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THE METHODIST CHURCH
ACTON

REV. CHAS. HACKETT, Pastor
Parsonage—Willow St.

HARVEST FESTIVAL
11 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "A Song of Thanksgiving."
3.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Our Glorious Harvest."
A WELCOME TO ALL

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

SERVICES:
11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Place of the Church and the School in National Life."
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "In His Spirit."
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Strangers leaving address with the ushers will be called upon by the Pastor.
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Two storey log boarded over, 35x28. Valuable lumber and timbers. Would also be suitable for hog pen if moved.
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Number of new farms listed. Persons intending to purchase see
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STRAYED
Strayed to the premises of the undersigned on Monday, a York sow. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses.
ROSS HUNT,
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AUCTION SALE
Geo. Somerville & Son, lot 27, 4th line, Erin, will hold a sale of their farm, stock, implements, furniture, etc., on Wednesday, September 20 commencing at 12 o'clock.
ROY HINDLEY, Auctioneer.

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McClary's Famous Active, still in use, but being replaced with an electric range. A bargain for immediate sale. May be seen to-day or to-morrow at residence.
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Mouldings, pictures and frames made. Furniture upholstered, remodelled and repaired. Medicine cabinets, hall racks and serving trays made to order. Polished glass shelves and mirrors any size, supplied.
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HEIFER ASTRAY
Strayed from the pasture of the undersigned a two-year-old heifer, with white patch on face and white tip at end of tail. Was first missed about August 23. Reward for information that will lead to recovery.
JAMES DOUGLAH,
Lot 13, Con. 1, Esquesing.
Phone 90 r 3, Acton. 10-tf

AUCTION SALE
Colin McMillan and George E. Pearon will hold an extensive auction sale of 70 head of choice feeders and stockers on lot 31, town line, Esquesing and Nassagaweya, midway between Crawsons Corners and Suburban Park stop on Toronto Suburban Railway on Wednesday, September 13, at 1.30 o'clock, sharp. Six months' credit, 5% per annum off for cash.
R. J. KERR, Auctioneer.

Tenders Wanted
Tenders for the laying of a hardwood floor in the auditorium of the town hall at Acton, will be received by the undersigned until Saturday, September 9. Specifications and full particulars may be had upon application to the Clerk.
H. N. FARMER, Clerk.
Acton, August 29, 1922. 9-2

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8
"The Little Minister"
A Paramount picture, featuring Betty Compson. Mermaid comedy, "Step This Way." Fox News.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
"Exit the Vamp." A Paramount picture with Ethel Clayton starring. Educational comedy, "Falling for Fanny." Pathe News.

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"Mr. Barnes of New York," featuring the adventures and romance of Tom Moore. "The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe," episode 16. Comedy.

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"Star Dust."

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Autumn's Newest Styles

As we swing into cool Autumn days, additions to the wardrobe must be thought of and planned for by women everywhere, in country or in town. Autumn is the gateway to the cooler and coldest season of the year and consequently brings with it new originations in warmer wear.

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To challenge your interest, right now, throughout the many Fashion Departments. Visit MACDONALD'S, in Guelph, this week.

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Shirts at $1.59, Regularly Worth From $2.50 to $3.50

One tremendous clean-up of all our broken lines, augmented by a fine group of travellers' samples.

Negligee styles with double band soft cuffs, all in good patterns. All regular sizes. On sale at both stores.

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Our Famous Week-end Chocolates, per lb. 32c

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For a real meal or light lunch stop at the Acton Cafe, centrally located, appetizing food and the best service.

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COMFORT SERVICE
"The House of Distinction"

We wish to announce that Community Meals are now being served to many Acton patrons, and are found to be delicious and satisfying, a very pleasant change from monotonous home cooking. If you haven't tried our meals we are waiting for you.

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Gem Jars

This is the season for Gem Jars. A complete stock of all sizes. Call and get our prices. Also rubber rings and zinc rings.

CERTO is moving very fast. Have you tried it yet?

BEST PRICES ON SUGAR FOR PRESERVING

D. C. RUSSELL - MILL ST. ACTON

News of Local Import.

The Shoe Factory Increasing Output

Messrs. Howlison & Co., of the Acton Shoe Factory, are certainly making good. They now have an output of 450 pairs of children's boots and shoes daily and expect shortly to increase this to 600 pairs.

