c and 27c.

SATURDAY, APRIL 15
"Beyond Price," starring Pearl White. Comedy. Educational. Fox News.

TUESDAY, APRIL 18
"Twin Beds," starring Mr. and Mrs. Carter DeHaven. Chapter 13 of "Winners of the West." 1 reel of "Vod-a-Vil."

COMING
"From the Manger to the Cross." Made in its entirety in Egypt and the Holy Land.

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Fascinating New Easter and Spring-time Fashions

An Inspiring Collection of Distinctive New Styles in Women's and Young Women's Apparel

We often receive the compliment, "They're in a class by themselves." Years of experience and honest endeavor to build up to certain ideals have resulted in this desirable reputation. And now the new lower price scale of the Nineteen-Twenty-two Easter season brings Macdonald fashions into greater popularity than ever, for, in spite of lowered prices, standards of style and quality will still remain at the same high level as has always been associated with Macdonald apparel. Assuredly you will find here every advantage of price, quality and style, linked with an Easter-week service that will prove a source of satisfaction in urgent shopping.

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One price to all—no special rebates to some, even in the case of customers' travelling expenses—but lowest possible figures to every one and at all times. The value all in the goods, always, at

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Vernor's Detroit Ginger Ale!

"ASK FOR IT AT WILES"

It's no wonder James Vernor made Ginger Ale so popular a drink, and we're serving it right here in Acton in the very same way Vernor sells it in Detroit. We installed all the necessary apparatus. Every one of our patrons who have tried it are steady customers now, and you'll be a "steady" too, if you just once try this refreshing beverage at our fountains. Made right and served right off the ice, it's bound to be the most popular thirst quencher in Acton this season. Served only in Acton at our soda fountain.

Week-End Specials

Our Famous Assorted Chocolates are still increasing in sales each week, proving the quality of them. Regularly 40c lb. Week-End Special 26c lb.

Sea Foam—Chocolate Coated Sea Foam is something entirely new. Regularly 40c lb. Week-End Special 29c.

Handrolates—Regularly 60c a box. Week-End Special, 49c. Box.

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

Hydroize The Home

The Laundry in every electric wired home should be equipped with the modern Electric Washer, which has taken the place of the laborious rub and scrub method of cleaning clothes. The Hydro-Electric Washer is sold only at the local Hydro Shop. It is being marketed as part of Hydro service and to popularize electric equipment in the home. It is covered by the Hydro guarantee of sure service and satisfaction.

It is an all-metal machine, with copper tub and solid aluminum 12-inch swinging wringer. It will be a pleasure to give you a demonstration in your home. Sold on easy payments if you desire. Call and see it at

Acton Hydro Shop
OPEN TUESDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS
MILL STREET ACTON

SPECIALS!

5 Rolls Toilet Paper for	25c
1 Stewart's Marmalade, 16 oz. size for	28c
3½ lbs. Rolled Wheat (White Swan) for	25c
50 lbs. Minto Tea, 1 lb. packages, with Silver Spoon. Regular 80c. For	52c
44 oz. Bottle Sour Mixed Pickles for	48c
2 Quart Bottle Tiger Catsup for	29c
Lobster, ¼ lb. size	18c
Lobster, ½ lb. size	40c
1 lb. Pure Black Pepper for	24c
10 Nutmegs for	5c
2 Cans Sweet Corn for	25c

Butter and Eggs Wanted. Cash or Trade.

D. C. RUSSELL - Mill St., Acton

News of Local Import.

Tea and Sale of Homemade Baking
The Women's Institute will hold a tea and sale of homemade baking in the Creamery Shop on Saturday afternoon and evening. The funds are for community work.

Office Open Saturday Afternoons
For the convenience of the patrons of the Free Press arrangements have been made that a member of the staff will be in the office on Saturday afternoons, from one-thirty till five. Advertisements or printing may be arranged for and subscriptions paid.

Jersey Dairy Changes Hands
Mr. H. K. Dunnill, who has successfully conducted the Jersey dairy for the past six or eight months, has disposed of his interests to Mr. H. G. Lingard, of Port Hope. Mr. Lingard has taken possession, and is now on the rig in Mr. Dunnill's stead.

