The Acton Free Press.

Forty-ninth Year—No. 7. THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 16, 1923 ACTON, ONTARIO, CANADA THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 16, 1923 Single Copies—Five Cents

THE METHODIST CHURCH
ACTON

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

10.00 a. m.—Quarterly Love Feast.
11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Fruit of Wisdom."
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p. m.—Communion Service. Subject of sermon, "Lest We Forget." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the close of evening service.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

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

Bible Class and Church Services withdrawn while the church is being decorated. Sunday School as usual at 10.00 a. m.

Re-opening and Anniversary Date, September 9.

The Pastor and Officials of the Methodist Church have extended a cordial invitation to attend the Methodist Church while Knox Church is closed.

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

New Advertisements

Advertisements in this column 2 cents per word. Minimum charge, 20c per insertion.

BRICK FOR SALE
4,000 fire-flash brick for sale. Apply
J. BELL,
6-2 Main Street.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT
Enquire from
MRS. WATERHOUSE,
Scene Street, Acton.

FOUND
An embroidered baby carriage cover. Owner may have same by calling at THE FREE PRESS OFFICE.

NOTICE
On and after Saturday, August 18, the blacksmith shops of Acton will be closed each Saturday at 12 o'clock noon until further notice.

FOUND
An Eversharp Pencil with name inscribed on barrel. Owner may have same by calling at the
FREE PRESS OFFICE.

WANTED
At once, an experienced farm hand. Elderly preferred. Good milker. Apply in person to
MISS HALLETT,
7-2 Lot 17, 3rd line, Erin.

WANTED
Girl or middle-aged woman to do general housework. Permanent position, if suitable. Apply to
MRS. MORRIS SAXE,
7-2 Georgetown, Ont.

LOST
Last Wednesday or Thursday, an embroidered pique baby carriage robe. Finder please return to
MRS. J. M. McDONALD,
Mill Street.

FOR SALE
McClary Coal Range, good as new. Hall Rack, and several small articles. Apply to
MRS. ALICE FLEURY,
Mill Street.

FOR SALE
Comfortable brick bungalow, [illegible] location, fine corner lot. [illegible] be sold at once. Ask
R. J. KERR,
Real Estate Agent.

STRAYED
To the premises of the undersigned, about the end of July, a Jersey calf, with white star on face. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses.
JAMES McCALLUM,
Third Line, Erin Township.

CARD OF THANKS
The Acton Jubilee Celebration Committee desire to thank all the citizens and visitors who co-operated so splendidly to make the celebration such a success. The whole affair was a magnificent example of co-operation, and the Committee feel deeply indebted to all who participated in any way.

FARMS FOR SALE
32 Farms in the counties of Halton and Wellington, varying from 40 to 200 acres. Let us send you our list. A number of homes and business places in Acton for sale.
Fire and Life Insurance. Money to Loan.
J. A. SMITH,
Real Estate Agent.
Phone 105 Acton, Ont.

CARD OF THANKS
Children's Aid Society, Peel and Halton

To the Citizens of Acton:

On behalf of the Children's Aid Society of Halton, I hereewith desire to thank the Acton friends for the very generous donation of $183.49 to the Children's Shelter, Milton, being the proceeds of an offering taken up at the Community Service held during Acton's Jubilee Celebration.

W. H. STEWART,
Local Supt. C. A. Society.

Milton, August 14, 1923.

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17
"Under Two Flags"
With Priscilla Dean, as "Cigarette," the daughter of the regiment, the most magnificent role of her career. Taken from the immortal novel by Ouida. We are proud to present it to followers of the best in photoplay entertainment. Comedy, "A Penny Reward." Fox Weekly News. Admission 20c and 30c.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18
"Clarence"
Starring Wallace Reid, Agnes Ayres and May McAvoy, taken from Booth Tarkington's great American novel. A love story that turns the laugh-light upon the average home. A Paramount production. Comedy, "Is Out of Place." Scenic. Admission 15c and 25c.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21
"Anna Ascends"
Starring Alice Brady in the inspiring role in which she scored her biggest stage success. Comedy, "Sweet and Pretty." Episode No. 15 of "Go-Get-'Em-Hutch."

J. A. McCLURE & SON

All the Summer Dresses
Half and a Third Off.