The Fourth Line Gravel Pits

Hundreds of loads of gravel have been teamed from the supply on the side of the roadway on the fourth line and from Mr. A. G. Charridge's pit, to the provincial highway on the Acton crossroad. It is good gravel, too. A coating on the fourth line, in the vicinity of the gravelpits, would greatly improve the thoroughfare.

An Acton Exhibitor's Success

Mrs. G. M. Judge, 16 Close Avenue, Toronto, led in home cooking for all Canada at Toronto Exhibition, for she has won the greatest number of prizes in the various entries. She is still holding to her record of last year when she was also the winner. Mrs. Judge, who is a former resident of Halton, is a regular exhibitor at Acton fair, and always wins a large quota of prizes here.

Those Annoying Detours

A certain Galtonian drove in his auto the other day from Galt to Hamilton. He stopped at a garage at the latter town to take gasoline. A small boy looked up at him and asked, "Are you a tourist, mister?" The Galtonian paused a moment, then replied, "Well, my boy, I was when I left home but now I am of the opinion I am a de-tourist." Will those fixing the highway please note.—Reporter.

Special G. T. R. Service to Exhibition

A special train will leave Acton 3.20 p. m. via Grand Trunk on August 30, 31, September 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, arriving at Parkdale 4.45 p. m., Toronto Union Station 4.55 p. m; returning, leaving Parkdale at 10.30 p. m. As the exhibition is run on Daylight saving time this will permit visitors to take in the evening performance. For particulars of reduced fares apply to ticket agent.

Change of Proprietors at Moorehead's

Mr. T. H. Moorehead, who has been operating confectionery stores and restaurants in Acton, Brampton, Milton and Georgetown for several years, is reducing his personal responsibilities and disposing of some of his interests. To this end he has sold his Acton business to his manager, Mr. Victor Rumley, who took possession this week. Mr. Rumley has been very attentive to the business here, is popular and has a fine business training. He has excellent prospects. Mr. Moorehead retains ownership of the property.

A "Man from Missouri" Shown

Mr. George W. Mainprize, of Thayer, Mo., has been visiting his brother, William, the past week. Mr. Mainprize visited his brother here last year, after a long absence. He found the visit so pleasant that he came back again. En route he visited another brother, Robert, at Sylvania, Sask. He was there during the harvest and was amazed at the immense yields Canada's western farms can produce. The fine quality of the grain also astonished him. Being a practical miller, he could appreciate this fact very fully. Mr. Mainprize enjoyed his visit here very much.

The Labor Day Holiday

Labor Day was very generally observed on Monday, in fact the holiday in most of our industrial establishments extended from Friday night or Saturday noon until Tuesday morning. The weather was bright and warm. Toronto Exhibition was the objective for most people, and hundreds went from here by steam cars, by the electric road, by jitney and by private cars to Toronto for the holiday or the week-end. There were little private pic-nics and family visitations, and fixing up about the house for winter, or investigating the probabilities for a supply of winter wood, while a few attending threshings on neighboring farms for old time's sake. Labor Day is always regarded as a welcome holiday by most of folks.

Ontario's Long-Lived Sheriffs

Sheriff A. Hagar, of Prescott and Russell Counties, aged 95, and the oldest incumbent of that office in the Province, has been superannuated by the Provincial Government, and his deputy for many years, Samuel W. Wright, appointed to succeed him. Sheriff Hagar occupied the post for 35 years. That a Sheriff's position seems to be conducive to longevity is evidenced by the ripe ages to which numerous other old-time officials have attained in Ontario. At present the following are still serving, have passed the age of 75 years: W. E. Elliott, St. Thomas, aged 79; Samuel Webster, Milton, 80; D. G. MacMartin, Perth, 76; G. D. Hewley, Napanee, 81; J. A. Hall, Peterboro', 85; James Smith, Welland, 85; and A. S. Allan, Guelph, 79.