Interesting Address to Young People
Mr. Wansbrough addressed Knox Young People's Guild very effectively on Monday night. His subject, "Some People Whom I Have Met," gave great scope for the deduction of many inspirational points, and Mr. Wansbrough dealt with it in a very able manner.

New Chimes in Georgetown
The new chimes that have recently been installed in the Presbyterian Church at Georgetown, will be heard for the first time next Sunday. Mr. Stewart, of Toronto, will ring the chimes at 9.45 and 10.45 a. m. and 6.45 p. m., prior to the services. A special recital will also be given in the afternoon at three o'clock.

Rev. E. K. Tyler Leaving
Rev. E. K. Tyler, who has filled the pulpit and the duties of pastor of the Baptist Church for the past year or so will preach his farewell sermons in that church next Sunday. Since coming to Acton Mr. Tyler has made many friends and very acceptably fulfilled the duties of his congregation and all will regret his removal from Acton.

Harold Wiles Extending Business
Harold Wiles has secured the premises occupied by M. Edwards & Co's bakery business, and will open a first-class restaurant in connection with his confectionery business. Living quarters for the family are being fitted upstairs. M. Edwards & Co. are moving their store to Main Street next to Cooper's Tailor Store.

Easter Monday Concert
The Young People's Guild of Knox Church have arranged for a splendid entertainment for Easter Monday evening in the church. An Easter pageant entitled, "The Resurrection," will be put on by the choir of St. Andrew's Church, Guelph. The programme will also consist of musical numbers by some of the best talent of Guelph. A rare musical treat is in store for all who attend this sacred concert.

A Valuable Asset for Printers
A unique and very interesting demonstration of the immense value of the Stevenson furniture would was made on the linotype in the Free Press office on Saturday, by Mr. E. A. Holmes, of Chicago. This wonderful adjunct to the linotype turns out space and has material with amazing speed and mathematical accuracy. It makes printers metal furniture, 36 point, 30 point, 24 point, 18 point, 12 point, or 6 point, with amazing facility.

The Sanitary Inspector is Coming
The spring clean up is now on the programme. Where everybody takes a hand the work goes forward in splendid co-operation. One unkempt property or street often gives a black eye to the whole surroundings, to say nothing about the Board of Health requirements. Set a good example by raking up the rubbish and getting rid of it at an early date. The Sanitary Inspector is on his rounds. Let's make Acton clean, tidy and attractive by prompt united effort.

Preserving the Lord's Day
Rev. Mr. Stephenson, of Stratford, addressed Knox Church congregation on Sunday morning on the preservation of the Sabbath as a day of rest and worship, and the work of the Lord's Day Alliance. Mr. Stephenson spoke in the Methodist Church in the evening, basing a very helpful sermon on the sanctity of the Lord's Day on 2 Chron. 58: 13, "Thou shalt call the Sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord and honorable; not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasure."

The Appeal was Dismissed
"The appeal which" was entered against the judgment of Police Magistrate Watt, of Guelph, in the case in which Charles Lasby brought a charge of assault against Alex. Crawford in Police Court several weeks ago, and which was dismissed at the time of the trial, was heard by His Honor Judge Hoolton at the County Court sitting on Thursday afternoon. The hearing lasted about an hour, in the course of which the whole row was gone over and at its conclusion His Honor dismissed the appeal.—Herald.

A County Year Book
Prince Edward County has been especially favored through the enterprise of the Picton Gazette which has just issued a year book of intense interest to the county. It contains sixty-eight pages, with 5,000 facts relative to the county and its people. It is an agricultural, business, municipal, church, educational and post office directory of Prince Edward County, its towns, villages and townships. It is a gazetter of immense valde and will win great favor with the people of Prince Edward County and many people outside who have business connections with the county.

Easter Missionary Meeting
The Easter meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon was an occasion of much interest. The address of Mrs. Lachlan, of Hamilton, President of the Conference Branch, was one of especial interest and inspiration. A feature of the meeting was the reading of the minutes of the first meeting of the Acton Branch by Mrs. James Moore, who was the Secretary at that time—thirty-one years ago. Mrs. G. H. Brown, one of the charter members, was presented with a life member's certificate. Mrs. H. P. Moore, also a charter member, made the presentation. The members were all pleased to see Mrs. A. T. Brown in her place as President, after an illness of a month or so.

