

Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births, per Marriage, per Death, per Memorial Card, per per line extra for space.

DIED
HIMANT—At Hamilton, on Thursday, April 27, 1922, Norman H. Himant, aged 42 years.

SMITH—In Acton, Township, on Wednesday, April 19, 1922, Merril Smith, in his eighty-third year.

LAMBERT—At the family residence, Main Street, Acton, on Saturday, April 29, 1922, Jane Campbell, wife of Ralph Mathias Lambert, in her 74th year.

The Acton Free Press
 THURSDAY, MAY 4, 1922

Brief Local Items

—Buy it with printing.
 —Head in the local news.
 —May Day was a beautiful one.
 —Spring seedling in very general now.
 —Did you get your Jungland picture book.
 —"Plant flowers," is Acton's slogan for this year.
 —The usual May Day moving took place on Monday.
 —Garden making generally is about a week later than last year.
 —The temperature reached over seventy degrees on Tuesday.
 —The pretty English violets are in bloom, and hyacinths and tulips are budding.
 —There were no fairs on Sunday. The bright warm weather was too outlandish.
 —A new water main is being laid up Wallace Avenue to Lower Avenue and Maple Avenue.
 —The beautiful breeze of May are flying—the wind and white froth blowing wing the trees.
 —Sunday was a glorious April day. Most people who could go to the day out of doors.
 —M. Edwards & Co. have removed to Cooper's store on Main Street, across from the Ford Garage.
 —Daylight saving went into effect in Toronto on Monday. None of it for us in this community.
 —Messrs. Eitelvogel & Co. have removed their glove business to O. C. Spalding's shop, Main Street.
 —The car that has the greatest speed will show it; and that which has the loudest horn invariably blows it.
 —A Kitchener lunch counter proprietor paid a \$200 fine last Thursday for having liquor on the premises.
 —A little attention to the memorial plot at the soldiers' monument this week would enhance its attractiveness.
 —Mrs. J. Marshall, Eden Mills, has kindly supplied the Press Press with interesting copies of Irish daily newspapers.
 —Keds' agriculture to the forefront by broad and well defined principles making the head help the hand as far as possible.
 —Master Freddie Ferguson, of Haldimand, who was hurt on Tuesday, April 11, with a circular saw, is able to be around again.
 —In Hurdesses the Town Council is using a road machine with a tractor for motive power in trimming up the streets. A good idea.
 —The business of the Merchants Bank Wyndham Street, Guelph, has been transferred to the bank of Montreal, St. George's Square.
 —There is profitable employment in town for a competent lawn mower sharpener. A five-line saw will bring in the mowers by the score.
 —An Oakville Councillor moved last week to make the cigarette license \$100. It didn't carry. There were too many smokers against the board.
 —May the first was not unpropitious for trout-fishing. The sun was bright and the sky cloudless all day. No big catches of speckled beauties are reported.
 —At the Epworth League service next Monday evening an account of the Easter trip to Washington and New York will be given by a number of the teachers.
 —The roads are dry now, but in many places they are very rough. All the roads in this section would be improved by the free use of a road drag after the next rain.
 —Kill every fly you see. The flies which come to life at this season are the ones which breed the myriads which appear later. One fly will bring in a million.
 —A party of prominent citizens of Oakville paid a visit to Acton during the week, and made inquiries regarding the price of houses which they may purchase and re-sell—Oakville Record.
 —The twenty-second annual meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Jas. McMillan, Flower Avenue, on Friday afternoon, May 5, at three o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

Local Barn and Contents

William Crickard's Barn Destroyed.
 The Farm Lanters the Cause

William Crickard, who bought the several acreage on the townline between Beesing and Nassagawes, to lose his barn and stables by fire last Thursday evening. Mr. Crickard was engaged in doing the evening work about the barn and hung his lantern in the accustomed place in the stable on a snap hook, and went up stairs to throw down hay. When he came down again the stable was ablaze. The lantern had evidently exploded.

The fine herd of cattle was outside at the time and he succeeded in getting out his horses. A few hens were burnt. Most of the farm machinery was also destroyed.

The barn and contents were partially covered by insurance, but the loss will be heavy.

MORE IMPORTANT THAN FATHER

Father had been cleaning the back room windows outside, when little Muriel came in from the garden and said:

"Mother, did you hear, the ladders fall down just now?"

"No," replied the mother.

"Well," said the child, "it fell down and broke the flower pots. I told daddy you'd be cross."

"O dear!" said mother, "I hope your daddy hasn't hurt his back?"

"I don't think he has yet," said little Muriel; "he's still clinging to the window sill."



May 1st Fishermen

This is a view of part of the parade of fishermen who hunted the stream on the Mann Brothers' farm on Monday. Alex Mann says the creek was lined all day. He thinks fishing won't be worth much for the rest of the season.

Other trout streams in this neighborhood were similarly paroled by the fish-hungry first-of-May sportsmen.