Visit of a Veteran Newspaperman

Mr. C. W. Young, of the Cornwall Freeholder, was a very welcome guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Moore on Labor Day. Mr. Young is a native of Georgetown. His father, James Young, Esq., was a leading merchant in that town in the early days. When the Grand Trunk Railway passed through Acton in 1856 Mr. Young purchased the section of the Zonas Adams farm east of the railway right of way. This was subdivided into lots and the main thoroughfare through the property, running parallel with the railway, was named Young Street. Mr. Charles W. Young related interesting anecdotes of visits he paid to Acton during his boyhood days. On one occasion they came to Acton to go fishing in the Grand River at Osprings, and called to take Frank Taylor, the harnessmaker, with them. Mr. Young has had great opportunities for travel. He spent several years in the Southern States and for a time resided in South America. He is one of the oldest members of the Canadian Press Association, and was its president a score of years ago. At the luncheon tendered the newspapermen on Press Day by the Directors of Toronto Exhibition last Friday, Mr. Young was one of the speakers of the day. His visit here on Monday was greatly enjoyed.

Crawford Peaches Ready

The Crawford varieties of peaches, the best for preserving, are now ready. Finest preserving plums will still be obtainable for a short time. Bartlett pears are also moving in good quantities. The season for this pear is short so buy now. The mark of the Niagara Peninsula Growers, Limited, Grimsby, Ont., stands for carefully packed, evenly graded fruit.

National Prize Won by Canadian

Miss C. Graham, B. S. A., an O. A. C. graduate and daughter of Prof. W. R. and Mrs. Graham, has been awarded a $1,200 scholarship by the National Research Council, Washington, to conduct investigations in horticulture.

Casualties Among Halton's Barns

Since the beginning of the year about twenty barns in Halton County have been destroyed by fire, many of them containing the season's crops, live stock and implements. The number is said to be a record-breaker for the first eight months of the year. The loss is estimated at $200,000. In one case a $10,000 fire in Nassagaweya was caused by boys starting a bonfire close to the barn. Several fires were caused by threshing machines.

Magisterial Jurisdiction Further Extended

An Order-in-Council, approved by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, has been passed appointing H. P. Moore Police Magistrate for the County of Halton and part of the County of Wellington, also for the County of Peel. His jurisdiction for this new territory will be concurrent with that of the Police Magistrates now having jurisdiction in Peel County. Police Magistrate Moore is given the privilege by the same order to continue his present business engagements until otherwise directed by Order-in-Council.

Women's Institute, Last Friday

The meeting of Acton Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. A. H. Bishop, Fairview Avenue, last Friday afternoon was largely attended. An interesting programme included a bright address on "Citizenship," by Miss E. Appelbe, the District President. Mrs. George Agnew, the retiring president, was presented with a beautiful bouquet of gladioli, and kind words of appreciation were spoken concerning her occupancy of the office. Owing to illness Mrs. H. S. Wilson, the new president, was unable to attend. Miss Foister therefore presided. A dainty lunch was served at the close.

That Won't Apply to Acton

"Guess what I heard my dad say!" said a school boy in a neighboring town on Tuesday morning, as the lads were wending their way to school on Tuesday morning, after the long summer holidays. "He said the schools might not be kept open more than a month, because they wouldn't get coal enough to heat 'em." That won't apply to Acton schools, however. The Trustee Board filled the coal bunkers at the school building last spring, and has sixty or seventy tons there—a supply sufficient to keep the ten rooms at the school comfortable until next spring.

Harry White is Moving Again

After prolonged negotiations, Mr. H. S. White has made arrangements to bring his glove factory to Orillia from Kitchener. He has rented the upper storey of the Chris. Moore block. His machinery has arrived in town, and will be set up at once. Mr. White has been engaged for some years in the manufacture of men's working gloves of various descriptions. He has added to his plant and capital, and intends to branch out in new lines. From 12 to 15 hands will be employed from the start.—Orillia Packet. It is about forty years since Harry was engaged in the glove business in Acton with W. H. Storey & Son. For a number of years he was in business in the States. Latterly he has had glove factories at Stratford and Kitchener. Harry, generally makes things go wherever he does business.