OBITUARY

ANDREW WHEELER
Another old and esteemed resident of Glenwilliams, in the person of Mr. Andrew Wheeler, passed away on Friday, March 31. Deceased was 81 years old and was born at Ancaster, near Hamilton, in 1840. In 1873 he married Margaret Martin, of the Scotch Block and they lived at Limehouse until 1886, when they moved to Glenwilliams. Mrs. Wheeler died about 10 years ago. Mr. Wheeler conducted a general store in the Glen for many years and was respected by all who knew him. A family of two survive, John A. Wheeler, of Glenwilliams, and Mrs. J. A. Ballantine, of Georgetown; another daughter, Mrs. Robert Clark, died some years ago. One brother, Robert Wheeler, of Georgetown, also survives. Mr. Wheeler was a member of the Methodist Church, and the funeral service on Sunday was conducted by Rev. Mr. Aiken, when the remains were interred in Glenwilliams cemetery. The pall bearers were: Jos. Beaumont, K. Y. Barraclough, H. Allen, D. Reid, T. Hill and Wm. Michie.—Herald.

MRS. CHARLES DAVIDSON
Very unexpectedly there passed away last Wednesday one of the choice spirits of this community, Mrs. Charles Davidson, a veritable mother in Israel. About a week before Mrs. Davidson took a severe cold which developed into pneumonia, with fatal results. Mrs. Davidson, whose maiden name was Sarah Smith, was a daughter of the late Jeremiah and Sarah Smith, of Nassagaweya, where she was born in 1855. In the year 1881 she married the late Hugh Reid, of the same township, and they removed to Marlette, Michigan. Three children were born to them in Michigan during the seven years they resided there. They returned to Nassagaweya in 1888. The next year Mrs. Reid was sadly bereft in the death of her husband and one of their children. Shortly after this she removed to Acton with her two boys and made a home for them in the house where her son, Mr. W. J. Reid, Waterworks Inspector, now resides. In 1895 she was married to Mr. Charles Davidson and for twenty-seven years was the mother of the home at the well-known Davidson homestead. Their only child, Mr. Robert Lawrence Davidson, was born in 1898. Mr. Davidson and three sons survive. Of her ten brothers and sister, four brothers and four sisters are living. They are Jeremiah Smith, Michigan; Thomas Smith, Nassagaweya; John, of Michigan; and Robert, Nassagaweya; Mrs. Nancy Johnston, Toronto, Mrs. James Henderson, Acton; Mrs. Hugh Campbell, Nassagaweya; and Mrs. Coats, Listowel. Mrs. Davidson was in many respects a very superior woman. She was an active Christian worker, a member of the Presbyterian Church from her early girlhood days. She was particularly interested in missions and was the oldest member of the Woman's Missionary Society of Knox Church. Her home and her family had her constant love and solicitude. An incident in the last few months of her life which gave her much satisfaction was the fact that she was able to visit all the members of her family and near friends. With Mr. Davidson a trip was taken to the Northwest last fall, and also to the old home in Michigan, and very enjoyable visits were made in numbers of homes where dear ones abide. Upon their return Mr. Allan McDonald was taken ill and she ministered to him with loving care until he was called to the better land. Mrs. Davidson was a woman of wide reading and of exceptional literary ability. It was not generally known that she was a writer of considerable volume, and had contributed articles to some of the leading magazines. The funeral on Friday afternoon was largely attended. Owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. Stewart the services of Rev. Dr. Blair, of Guelph, were secured. This was especially fitting inasmuch as Dr. Blair was for years the pastor of her own and her father's family in Nassagaweya. "Her end was peace."

Mayor Smith's Successor Elected
At a nomination meeting at Bracebridge last week Mr. H. J. Bird, Jr., was elected Mayor by acclamation, replacing Mayor Peter A. Smith, who resigned, owing to his purpose of removing to Acton.

Easter Sunday in the Churches
Preparations have been made for special Easter services in all the churches in town. There'll be Easter sermons, and special music and abundance of flowers. Wouldn't it be fitting and quite profitable if Easter Sunday were made a go-to-church Sunday by every resident of the community who can by any possible means get to the house of God that day.