Smart Summer Fashions at New Low Prices

Plenty of warm weather yet in which to enjoy these Summer fashions that are taking lower prices. Warm days are pleasant or impossible according to how you dress for them, so Guelph's Big Store is showing fashions for high temperatures at low prices; and many thrifty people who need fresh new dresses for rounding out the Summer in, and who like to have a saving ready for another season, are taking eager advantage.

Ratines—Voiles—Ginghams—reduced, prices ranging from $2.98 to $14.50. Worth a half to twice as much again.

All the Children's Dresses---All the Millinery---All the Women's Silk Pullovers and Silk Blouses ---All the Wash Goods

Practically all Summer Goods involved now in clearance movements at merely fractional prices.

Many Lines of Wallpaper—Nearly All Lines of Men's Summer Clothing and Furnishings at Sharp Reductions, Too

Thrifty people who must or wish to make home and personal allowances go as far as possible, may reap a rich harvest of golden savings.

CARPET SWEEPERS $2.40

This is one of our big value-sensations this week—in fact, the biggest of many weeks. If you can find it possible to be in town over the week-end don't fail to get one of these.

D. E. Macdonald & Bros., Ltd.
Guelph's Leading and Largest Store

Week-end Specials

ASSORTED CHOCOLATES
Don't forget to buy a pound of our Famous Assorted Chocolates. The stock is always fresh and clean. Regular 40c lb. Week-end Special 29c lb.

COCOANUT ROCKS
Cocoanut Rocks, regularly 40c lb. Week-end Special Price 34c lb.

VARIETY BARS
Variety Bars, four flavors in each bar, Vanilla, Strawberry, Chocolate and Caramel. Week-end Special, 6 bars for 25c.

ICE CREAM
When out shopping come in for a drink of Chocolate Royal, a Banana Split, or one of our appetizing Sundaes.

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

THE PROOF OF THE BOOT IS IN THE WEARING

SPECIAL SALE!
This Week

Some of these lines are travellers' samples, and some are window samples, odd lines, broken sizes, but mostly all sizes in the lot.

LOOK THEM OVER

40 pairs of Women's White Canvas Slippers and Oxfords, all sizes in the lot, $1.65 per pair.

A few pairs, all sizes, $3.50 and $4.00, black and brown trimmed, mostly sizes 3½, 4 and 4½, to clear at $1.65.

Women's Leather Slippers, samples, only 3, 3½ and 4 sizes, worth up to $4.00, $1.50.

Women's Samples, calf, patent and kid leathers, all small sizes, 3, 4 and 5, for $1.95 and $2.95.

Men's Work Boots, worth $4.50, for $3.95.

Men's Boots, finer lines, worth $4.50, for $3.95.

Bargains in Oxfords and Welts, also Boys' and Misses' Shoes

HARRY HARRISON, The Shoe Man
WE WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

News of Local Import

Corrections in Jubilee Celebration Report

In the list of donors to the Jubilee Celebration sports fund the names of E. & K. Steele, A. B. McLean and Chas. Moore were inadvertently omitted. The prize for the best decorated residence was given to Mrs. Joseph Holmes, not Miss Florence Holmes, as stated in the judge's report.

Sudden Illness of Mrs. Croft

News reached Acton last week of the sudden and critical illness of Mrs. Strachan Croft, of Durham, daughter of Mrs. Peter McDonald, Lake Avenue. Mrs. Croft was at once removed to the General Hospital, Toronto, where a diagnosis showed the trouble to be a tumor on the brain. An operation followed and the reports this week are quite favorable.

Union Services in Methodist Church

During the month of July the Methodist congregation worshipped in Knox Church, their pastor being absent on holidays. Last Sunday the second month of union services commenced in the Methodist Church, Rev. Mr. Hackett being in charge. Rev. Mr. Stewart is now enjoying his holidays, and the church is being repainted and decorated. Next Sunday the regular quarterly communion service will be held in the Methodist Church. The congregations unite in the sacramental service.

Methodist Sunday School Pic-nic

The annual pic-nic of the Methodist Sunday School will be held next Wednesday afternoon, 22nd inst., at Blue Springs Park. The event is looked forward to with pleasurable anticipation. This pic-nic is not for the children alone. All the members of the school are included, and in fact, the whole congregation. The members of the Home Department are especially invited. Now it is hoped that the harvest is so well advanced that the farmers will attend with the whole family. All the motor cars in the congregation, and friends of the school, are good-naturedly commandeered for the afternoon by A. T. Brown, Superintendent, and his pic-nic committees.