Another Convenience to Canadians

Announcement is made by the Canadian Postoffice Department that a C. O. D. service, in connection with mail matter will be established within Canada, whereby charges due the sender up to $100 may be collected from the addressee and remitted to the sender by postoffice money order. This service will apply only in the case of mail matter posted at a money order postoffice for delivery at another money order postoffice within Canada. Rural routes starting from money order postoffices are for this purpose considered as money order postoffices and may be granted a C. O. D. service. The C. O. D. fee also covers insurance and registration. This new arrangement will be convenient and popular. Everybody goes to the postoffice, but scores of people rarely have occasion to go to the express office, where all C. O. D. parcels have heretofore been sent and returns collected.

William Williams Sells Property

Mr. William Williams, shoe merchant, has sold his two stores and residence on Mill Street to Mr. Norris Brown, of Toronto. This does not include Mr. Williams' stock of boots and shoes. This stock he will dispose of during the present month. He will then retire from business and enjoy a well-earned rest. Mr. and Mrs. Williams came to Acton forty-seven years ago, from Bowmanville. For three years he was employed by Messrs. Kennedy Bros. and by Messrs. Kenney & Son, and then went into business for himself. He has been a useful citizen, upright and honest in his dealings and highly esteemed by the entire community. He has borne a fair share of municipal responsibilities, having been for several years a member of the Council, and in other ways has loyally fulfilled the duties of a good citizen. Mr. Brown will occupy a part of the premises with an up-to-date men's furnishing store and intends to make Acton his permanent residence.

Visited the Old Home

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Farmer, of Chicago, were here last week renewing acquaintances. Mr. Farmer, who was the eldest son of the late John Farmer, and grandson of Michael Farmer, the first Secretary of Acton Bible Society, and editor for this community, was born in Acton. His birthplace was in the house at the corner of Frederick and Agnes Streets, where Mr. and Mrs. John Jennings lived before they went to England. It was now then, as was also the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moore, on the lot adjoining. In fact these were then the only homes in the block bounded by Frederick, Agnes, Church and Elgin Streets. This was sixty-eight years ago. Mr. Farmer visited many of the haunts of his boyhood, including the "old swimmin' hole," at Fairy Lake. He lives in Chicago, as do also his three sons, all of whom are interested in and give their time to the business of the Reliance Chandelier Mfg. Co. During their visit east Mr. and Mrs. Farmer visited friends in New Ontario and in Toronto, also at Erin, where Mr. Farmer's mother's only living brother, Mr. John Gawthrop, resides. During their visit here Mrs. Tyler, of Kelso, Mr. Farmer's sister, accompanied them. It is about fifty years since the Farmers removed from Acton to Lambton County.

Coal Coming Before September Days are Ended

Mines in Good Shape; Plenty of Cars Available, and Men About Ready to Work

ANTHRACITE COAL WILL SOON BE POURING FROM THE MINES

Present indications give reasons for relief from anxiety about serious shortage of coal the coming winter, and also remove all possible grounds for fixing fancy prices for wood on the part of dealers.

A dispatch yesterday from New York, which is the real head of coal mining executive operations, says: "The strikes are now practically over, and when the anthracite miners begin to dig coal the operators will find plenty of cars on hand to take care of the output. According to L. F. Loree, president of the Delaware and Hudson Railroad, and E. M. Bine, vice-president and general manager of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western this is assured.

The coal operators have been quoted as saying that they will be able to resume the normal flow of coal in about thirty days, if the railroads are able to supply the cars.

"There will be no dimoulty," said Mr. Loree, "in moving all the coal that the operators are able to get out of their mines. In two weeks production should be back to normal, and we will be able to handle it all. The mines are in good shape. The maintenance men have kept at work all during the suspension, and there should be no difficulty in starting up the mines as soon as the men start back.

"The Delaware and Hudson has 7,000 coal cars available at once. The situation, with all the other roads in the anthracite field, may be summed up by saying that they have a substantial surplus of cars."

Mr. Bine corroborated all that Mr. Loree said. He added that the Lackawanna has a surplus of 2,000 cars that it lent to the Pennsylvania Railroad to help out in moving bituminous coal. Those cars, Mr. Bine said, could be returned within ten days, and would be ready in plenty of time to move anthracite when needed.

—Orangeville Show Fair, September 14 and 15, will be the greatest fair of the season. Don't miss it.

Acton Man Fined $100 in Toronto

The Toronto Telegram on Tuesday said: "Charles Goldhain, of Acton, pleaded guilty in the police court this morning to a charge of violation of the Ontario Temperance Act. He was fined $100 and costs."