The New Horticulture Professor
Prof. A. H. Maclennan, B. S. A., has been appointed to the vacant professorship of Horticulture at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Prof. Maclennan was a lecturer at the College several years ago. He has had wide experience. For some time he was in charge of the horticultural work of the Heinz Company, Pittsburg. Prof. Maclennan gave several illustrated addresses on horticulture in Acton.

New Baseball League
Baseball enthusiasts in Galt are boosting the formation of a baseball league which will include Galt, Milton, Acton, Georgetown, Burlington and Oakville. Officials of Galt have interviewed Mark Dulmage, of Guelph, the Secretary of the Amateur Baseball Association, and he has promised to do everything he can to organize the proposed league. Galt officials have been in touch with the other towns mentioned.

Oratorical Contest at Epworth League
The Epworth League of the Methodist Church held an oratorical contest on Monday evening, which was of much interest to all present. Each of the six contestants gave well-prepared addresses on interesting subjects. The winners were: 1st, Miss Clara Savage, subject, "Making Friends with the Wild Flowers;" 2nd, Miss Olive McLaughlin, subject "The Advantages to be Derived from Education;" 3rd, Miss Hazel McDonald, subject, "Benefits of a Public Library to Acton."

County Forest Plantations
It is announced that already twelve counties have taken advantage of the Ontario Government's plan for establishing municipal forestry. These counties have acquired blocks of non-agricultural land which, in co-operation with the Provincial Forest Service, will be planted with pine, spruce, and other trees. The blocks of land vary in size from 100 acres up to 1,000 acres. It is expected that several other counties will take up reforestration within the coming year.

Neighborhood News--Town and Country

OAKVILLE
The town is at last considering the opening of a free library.
The Farmers' Club at Postville is considering the installation of a radio wireless outfit.
Spring plowing commenced last week.
The private bill consolidating the town's floating indebtedness has been passed by the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature.
Mr. H. Giddings has returned after spending the winter among the West Indies.
A baseball league composed of Oakville, Bronte, Milton, Burlington and Galt teams has been formed.
There will be a public meeting held at Postville on Saturday evening, April 15, for the purpose of discussing the widening of Dundas Street.—Star.

CAMPBELLVILLE
This village has been honored with the organization of a new Masonic Lodge. It was instituted a week ago by R. W. Bro. C. K. Kelly, D. D. G. M., of the Hamilton District, assisted by prominent Hamilton brethren.
The officers of the Lodge are: W. Bro. T. H. Snyder, W. M.; Duncan Campbell, R. W.; Rev. T. W. Lowe, J. W.; D Stewart, Secretary; A J. McPhadrai, Chaplain; J. A. McTaggert, D. of C.; R. C. Monzie, Treasurer; W. O. Morse, S. D.; J. K. Mahon, J. D.; E. Byerman, S. S.; W. Morse, J. S.; G. L. Myrdock, I. G.; R. Wright, Tyler.
After the ceremony a splendid banquet was held at the Village Inn. Speeches and songs were then the order of the evening and all were thoroughly enjoyed by the members.

TERRA COTTA
Mr. H. Logan is running his brick plant in full swing here now, with a daily increasing staff.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Crabje, of Guelph, moved to Terra Cotta last week.
The Halton Brick Company expect to resume operations shortly.
Master Leslie Isaac is going to Guelph Hospital shortly to have an operation performed on his eyes.
Reeding will soon be the order of the day.
Mr. Rogers is doing a rushing trade in his stone quarry on the mountain.
We understand that Mr. L. Rogers intends installing a bone grinder on his premises.
Mr. Jas. McLeod had a very successful sawing bee last Friday afternoon. Jackson Bros., of Rockside, did the job.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Downer, of Toronto, moved to the mountain last week.