The New Thomson Works

The new factory of the Thomson Motor Supplies Limited is about completed. A quantity of machinery arrived on Tuesday and a car load is being shipped from St. Catharines this week. In a very short time the wheels will be turning, this new Acton manufactory will be in operation. Mr. R. Thomson, the managing director, was here this week. He is quite enthusiastic over the enterprise. The $10,000 bonds of the company are being acquired for by local investors. They bear six per cent. interest and are guaranteed by the town. No doubt when they are available they will be speedily picked up by citizens of means who are seeking gilt-edged investments.

Knox Church in Hands of Decorators

The Stoneman Crawford Co., church decorators, have the work of painting and decorating the interior of Knox Church well in hand. The scaffolding was erected last week and the entire interior has received one coat. The terra cotta shades which previously prevailed are being replaced with very restful shades of olive. The decorations will be chaste and appropriate and executed on lines for which this experienced firm of skilled decorators are noted. The work will be completed in the second week of September and re-opening services are set for Sunday, the 9th of the coming month. While the work of decorating is in progress Knox congregation will worship with the congregation of the Methodist Church. Messrs. Stoneman Crawford Co. are also engaged in decorating St. George's Church, Guelph.

Our Jubilee Impressions on Visitors

The editor of the Milton Champion, who attended our Jubilee Celebration last week, makes the following kindly comment: "The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Acton's incorporation began last Saturday and ended on Monday evening. There was a large "welcome" banner on Main Street. Public buildings, business establishments, and dwellings were decorated with flags and streamers. The town looked very bright and pretty and a large energetic reception committee was busy welcoming the host of ex-residents and other friends who gathered from all points of the compass. A notable feature of the celebration was the tattoo by the Milton, Acton and Georgetown bands, 75 players, when the three were massed. The programme was pronounced splendid. The attendance at the celebration was about 4,000.

Two Motoring Parties Meet in Acton

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lamb, Knox Avenue, has been the meeting place this week of friends widely separated when at their respective homes. Prof. and Mrs. Berry and two children, of Rochester, N. Y., motored to Acton, and here they met Dr. and Mrs. Jamieson, of Neepewa, Man., who had motored from that prairie province. Mrs. Berry and Mrs. Jamieson are sisters, daughters of the late Robert Lamb, of Crewsons Corners, and nieces of Mr. Walter Lamb. They are granddaughters of the late Samuel McGorman, whom old residents will remember as a leading farmer at Crewsons Corners, who removed to Manitoba over forty years ago. Mr. Berry is professor of Psychology in Rochester University, and Dr. Jamieson has a fine practice in the Neepewa district. Their visit has been very pleasant, and they have conceived fine opinions of Acton.

Did Not Manifest Spirit of Sports

The defeat of Bronte on their own diamond by Georgetown on Saturday put that team out of the running for the championship of Halton League. Georgetown won by a score of 2 to 1 in a most exciting game. This result practically gives Georgetown the championship and puts them in competition with outside leagues. The ending of the season in this manner was evidently not to the liking of two or three of the leading players of the Bronte team. The ninth innings had not been completed before they attacked several of the Georgetown players, assaulting them in a most unsportamanlike manner. There will be a sequel to this fracas for charges of assault have been laid against two of the Bronte men by the captain of the Georgetown team. These charges will come before Police Magistrate Mills at Milton next Thursday afternoon, 23rd inst. A number of witnesses who saw the assault have been summoned.

Police Court News

On Sunday, 5th inst., four young fellows went for a motor drive from Georgetown to Norval. As they reached the foot of the hill entering Norval they met a short man with a hump on his back who asked them if they would like to buy some liquor. They asked him what kind of liquor. He said wine. They replied they would. He said follow me and in about five minutes I will get you some. They followed to the corner near the hardware store. The short man and another man, Robert McPherson, were there. McPherson said he could get them liquor. They ordered three bottles of wine; paid McPherson $3.00 for the three bottles. He went with the short man to a house across the corner and they returned with the three bottles and delivered them to Earl Thurston and Joseph Huggins. They each had a drink on the street and W. Hollis and D. Givens, who were with them, also had a drink each. Chief Jackson saw the boys when they got back to Georgetown. He laid informations against them, and they came before Police Magistrate Moore on Thursday afternoon. Each of them pleaded guilty and was fined $10.00 and costs, $14.35 in all.