Every Word of This is True

One step won't take you very far, you've got to keep on walking; one word won't tell folks who you are, you've got to keep on talking; one inch won't make you very tall, you've got to keep on growing; one little adv. won't do it all, you've got to keep them going.

American Prisoner to be Deported

Edward Ryan, aged 24 years, of Pittsburg, Penn., who was found guilty a week ago of robbing Dr. Scalding's summer home near Oakville last May, was sentenced last Thursday by His Honor Judge Killot to five years in Kingston Penitentiary. The sentence carried with it a recommendation for deportation, to the United States on account of the prisoner being a victim of epileptic fits.

The Champion Dislikes Procrastination

The Champion has commented from time to time on Milton's procrastination in the erection of a monument to her fallen heroes. Money was collected and about $1,000 was deposited in a bank, but since then nothing has been done. For the credit of the town the members of the committee in whose hands the work of collection and subsequent arrangements were placed should bestir themselves and have the monument erected before winter sets in. Some of the subscribers whose money is on deposit want action or explanation and they should get either. —Champion.

A Venerable Resident in Hospital

It was only last week that the Free Press referred to the visit of Alexander Waldie, Esq., to friends in Milton and how much he enjoyed the days spent there. On Sunday following his return he was taken with a serious attack of kidney trouble. Relief was not obtained from the customary treatment and the old gentleman was removed to Guelph Hospital. An operation was successfully performed last week, and he is now making good progress toward recovery. There has been much anxiety here respecting this fine old gentleman's condition during the week and it will be a great relief to many to learn of his encouraging condition.

Regulations Respecting Baled Hay

By a Dominion law which went into effect on April 1 regulating the handling of baled hay, each bale of hay must now bear a tag stating the weight of the bale, in addition to the name and address of the baler, penalty being provided to the extent of $5.00 for each bale which is not so labelled. As regards the penalties attaching to those putting foreign matter into any bale of hay intended for sale, the law provides: "Any person who puts any foreign matter into any bale of hay intended for sale, which improperly increases its weight, or which prejudicially affects the quality of the bale, shall, on summary conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding $40 for the first offense, and for each subsequent offense to a fine not exceeding $100.

Serious Fun for Four Boys

On Saturday, August 26, Harry Hillson, of Nassagaweya, and Robert Buck, of Nelson, were driving to Campbellville in their Ford cars to attend a baseball match. They were both unfortunate in stalling their cars, and friends happening along, they left the cars on the side of the road and proceeded to Campbellville in their friend's car. When they returned in the evening they found the cars had been maliciously damaged. The windshields had been smashed with stones and other damages committed. Eye witnesses allege that four Georgetown youths are the culprits. Informations were laid before Police Magistrate Dice of Milton, by County Constable Chapman, and the four young men will come up for trial before County Police Magistrate Moore for hearing in the course of a few days.

Social and Personal

Mrs. E. F. Collier is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. Austin Reid, of Stratford, was home over the holidays.

Mr. C. V. Stafford, of Guelph, visited Acton friends on Saturday.

Mrs. Alice McPherson is visiting friends in Toronto this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown motored to Barnia for the week-end.

Mrs. Alex. McKenzie and children left for the old home in Scotland last week.

Mrs. Mary Carty, of Hamilton, is spending a few days with Acton friends.

Mr. C. C. Henderson and Master Arthur visited friends in Galt over the holiday.

Mrs. Martha Armstrong and Miss Graham were here from Brampton over the week-end.

Mr. J. E. Gamble and Miss Annie Collier visited friends in Toronto over the week-end.

Mrs. Adam Stewart, of Kitchener, visited friends in the old home here during the week.

Miss Devina Graham, of Guelph, visited at the home of Mr. G. H. Lantz over the week-end.

Mr. Harry Stevens, of Toronto, was a guest for a couple of days last week, of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Denny.

Miss Zella McCartney, of Toronto, spent a few holidays with Acton friends and returned to her home on Sunday.

Mrs. Kay, Mr. Percy Kay, Mrs. Adams and Mr. G. E. Bell, of Galt, visited at Mr. H. H. Wilson's over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Farmer, of Chicago, and Mrs. Tyler, of Kelso, visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Watson last week.