MILTON
Last week M. E. Nixon moved out of his dwelling on Brown and Mary Streets, which he sold lately to Wm. Atkinson.
R. J. Armstrong is recovering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. For some days last week his condition was critical.
The Township Council of Nelson has appointed J. A. Pettit Township Treasurer, to succeed the late Andrew P. Alton.
At the re-organization meeting of the Milton Lawn Tennis Club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. President, Judge Elliot; Hon. Vice-President, Mrs. Gorham; President, S. Hannon; Vice-President, Miss L. Campbell; Secretary, Miss C. McGibbon; Treasurer, R. Hume.
Nelson has gotten into line with the organization of a Farm Loan Association. The necessary by-laws were passed and C. E. Wood and George E. Castle were appointed municipal directors.—Champion.

BURLINGTON
R. J. Forbes was at Buffalo last week attending the funeral of his mother.
Mr. John Oakes has in his possession a Leghorn hen's egg, which measures 6 inches one way, and 3 inches the other.
Mr. Gilbert Christopherson has returned home from a three months' trip to California.
Mr. T. W. Ivey, of Carman, Man., visited at the home of J. D. Fendor, Ontario Street.
Miss Esther Hopkins and two friends, Miss Dorothy Morse and Miss Jessie Borden, of Nova Scotia, has returned to McDonald Institute, Guelph, to resume their studies, after spending ten days at "Bonnie Place."
On Monday night last a number of young people gathered at the home of Mr. J. Troughton, Clarke Avenue, to tender a farewell party to Miss Sadie Olley, who is returning to her home in Ireland, owing to ill health.
As Mr. R. Proctor was driving along the highway near Aldershot, last Thursday night, a gust of wind blew the cover off the top of his auto; a rather hair-raising experience.—Gazette.

ROCKWOOD
Mr. George Lister brought in a very large hog to the U. F. O. stock yard last week, weighing 820 pounds. This is just 10 pounds less than the Bernard Brothers' record hog sold two years ago, which weighed 830 pounds.
Mrs. Alexander Burns died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Hall, Arlington, on Saturday morning, 4th inst. The funeral took place on Tuesday from the old farm home, with interment in Everton cemetery.
Mr. Robert Rice, of Toronto, has moved into the residence formerly occupied by Eli Stout, now by Col. Mutrie, and will take a partnership with his brother, John, in the cement business.
Dr. Mills, High School Inspector, visited the new Continuation School last week and reports favorable progress.
A collection was taken in the Presbyterian Sunday School in aid of the starving Russian children, which amounted to $70.
Mr. Leonard McDougall, assessor, has completed his rounds for both the village and township.
Mr. Reginald Rudd and family have moved into Rockwood and are occupying Mr. Alex. Plummer's new residence. Mr. James Lambert and his son, Fred, and family, have also come to the village to reside.
Mr. A. L. Squires, agent of the G. T. R. here, was taken ill last week. An official is relieving him.
Mrs. T. Lundy has returned home after spending the winter with her son Fred at Toledo, Ohio.
Five cars of live stock, besides hay and turnips, were shipped from here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson returned to their home at Cumberland, Maryland on Sunday. They came to attend the funeral of Mrs. Alexander Burns, Mrs. Thompson's mother.
The Crusader Boys' concert in the Presbyterian Church last Tuesday evening was a gratifying success.

The Route of New Highway Through Acton

Discussed at a Special Meeting of the Council Held Last Thursday Evening

REEVE BARBER ABLE TO ATTEND THE REGULAR SESSION ON TUESDAY

A special meeting was called by the Council on Thursday evening, April 6, with a request that the citizens attend to show which route they desired the provincial highway to take through Acton. A very representative gathering was held and the Council Chamber was packed to capacity. The following resolutions were passed:
Moved by R. McDonald, and seconded by George Havill, that the Municipal Council communicate with the Hon. F. C. Biggs or one of his deputies and arrange for another public meeting of citizens of Acton at which the said citizens and a representative of the Department of Highways should come together and discuss the proposed road that the highway should take if built through the town. On a showing of hands the motion was carried.
Moved by Dr. H. A. Coxe, seconded by John Kenney, that the citizens of Acton present at this meeting are in favor of the Toronto to Barrie Highway being built so as to pass through the town of Acton and not around on the northwest side. This motion was also carried on a showing of hands.