When put upon oath as to the source of supply the young men told the above story. Inspector Reovely, who was present at the trial, took two of the young men and proceeded to Norval to investigate. He found McPherson and brought him to Acton to secure bail. When the boys rehearsed their statement in the presence of McPherson he pleaded guilty, said he had secured the liquor as a favor to the boys. They paid him the money, and he paid the cook at Norval. He was fined $200 and costs. The Inspector then went after the cook.

Police Magistrate Moore found himself in the same position as some other unfortunate motorists the other day. One afternoon during the Jubilee Celebration he was driving up Main Street to turn at Mill on the way to the park. When the silent policeman was reached he found a steam thresher outfit blocking the right side of the silent policeman, being held up there by a welcome street banner which caught the smokestack. The magistrate turned to the left and proceeded down Mill Street and on to the park. Upon reflection, even under the circumstances, he concluded that he had violated the law and must take the consequences as other motorists are obliged to do. He therefore fined himself the usual assessment of $2.00 and costs, and the municipality is that much better off.

Henry A. May, of Esquesing, was charged by Chief Jackson before Police Magistrate Moore, at Georgetown, on Friday morning, with violating a town by-law by leaving his motor car without lights, unattended for two hours, on a main street; part of which was obstructed with building material in use in the reconstruction of the O'Neill Block. Chief Jackson requested the car to be removed when Mr. May placed it there, because several accidents had occurred there during the summer, but his request was curtly refused. A conviction was made and a penalty of $1.00 and costs imposed. It was somewhat of an anomaly that Mayor Dale appeared for the defence of the defendant, who had violated the town's by-law and refused to obey the reasonable request of the town's chief constable. Mr. H. G. Meir was counsel for Chief Jackson.

A session of police court will be held this evening to try a violation of the Ontario Temperance Act and a couple of motor vehicle cases.

A fine of $20 was imposed on Clarence Carey, of Georgetown, for reckless driving in Toronto police court on Monday. The police said his car was going nearly 40 miles an hour.—Globe.

Limehouse Garden Party

A garden party will be held in the park, Limehouse, on Wednesday, August 22. The programme will be given by the Hanna Heather Troupe, consisting of seven artists. The programme will consist of Scottish and national singing and dancing, and they will be ably assisted by Messrs. H. Higby and A. Shand.

Halton-Peel Football League

At a largely attended meeting of representatives of the different clubs at Creditvale to form the Halton-Peel Soccer League, the following officers were elected: President, Mr. Alex. Trotter, Acton; Vice-President, Mr. Aitett, Cheltenham; Secretary, A. Pope, Streetsville; Treasurer, F. Walker, Creditvale; Executive, R. Bainbridge, Creditvale, G. Brennan, Acton, Mr. Marshall, Cheltenham, Mr. Potts, Cooksville, A. Leiper, Oakville, T. Waddell, Sr., Streetsville; Referees for the League, Mr. Bailey, Acton, Mr. Hurbridge, Toronto, Mr. Thompson, Toronto, Mr. Bainbridge, Creditvale.

Vandalism and Theft at Milton

About two months ago Thos. McJannett and Bert Jones carried five wooden benches to Victoria Park and left them there for use at band concerts and by the motoring parties who camp in the park on the invitation of the town authorities. They were appreciated greatly by the campers. Two or three put aide by side made a good table off which to lunch, with the others as seats. They are gone. First they were smashed by boys and later the fragments were carried off for kindling, it is supposed. It is said that some of the guilty parties are known, also boys who climb the trees in the park and break off the branches. If so, there should be prosecutions and punishment.—Champion.