Mrs. G. H. Switzer and Miss Marjorie have returned after spending a pleasant holiday with Rev. J. L. and Mrs. Green at Port Elgin.

Miss Bertha Brown, of the Toronto teaching staff, returned to Toronto on Monday after spending her holidays at her home here.

Mrs. Adams and children and Miss Belle Smith, of Toronto, spent the holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Davis, of the Advocate, Mitchell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Holmes en route to Toronto Exhibition for Press Day.

Mr. George Agnew, Jr., who is on the staff of the Detroit Savings Bank, Detroit, spent the week-end at the home of his father, Mr. Geo. Agnew, Mill Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jennings and family have returned from a trip to their former home at Devonshire, England. Mr. Albert Grenville has also returned from England.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jarrott and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDonald and Master Kenneth, of Brigden, spent a day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Macdonald, Maria St.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Clark, of Chatsworth, spent the week-end with Mrs. W. J. Gould. Miss Ruby Clark, who had been holidaying with them, accompanied them home.

Dr. Peter Stuart and Miss Stuart have returned from a six weeks' trip to England, Scotland and France. They had a pleasant and interesting time and returned much benefitted by the trip.—Guelph Herald.

Dr. J. A. McNiven motored to Dorchester on Sunday and spent the day with his sister, who is critically ill. He was accompanied as far as Stratford by Mr. W. E. Hart.

Little Velma Murray, who was operated on for appendicitis in Guelph Hospital last week, is making splendid progress and her parents hope to have her home again in a few days.

Mrs. Julia McArthur left on Tuesday for New Orleans, La., where she expects to spend the fall and winter. Her granddaughter, who has been residing with her, and who is a native of the South, accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hartley, Milton, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Lillian Estelle, to Mr. Allan B. McCready, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McCready, Milton, the marriage to take place this month.

Miss Margaret J. Macdonald was in Newmarket on Saturday attending the Murritt-Robinson wedding. Miss Aileen Robinson, of Coldwater, returned home with her to spend the week-end here before leaving for Coldwater to commence their duties on Tuesday.

Mr. George C. Haddow, who has just returned to Canada after a year in Oxford University, has been appointed Lecturer in English in the University of Manitoba. Mr. Haddow, who is an M. A., of Toronto, and a B. A., of Oxford, is a son of Rev. Robert Haddow, D. D., formerly minister of Knox Church, Milton, now one of the editors of the Presbyterian Witness.

—Every person should go to the big Show Fair at Orangeville on September 14 and 15.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOSEPH ANDERSON

After surviving her husband for two years, Mrs. Joseph Anderson, of Hartney, Man., passed away on Sunday, August 20. Mrs. Anderson was a daughter of the late Neil Keith, of the second line, Esquesing. Her maiden name was Christina. It is nearly forty years since she and her husband were married and settled in Acton. About thirty years ago they removed to Hartney. There, having engaged in farming, they prospered. Mr. Anderson died in 1920. Mrs. Anderson removed to Winnipeg, but she did not like the city and returned to Hartney. There were no children. Mrs. Anderson was a woman of high character, and was everywhere esteemed. The funeral service was held in the Hartney Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, August 22, and interment was made in Winnipeg, where Mr. Anderson was buried.

HAD NOTHING BUT SENSE

Among the guests at a reception was a distinguished man of letters. He was grave and somewhat taciturn.

One of the ladies present suggested to the hostess that he seemed to be out of place at such a party.

"Yes," replied the hostess, with a bright smile, "you see, he can't talk anything but sense!"

—All roads will lead to Orangeville Show Fair on September 14 and 15

Neighborhood News--Town and Country

CHURCHILL

By request Rev. Dr. Kilgour, of Toronto, will preach next Sunday afternoon in the Congregational Church on "What Shall I Do with Jesus?"

On Saturday afternoon next a pic-nic will be held at Blue Springs Park, under the auspices of the Congregational Sunday School.

MILTON

Bishop Clark, of Hamilton, attended a meeting of the congregation of Grace Church last week to consider the appointment of a rector to succeed Rev. O. P. Cooke, who removed to Hamilton. Rev. E. J. R. Nuttel, of Elora, was named by the Bishop as one who might accept the appointment, and a resolution that it be offered him was carried.