The regular session of the Council on Monday evening had Councillors Holmes, Harrison and Bell present and Reeve Barber in the chair. The Reeve received a cordial welcome from the members of the Council, who were pleased to see him in his accustomed place and with some measure of improved health.
The Finance Committee presented their eighth report and recommended payment of the following accounts:

General Account

C. McLaughlin, labor at the cemetery	$ 3 00
Hydro Electric Com., work on streets	16 05
Street lighting	144 84
Town Hall lighting	5 38
J. J. Cooney, M. McDonald and Town Hall phones	8 50
	$177 77

Waterworks Account

Fairbanks Morse Co., supplies	$ 3 30
Ford Motor Co., welding metres	75
J. Hymon, supplies	3 00
W. J. Reid, stamps	2 03
Hydro-Electric Com., power at spring	41 98
Hydro-Electric Com., pump house	18 75
Hydro-Electric Com., thawing pipes	29 50
W. J. Reid, telephone	2 55
Pump house, telephone	2 05
Horton Steel Co., bronze rope	12 54
	$121 45

The report was adopted.
The Bell Telephone Co. requested permission to erect three poles on West Bower Avenue to extend their service. Permission was granted, subject to the supervision of J. Bell, chairman of streets and walks.
The Clerk was instructed to secure from D. A. Niven a dozen copies of maps of the town.
A by-law authorizing the Reeve and Clerk to give notes at the Bank of Nova Scotia to cover any overdrafts that may occur in the waterworks account was given the required number of readings and passed by the Council.
Mr. N. Garden and Mr. W. K. Graham presented a petition from the residents of the west side of Knox Avenue signed by all the property owners on that side of the street, requesting that a cement sidewalk be laid on that street.
They also presented a petition signed by all the property owners of Knox Avenue requesting that something be done to improve the roadway on this street as it was little more than a mudhole at present.
It was decided to lay the sidewalk and grade the roadway, but no gravel will be put on the street as the Council had decided to keep the rate down as low as possible and no gravel will be laid on any street this year.
The Chairman of Streets and Walks was authorized to have the sidewalks put into good repair where necessary.
Council adjourned at 9.30 p. m.

CREWSONS CORNERS
The pretty little hepaticas were gathered in the woods near here this week.
The maple syrup season is about over for this year.
The heavy rain on Tuesday swelled the creeks to minature rivers, and made the mud more solid.
With fine weather plowing on sod will commence this week.

OSPRINGE
Messrs. William Usherwood and W. Peavoy, both of the second line, have let contracts for the erection of additions to their barns.
Ospringe will have a strong baseball team the coming season. Some new blood will be introduced among the members.
There hasn't been much comfort in driving on any of the roads the past week.
Sawing bees have been commanding the attention of a number of our farmers lately.
Spring work is now in full swing with the wide-awake farmer.
This community will have its usual quota of homecomers and visitors for Easter.