Cosgrave, the Fugitive, Captured

Following a hunt which has lasted for five days, John Cosgrave, slayer of Father Colhecy, of Preston, and fugitive from the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, was captured Wednesday evening by Superintendent C. F. Neelands and a party of guards. Plodding through a grain field about one mile east of the Four Corners, about six miles east of Guelph, Cosgrave surrendered without opposition. From the time of his escape on Saturday morning until the arrest his diet had consisted solely of berries and peas. The alarm came to the Reformatory by telephone at 7 o'clock. Half an hour later Cosgrave was in an automobile speeding back to the Reformatory, and he is once more behind the bars, while an entire countryside experiences a feeling of great relief. To Mrs. A. Peart, wife of the postmaster at Eramosa, is the credit for the information which resulted in the capture. Shortly after 7 o'clock she noticed a man who corresponded to the descriptions which have been sent out, walking east along the Eramosa road, just beyond the crossroads. She immediately phoned the local police and the message was relayed to the Reformatory by Constable Reeves, and Superintendent Neelands quickly organized his posse.

Necessary Repairs are to be Made to Principal Streets

A Claim for Damages to Bicycle, Damaged Through Filled-in Trench

BROCK AVENUE FRONTAGE TO BE SURVEYED BEFORE CEMENT IS LAID

The regular session of the Council was held on Monday evening with Councillors Bell, Holmes and Harrison present, and Reeve Barber in the chair. The Finance Committee presented their seventeenth report and recommended payment of the following accounts:

General Account	
Hydro Electric Power Commission, street lighting	$146 89
Hydro Electric Power Commission, town hall lighting	3 00
Bell Telephone Co., services Nos. 71 and 75	5 35
ACTON FREE PRESS, printing and advertising	19 20
Freeport Sanitorium	46 50
J. B. Mackenzie, supplies	1 75
Bell Telephone Co., No. 92, four months' services	10 02
A. E. Cripps, express and cartage	1 25
	$23 96

Waterworks Account	
Hydro Electric Power Commission, power at fire pump	$ 18 75
Hydro Electric Power Commission, power at spring	40 34
Bell Telephone Co., Nos. 78 and 81, services	4 10
Chas. Fell, labor	22 50
J. B. Mackenzie, supplies	4 30
Bowman, Nunn, labor	54 00
W. R. Lashbrook, labor	13 65
A. E. Cripps, express and cartage	31 92
	$190 66

The report was adopted.

A communication was received from Robert C. Massey requesting damages to his bicycle to the amount of $10.00. Mr. Massey claimed he received the damages from striking a stone in the centre of the road where the waterworks trench had been dug across the street.

The laying of the cement sidewalk on Brock Avenue is causing a little difficulty as the street lines are very irregular. The services of the engineer will be required in order to get the proper line.

At the finish of a discussion on the repairing of the roads in Acton it was decided to order a car of crushed stone or chips and fill the holes and depressions on Mill and Main Streets. The stone will be mixed with asphalt on Mill Street and gravel on Main Street. The Clerk was instructed to procure this car of stone.

Council adjourned at 9.30 p. m.

Acton Blanks Cheltenham

Sam Perry Scores 3 Goals in This Away-from-Home Game

The Acton Rangers football team played their second game for the Walker Cup at Cheltenham last Saturday, and came home with a score of 8 to 0.

The Rangers lined up as follows: Turner, Withers, Bayliss, Heatley, Grant, Trotter, Mochrie, McCahon, Brannan, Perry, Savage. Referee, E. Tyler, League Official Referee.

Acton won the toss and elected to play with the sun at their back. They were soon in full command of the ball. Bringing it up the field and from a nice pass from the left wing, Brannan opened the scoring for Acton.

On resuming play the home team made a dash for Acton's goal but found the visiting team's defence too strong for them. Acton's forward line played some nice combinations, which resulted in Perry scoring a goal.

The home team opened the play again, but before they had reached far over mid-field Grant took the play and gave the ball to Brannan, who set the forwards playing again, and a pass from Mochrie allowed McCahon to score. Cheltenham men then tried to break through Acton's defence, but were repulsed, Bayliss sending the ball to mid-field, and then the forwards again showed fine combination, which brought the play close to the home team's goal, and Perry, seeing a favorable opening, scored another goal.

Cheltenham again opened the play, showing great determination in getting a goal. The centre forward sent the ball to the outside left, who was soon deprived of it by Trotter, who gave a pass to Perry. He in turn sent the ball to Brannah, who brought it down to the opponent's goal, and gave McCahon a good opening, and he did not fail to score. When about to resume play the whistle blew for half time, with Cheltenham 0, Acton 5.

On resuming play Cheltenham forwards brought the ball down the field, and Marshall, their centre man, took a beautiful shot for goal, but it was saved by Turner, and at once cleared by Bayliss, who gave the ball to Grant. He brought the ball down the field, and sent a stiff shot into the opponent's goalkeeper, and beat him.