Baseball Season Now Open

Schedule Drawn up for the County League and Starts May 13

Now that the nice weather is with us again, the ring of the ball off the bat can be heard almost every evening. A church league has been formed, and the managers of the various teams are bustling around signing up their players. A meeting of all concerned in baseball matters was held last evening. A schedule for the church league was drawn up.

A delegation representing the Acton Club of the Hallowell Baseball League attended the meeting held at Milton on Thursday night. The schedule for the season was drawn up, and is as follows:

May 13—Campbellville at Milton; Milton at Burlington; Georgetown at Campbellville; Milton at Georgetown.

May 20—Acton at Hurdess; Burlington at Campbellville; Milton at Georgetown.

May 27—Hurdess at Milton; Georgetown at Burlington; Campbellville at Acton.

June 3—Burlington at Hurdess; Milton at Campbellville; Acton at Georgetown.

June 10—Acton at Milton; Burlington at Georgetown; Hurdess at Campbellville.

June 17—Acton at Burlington; Georgetown at Campbellville; Milton at Hurdess.

June 24—Georgetown at Milton; Campbellville at Burlington; Hurdess at Acton.

July 1—Burlington at Milton; Campbellville at Burlington; Hurdess at Acton.

July 8—Acton at Campbellville; Hurdess at Georgetown; Milton at Burlington.

July 15—Milton at Hurdess; Campbellville at Georgetown; Burlington at Acton.

July 22—Campbellville at Milton; Hurdess at Burlington; Acton at Georgetown.

July 29—Milton at Acton; Burlington at Campbellville; Georgetown at Hurdess.

Radio-Telephony in a Field of Its Own

Has Great Possibilities, but is not a Competitor with any Previous Invention

In an interesting article on the use of the wireless telephone, published in a recent issue of Forbes Magazine, Wm. H. Eaton has this to say about radio-telephony:

"Some of the economic aspects of this new enterprise are very interesting. It has in the first place, an unlimited field for practically a new industry. Whereas the business in radio apparatus has been heretofore very limited, it is now running into many millions of dollars annually.

"It is also benefiting the nation by providing the farmer with a means of getting instantly news, market reports, weather forecasts, and other useful data, and also by making his farm a much more attractive place for his family than it has been heretofore. That this will have some influence in improving agricultural conditions, can hardly be doubted.

"For the average dweller in a town or city, it has great educational possibilities, as it brings to him music and ideas of a kind that he would never otherwise get. Nor should its special ability to bring the services of the church into the home be overlooked; it can hardly be over-estimated. What the future will bring forth is difficult to determine with certainty, but that this system will have far-reaching social and economic results is beyond question.

"Quite as important to the commercial world is the realization of some of the things that radio will not do. In spite of many prophecies to the contrary, it will not injure the business of the wire telephone companies. The value of the wire telephone lies in the fact that one can talk back over it without the slightest difficulty.

"The radio telephone, on the other hand, is simple enough as far as its receiving, or listening, end is concerned, but its transmitting mechanism is complicated and expensive, and requires expert operation. There are circumstances where the radio telephone can be put to practical use for communicating as from airplanes or ships at sea; but for land use, a few dozen radio conversations would block the air, even if a simple transmitter could be devised.

"On the other hand, the radio telephone will depend largely upon the radio telephone for much of its material. In broadcasting an opera or a church service, for example, the telephone wire is the medium that conveys the sounds from the building to the transmitting station. Consequently, the radio telephone will put wire telephony out of business, in no sense.

"Usually fallacious is the idea that the radio telephone will injure the newspapers. It is true that an item of news can be read to listening millions almost instantly. But such messages are necessarily ephemeral; they reach only those actually listening in at the time, and they must be stripped of practically all detail.

"Now will the radio telephone cause a decrease in the sales of opera tickets, records or concert and opera tickets. It is actually a nationwide sampling medium for music, and, as such, merchandisers know, sampling is one of the most effective ways of increasing sales.

"Indeed, the radio telephone is the direct competitor of no existing enterprise. In an entirely novel way it is adding to the happiness and comfort of hundreds of thousands, and it is not therefore, regarded as a real addition to our civilization."

Guelph Policeman Killed

By a Speeding Motorist at Midnight on Tuesday

William Holloway, a Guelph policeman, sustained a fatal injury, when struck by a motor car at 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, while on duty in the general hospital.

The accident occurred near the top of the Erasmus road hill, at the corner of Queen Street. In attempting to stop the car, which, it is alleged, was travelling at a high rate of speed, the officer was struck and dragged a considerable distance.

Constable Hubert Brush, who was also standing in the road attempting to halt the motorist, narrowly escaped being hit by the car.

The motorist was returning from a dance.