ERIN
Messrs. Stanley Leitch and David Sanders are busy these days erecting a garage in a portion of the sheds of the Globe Hotel.
Mr. W. Leslie Brown, our new undertaker and furniture dealer, will move into the building recently occupied as the post office, in a few days.
Mr. Gingrich and family, of Elora, moved into the dwelling recently purchased from the estate of the late Mrs. Morley. Mr. Gingrich also purchased the Griffin store.
Chalmbanan, Snelgrove, Inglewood and Cheldon are forming a lacrosse league. Archie McKechnie, of Cheltenham, is the leading spirit and has ordered two dozen sticks for the association.
Arrangements have been completed for the holding of a celebration on July 12, next, in Erin, and according to reports a number of out-of-town lodges have decided to celebrate in Erin.
Mr. Ernie Ward and family, of Hillsburg, moved to their new home in Orangeville, last week.—Advocate.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Thomas Gamble is here from Toronto visiting Acton friends.
Miss Mary McPherson, of Collingwood, is visiting at her home here.
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown were with Toronto relatives for the week-end.
Mrs. Neelands, of Brampton, was the guest of Acton friends during the week.
Mr. Harry Holmes, who was so ill from pneumonia, is now convalescing nicely.
Miss Lily Alderson, of Guelph, is spending a month or so with Acton friends.
Mrs. Maddie Beattie, of Hamilton, visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil McNabb last week.
Miss Reta Stickey has returned from Guelph Hospital and is much improved in health.
Reeve Barber is home again from the Hospital. It is hoped he will soon be convalescent again.
Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Cross and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hall over Sunday.
Mr. Sheldon Moyer, of Toronto, visited his father and mother, Rev. I. M. and Mrs. Moyer, during the week.
Mrs. George Osborne, of Albany, N. Y., has been visiting at the home of her father, Mr. William Williams, during the week.
Mrs. Wm. McArthur and Mrs. Wm. Hall spent a day last week at the General Hospital, Guelph, visiting friends there.
Mrs. (Rev.) A. C. Stewart and children leave this week to spend the Easter holidays at Mrs. Stewart's home in Bruce County.
Rev. A. C. Stewart had not sufficiently recovered to resume his pulpit last Sunday. Mrs. Stewart and one or two of the children were also ill.
Miss Lena Costello, who has been spending a few holidays with her friend, Miss Jessie Gervais, of Toronto, returned home on Tuesday.
After being nearly seven weeks confined to the house, Mr. H. P. Moore is now progressing favorably and is able to spend an hour or so each day in his office.
Mr. Robert Laing, who has been confined to his home and mostly bedfast, for the past five months, with heart and lung trouble, is now slowly recovering.
Mr. and Mrs. Emerson A. Holmes, of Chicago, Ill., spent a couple of days last week at Moorcroft, where a most enjoyable time was spent with their Canadian cousins.
Mrs. J. A. McArthur has returned from New Orleans, where she spent the winter. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, whose home has been in the south for many years.
Mr. Joseph Nattress, Brampton, announces the engagement of his daughter, Norma Isabel, to the Reverend H. P. Charters, Toronto, son of Samuel Charters, M. P., Brampton. The marriage will take place quietly at the end of April.

Carelessness With Matches
The habit of carrying "strike anywhere" matches loose in the pocket results in many serious fires. In taking something out of the pocket a match drops out on the floor of barn or other place, is stepped on and results in a fire.—Deputy Fire Marshal Lewis, Ontario.

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Pay of the Farm Hands for 1922
District representatives in Ontario report to the Department of Agriculture that farm wages offered vary from $20 to $35 a month, with board, for partly experienced men, and around $35 a month for the average farm worker with experience, while well known and reliable hands get an advance on the latter figure.

NASSAGAWEYA
Messrs. John and Norman Marshall have bought Mr. George Bard's farm for a pasture farm. Mr. Bard, on account of ill health, thinks of returning to Guelph.
Mr. Max Milne, who has rented Mr. Johnson's store, at Eden Mills, and taken over the Post Office, is starting in business this week. All wish him prosperity.
Mr. Hardie has bought the L. Lasby farm near Eden Mills.

GEORGETOWN
The Thursday half-holiday commenced last week.
Mr. J. J. Gibbons has disposed of his grocery business to Mr. D. R. Bennie.
Mrs. W. H. Wilson spent a few days last week in New York.
Mr. John Grant, of Listowel, was the guest of his brother, Major Grant, for a few days last week.
Mrs. (Mayor) Hale, who has been in poor health for some weeks, is taking treatment at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph.
Mrs. Daniel Campbell had the misfortune to fall when coming out of her home last week and severely injure her thigh.
Mr. Jack Barber has donated to the High School a set of "Library of Useful Knowledge," consisting of twenty-five volumes on a variety of subjects.
The Band has been granted the sum of $500 to assist in providing uniforms by the Town Council.
The presentation of the cups and medals won by the children at the school fairs, which was unavoidably postponed, took place at the town hall on Saturday afternoon.
The Council has ordered a road drag at a cost of $20.00.
Relatives from town who attended the funeral of the late Mr. John Eaton were: Messrs. R. F. Reid, Timothy B. Reid, James Reid, Robert Reid, Jr., W. H. Reid and W. A. Wilson.
Messrs. J. H. Mackenzie, A. H. Cassell, O. T. McKay, S. Harrison and John McDermit, went to Toronto on Sunday to hear the new chimes which have just been installed in the Metropolitan Methodist Church.
The Bank of Hamilton branch has been here for forty-seven years.
Mr. Morris Saxe has been granted permission to instal a gasoline tank in front of his premises on Guelph Street.—Herald.