Soon after the play had started again the home team did all in their power to break through Acton's defence, but were repulsed in every effort. Heatley gave Mochrie a nice pass, and he beat all who came near him, and from a beautiful long shot beat Cheltenham's goalkeeper.

From this point Acton simply had full control of the game.

When the whistle blew for time the results were, Cheltenham 0, Acton Rangers 8.

The next match for the Walker Challenge Cup will be played in the park here with Cooksville on Saturday afternoon.

The League standing up to date is as follows:

Acton Rangers	2	2	0	14	1	4
Oakville	2	2	0	5	1	4
Streetsville	2	2	0	6	1	4
Cooksville	2	0	2	1	6	0
Creditvile	2	0	2	2	9	0
Cheltenham	2	0	2	0	10	0

Oh, Yes! It's an Easy Job

Anyone can run a newspaper. All you have to do is to buy a plant, know how to run it, front end to back end. Then hustle around and get copy. First you must get all the local and general news. You will find the local news spread almost everywhere about the townsfolk, and you are expected to be most everywhere to land the fleeting items. And another important thing—you must, or are supposed to, make an effort to collect the money, pay the bills and keep everybody in good humor. And the thing most important is never to leave out of the paper the name of the important ones, and also never to put them in when they should be left out. You will learn this trick after you have been bawled out a few times.

Social and Personal

Miss Marie Lants is holidaying with Toronto friends.

Miss Olive Cooper is holidaying with friends in Kitchener.

Mrs. Anna Maddock visited friends in Toronto on Monday.

Mr. Clarence McIntyre, Detroit, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Edna Oram, of St. Catharines, is visiting Acton friends.

Mr. W. C. Plank left on Monday on a business trip to Quebec.

Mr. Michael O'Brien, of Chicago, Ill., is visiting at his home here.

Mrs. H. S. Wilson and family spent Sunday with friends in Galt.

Mr. Andrew O'Brien, New York, is holidaying at his home here.

Mrs. Mary Haggarty left yesterday for her home at Arden, Man.

Miss Kate Hanalaugh, of Milton, visited Acton friends last week.

Mr. Rudolph Spielvogel left on Monday on a trip to the North West.

Mr. Austin Reid, of Stratford, was home for the Jubilee Celebration.

Mrs. Malcolm McLean returned last week from her visit to Winnipeg.

Miss Clara Lants returned home after spending a week in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Agnew left for their home in Winnipeg on Monday.

Miss Margaret Kennedy left on Saturday to visit friends in Rochester.

Miss Annie Martin has returned from Orillia, where she spent a month or so.

Miss Alice McGregor, of Guelph, is holidaying at her home in Nassagaweya.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kerr left yesterday for Wiarton to spend a few holidays there.

Miss Helen Slavin, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. J. J. Kennedy.

Mrs. D. Good and family, of Kitchener, spent a week at the home of Mr. B. V. Kenyon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McLam spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bailey, Fergus.

Mrs. Frank Kennedy spent a few days last week with friends at Centre Island, Toronto.

Mrs. (Dr.) Gray and Miss Laura have been spending the week with relatives at Blyth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cooper left yesterday for Kitchener, where they will spend their holidays.

Mrs. Moyer and children, of Brantford, are spending a week with Mr and Mrs. B. V. Kenyon.

Miss Edna McCutcheon returned home Sunday after spending the week with her uncles in Erin.

Miss Margaret Garvin left on Saturday to spend a two weeks' vacation with friends at North Bay.

Miss Rose Sullivan, of Guelph, is spending a few holidays with her friend, Miss Frances Hurst.

Mrs. W. Reesor and children, of Kitchener, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Reesor, last week.

Mr. J. H. Markell, of Brampton, is at the Customs House relieving Officer McDonald, during his holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCausland, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., were guests of Acton relatives during the week.

Mrs. Fred Peavoy and Mr. Wilmer Peavoy motored from Toronto and spent a few days with Acton friends.

Rev. H. W. Avison, M. A., B. D., and Mrs. Avison, of Regina, are spending a few days in the city.—Guelph Mercury.

Mrs. Thos. McEvoy, Misses Mary and Rose, of the Trout Ponds, left on Monday for their new home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Smith and little Beatrice, of Toronto, were guests during the week of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown.