NASSAGAWEYA

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Angus, of Burlington, and Miss Sophia Livingstone, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Frank during the week.

The annual School Fair will be held at Brookville on Thursday, September 14. It will have several interesting new features. The inside show will be held in the township hall and the outside contests in McPhedran's field.

CREWSONS CORNERS

The grading on the new highway from Acton to the Corners, is about finished.

A number from here are attending Toronto Exhibition this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. VanNorman and children, Guelph, spent several days during the week at Mr. Jas. Gamble's.

Miss Kathleen Millar is attending Guelph Collegiate Institute.

Miss Clara Lantz spent Labor Day at Mr. Jas. Gamble's.

Mr. Alfred Farmer, of Chicago, visited Blue Springs Park after calling upon his cousin, Mr. James Gamble, last week. He was surprised at the beauty and tidiness of the place and complimented Mr. and Mrs. Murray on their enterprise.

LIMEHOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Smith, of Toronto, visited friends here over the holiday.

Mr. Kenneth Nickell is visiting with friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. B. LeFoldiven and Miss Gertie Milliere visited relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodgins and children, of Acton, visited at Mr. Geo. W. Mino's on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Marshall and Ralph and Misses Olive and Edwina were home over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Brown and Miss "Pete" Ross, of Georgetown, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mrs. Edward Marshall and son, of Erin, visited at Mr. Edward Marshall's on Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Edge, of Waterdown, is visiting friends in the village.

Mr. Douglas Gowdy intends taking a course at Knox College, and has registered at that splendid institution.

Mrs. E. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Schardt, Mrs. J. Gest and Miss Nellie Parsons motored from Buffalo for Labor Day.

OAKVILLE

Dundas Street highway in Trafalgar is graded from the Sixteen bridge east, almost to the ninth line. The hills are completely eliminated.

There certainly is reason to be proud of the appearance of the town cemetery. The grass has been kept cut, paths laid and monuments generally straightened up.

Dr. Forster, of Whitby, was a visitor on Wednesday with his brother, Mayor Forster, of the Star.

The cellar for the new Jacobs Jam Factory has been excavated and the foundations laid and all is ready for the erection of the walls.

The programme is completed for Oakville Fair and never was there a brighter list of attractions for every day—morning, afternoon and evening. The horse ring promises a grand display and entries are more numerous than any year before.

The Bell Telephone Company has awarded contracts for the erection of a new "central" in Oakville, to be located at the corner of Dundas and Randall Streets. Construction will begin at once, and the building should be ready by the New Year. The building will be of brick construction and be 30x47 feet, and one story high. It will contain operating room and offices and have a spacious basement.

Arrangements have been completed for the pageant to be given at the three evening performances during Oakville's great Fair. The directors have decided to spend $1,000 on scenery and costumes and no efforts will be spared to make the evenings successful.—Star.

The Band Tattoo at Milton

Complimentary Words for Acton Band —Experiment May be Repeated

Referring to the band tattoo at Milton the Reformer speaks of the part taken by Acton Citizens' Band as follows:

The first part of the programme was given by the Acton Citizens' Band, who received great praise both for the manner in which they rendered their selections, as well as for the quality of the selections themselves. Their cornets were especially good, notably that of Miss Lettie Mason, who also made a big hit with the crowd in her cornet solo, so much so that an encore was demanded and graciously acceded to by the fair performer.

Those musical tattoos have already established their popularity with the people, and they can confidently look forward to their being repeated next and succeeding years, probably on a much larger scale.

—Woodstock has used 10,000 gallons of tarvia on its streets this year. The cost has been 18c a gallon. The Council finds that the longer tarvia is used the lower is the cost for maintenance.

—It looks as if Fergus tax rate will be around 44 mills, but this will be settled at the Council meeting next week. This is a heavy increase over last year's, which was 37 mills.—News-Record.

—The Dominion Government has set October 9 as "Fire Prevention Day," when all citizens will be called upon to thoroughly inspect their premises with a view to removing all conditions likely to cause fire.

—When the town business men buy their supplies of stationery from the home printer they get the money back in a short time, because the printer has to spend it at once. When they buy from outside firms they never see their money again.—Forest Free Press.