THE GAS AND POSSIBLE OIL WELLS OF THE CALEDON MOUNTAINS

Drilling for gas or oil has always excited considerable excitement, not only in the immediate district where the prospect is being made, but often very far afield, due, no doubt, to the extraordinary nature of the product and the possibilities of wealth which it offers in an investment. Men and women have become millionaires overnight through such investments, and the possibilities exist to-day as much as they ever did.

First the speculative feature, existing to such a marked degree, in many of these possibilities, has in the gas wells now being drilled in the Caledon Mountains, near Inglewood, been eliminated. In the fact that natural gas, of the cleanest and sweetest type, has already been found in considerable quantity and has been lying dormant for ten years, awaiting development of the district.

The Dover Oil Company, with three other valuable holdings, in the section of western Ontario and who have some 50 acres of gas and oil rights in the vicinity of this gas producing well at Inglewood, which they also control, are now starting to drill several larger wells in the vicinity of a natural basin with many valleys leading into it which authorities and experts state is every indication of a large deposit of gas and oil—and are looking for extraordinary results at the 200 or 300 foot level. But it is the level, or distance they will have to drill that is speculative, rather than will they strike gas. There is no question about the gas, its existence is already proven, and by deep enough oil will be obtained in the gas wells. Already franchises for oil have been under negotiation and the commercial value of the venture is assuming attractive possibilities, too considerable to here enumerate.

The Dover Oil Company, realizing how important is the question of placing this large and interesting prospect before the public, who always want to share in the good things of their district and of their country as well, have now placed the entire sale of the remaining available stock issue in new and experienced hands and the Securities Sales Service, Suite 202, 79 Adelaide St. E., Toronto, Ont., will hereafter take over the very important end of the business.

Mr. C. H. Scott, who has quarters at Acton Community House, and is special representative of the Company for Acton, will be glad to furnish full and interesting information on the subject and where investigators are desired, to mean-business will take them to the "ground" to satisfy themselves of the facts.

HE' GOY THE CASH

Don Turpin's press agent is said to be responsible for a story that the comedian's admirers enjoy, whether it be true or not.

Turpin approached the teller of a strange bank with a cheque to be cashed. The teller did not recognize him. "Have you any way to identify yourself?" asked the non-movie attending teller.

"Sure," replied Don, and he became cross-eyed and did his great film fall. "Now, do you know me?" he asked confidently.

"No," answered the teller, "but here's your money. You have earned it."

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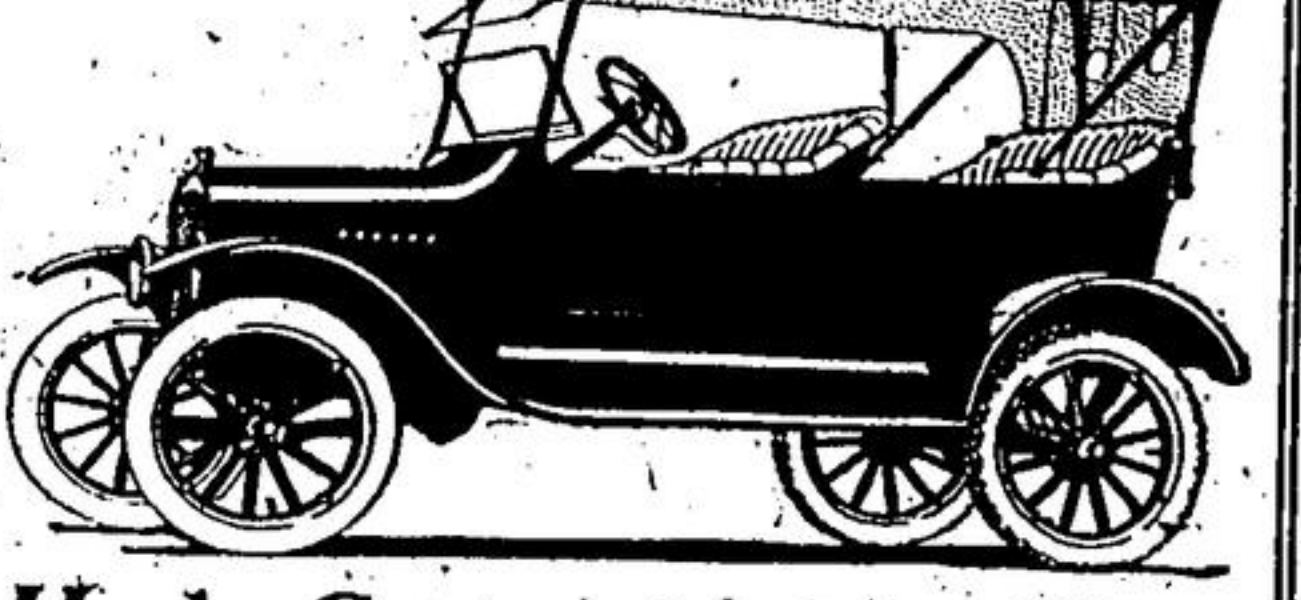
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