Mrs. Bielby and children, of Niagara Falls, have been visiting at the home of Mr. Robert Watson and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Wylie, John and Will, of Guelph, motored out and spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. H. MacDonald.

Mrs. Alex. McDonald and family, and Mrs. Sam. Roberts and daughter, of Toronto, are visiting at Mrs. George Storey's.

Misses Nellie Reesor and Jessie Morton left on Saturday evening to spend a few days with friends in Hamilton.

Mrs. E. S. Rice returned home from Burlington last week after a prolonged visit with her daughter, Mrs. Whetham, there.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tolton and Mr. Smith, of Winnipeg, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Kerr, Bower Avenue.

Master Freddie Day, of Rockwood, is spending his holidays with his grandparents on Lake Avenue, Mr. and Mrs. Wansbrough.

Mrs. A. J. Barnes and her daughter, Miss Elsie Barnes, of Toronto, returned home after spending a few days with friends in Acton and Erin.

Misses Annie McDonald and Jessie McGregor were in Toronto on Monday to see Mrs. Croft, of Durham, who is very ill in the General Hospital.

Mr. Stephen Guest has resigned his position as teller in the Bank of Montreal and taken a position in the office of the Toronto Daily Star.

Miss Emma Robinson visited her parents' home at Kenilworth over the week-end. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Olive, of Cookville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McArthur and babe, of Toronto, have returned home after spending a week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davidson.

Mrs. Norman Hannah, of Niagara Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Peavoy, motored up from Toronto and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grisch, Hargiston, Mr. and Mrs. John Kennedy, Toronto, and Mrs. J. Duke, Burlington, visited Mrs. Thos. Ramshaw during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Langevin, Mrs. C. C. Speight, Miss Bertie and Miss Fern Brown motored to Kitchener on Thursday afternoon and spent the evening with friends there.

Mrs. Amos Mason, who was taken suddenly ill last week, and removed to Guelph General Hospital, is making fine progress toward recovery. She expects to return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bell and Miss Luella, Mrs. Shakely, Miss Hazel and Mr. Robert Storey motored over from Cleveland, O., and are visiting at the home of Mrs. George Storey, Bower Avenue.

Mrs. Gordon MacKay and Muriel, of Toronto, returned home, accompanied by Master Bruce MacKay, who had been spending some weeks at his grandparents', Mr. and Mrs. R. Wansbrough, Lake Avenue.

OBITUARY

MISS SARAH SINCLAIR

The death of Miss Sarah Sinclair occurred last Saturday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Victor Vannatter, at Barrie. Miss Sinclair had been in poor health the past two years. For a year she had resided with Mrs. Vannatter, her sister. She was a daughter of the late Duncan Sinclair, of lot 3, 4 concession 10, Erin. Miss Sinclair resided in Acton for a number of years and had many friends here. Besides Mrs. Vannatter three brothers survive: Alexander at Altona, Duncan on the homestead, and Malcolm in Erin township. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church. The body was brought from Barrie on Monday, and the funeral was held to Providence Cemetery at 2.30 o'clock, Rev. N. Waddell of Bethnafad, officiated.

Ladies' Bowling Tournament

The First Annual Meeting of Central Ontario Ladies' Bowling Association

The greens of Acton Athletic Association were honored last Thursday with having the first tournament of the Central Ontario Ladies' Bowling Association. The weather was queenly, the rinks in the pink of condition, and the day was greatly enjoyed by the fair bowlers.

Seventy-two elect ladies from Brantford, Stratford, Weston, High Park, Kew Beach, Oakville, Milton, Streetsville, Georgetown and Acton comprised the players. There were eighteen rinks. Each rink played three games, and none of them defaulted.

Two rinks of Georgetown bowlers were successful in capturing first and second prizes, and High Park won the third. Four cut glass dishes were the first prizes; four pairs of candlesticks for the second team, and four silver dishes for the third.

The scores of the eighteen rinks were as follows:

	F	M	T
Mrs. Heath, Georgetown	28	0	28
Mrs. Coffon, Georgetown	17	0	17
Mrs. Harrington, High Park	13	0	13
Mrs. Burrage, Weston	16	4	12
Miss Moffat, Milton	3	13	0
Mrs. McDonald, Kew Beach	11	4	7
Mrs. Shorey, Acton	2	2	0
Mrs. Cliperton, Streetsville	14	8	6
Mrs. Turner, Milton	10	7	3
Mrs. Ludlow, Brantford	0	10	0
Mrs. McIlveen, Oakville	4	8	0
Mrs. Lindsay, Acton	7	7	0
Mrs. Wilson, Brantford	7	6	1
Mrs. Kennedy, High Park	9	7	2
Mrs. McKay, Georgetown	2	12	0
Mrs. Neild, Stratford	9	6	3
Mrs. Caton, Brantford	3	9	0
Mrs. Laing, Kew Beach	5	11	0

The club house was beautifully decorated and the green was in perfect condition and very keen.

It is not necessary to say anything regarding the lunches served by the Acton ladies under the apple trees at the east of the grounds. They were dainty and most appetizing.

The visiting ladies expressed themselves as thoroughly enjoying the day's outing, and were loud in their praise of the Athletic Association's grounds and appointments, and the splendid hospitality proffered by the Acton ladies.

Georgetown Heads the Halton League

Defeated Bronte on Saturday by Score of 3-1—Acton Loses Two Games at Milton

The finish of the Halton Baseball League is almost here. Georgetown occupies the top place and from all indications will win this year's League. Acton will finish at the tail-end this year. On Saturday last Acton played two games with Milton. One was a League fixture and the other was an exhibition game. Both games were close and were won by Milton. The first game had a score of 11-9, and the second a 5-4 score, and it took until the last innings to decide both. Acton's heavy hitters in these games were McDonald and Kentner. Gibbens and Leishman were the pitchers for Acton. The following is the line up for both games:

FIRST GAME

Acton—Kennedy, s. s., MacDonald, 2 b., Leishman, 1 b., Gibbens, p., Kentner, 3 b., Drone, c. f., Jiggins, l. f., Kaley, 3 b., Holloway, r. f.

Milton—Allan, 2 b., Stewart, s. s., Chisholme, c., Kennedy, l. f., Hume, 1 b., Ptolmey, c. f., Kenney, p., Little, r. f., McMullen, 3 b.

SECOND GAME

Kennedy, s. s., Macdonald, l. f. and 2 b., Leishman, 1 b., and p., Gibbens, p. and r. f., Kentner, c., Drone, c. f., and 2 b., White, l. f., and c. f., Kaley, 3 b., Holloway, r. f., and 1 b.

Milton—Allan, 2 b., Stewart, s. s., Chisholme, c., Kennedy, l. f., Hume, 1 b., Ptolmey, c. f., Kenney, p., Little, r. f., McMullen, 3 b.

RESULTS OF GAMES PLAYED SATURDAY

Campbellville	9	Burlington	5
Milton	11-5	Acton	9-4
Georgetown	2	Bronte	1

THE LEAGUE STANDING

Georgetown	10	3	.769
Bronte	8	6	.571
Milton	7	6	.538
Campbellville	7	6	.538
Burlington	6	7	.461
Acton	2	10	.167

Wife of Premier Loses Father

Mrs. Ferguson's Father Died Suddenly at Age of 82 Years

Mrs. G. Howard Ferguson, wife of Premier Ferguson, was bereft by the sudden death of her father, Mr. J. Alexander Cumming, which occurred last Friday in Buckingham, Quebec.

The death of Mr. Cumming occurred under circumstances that were peculiarly sudden. He had just been to the local barber shop to be shaved and he dropped dead as he was leaving. He was in his 83rd year, but had enjoyed health that was unusually good for his advanced years.

The late Mr. Cumming was well-known in Buckingham. During recent years he had been retired from active life, but prior to that he had for many years been associated with the McLaren lumbering enterprise as its stores' manager. One son, Dr. Cumming, and two daughters, Mrs. J. S. Higginson and Miss Ethel Cumming, all of Buckingham, also survive him.

4,100 Miles by Motor in 21 Days

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hill have arrived in town from Los Angeles, Cal., after motoring 4,100 miles in 21 days. They report road conditions in the south very poor, but in Indiana and Ohio they are excellent. On reaching Niagara Falls and crossing into Canada they were agreeably surprised at our good roads. Mr. Hill, who has never been in Canada before, is much impressed with the wonderful scenery.—Georgetown Herald.