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THE METHODIST CHURCH
ACTON

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

HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICES
11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Thanksgiving."
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "God's Tilled Ground."
EVERYBODY WELCOME

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

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Our Religion—True Religion."
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Building According to Plan."
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The undersigned wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy, and for the beautiful floral tributes at the death of our beloved sister, Dorothy Bauer.
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Smart girl of 14 would like position after four and Saturday, taking care of children or helping with house work. Address P. Q. BOX 361, Acton, Ont.

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Of Live Stock, Implements and Furniture on Thursday, September 27, at 1 p. m. sharp, at Mrs. T. A. Swackhamer's, lot 3, concession 4, Erin.
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To the premises of the undersigned, about the middle of July, a red steer, about two years old. Owner may have same by proving property and paying expenses.
AUGUST BUNTIE, Lot 7, 5th line, Erin Township.
11-2

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. George Dills and family desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the neighbors and friends who showed such kindly interest and helpfulness during the illness of the beloved wife and mother of the home, and for the expressions of sympathy and floral tributes at the time of her death. These acts will always be gratefully remembered.

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14
"The Flirt"
A big million dollar production—Booth Tarkington's masterpiece—all star cast. Includes Lydia Knott, Eileen Percy and Buddie Messenger. No matter how wonderful your imagination or your ability to visualize, you are bound to fall short in picturising this vivid rollicking comedy drama. It's a Universal-Jewel production. Comedy, Bobby Vernon in "In Dutch."

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15
"Fog Bound"
With Dorothy Dalton. This story unfolds in Florida and depicts a girl in love with a wealthy idler. During a party at a resort, the place is raided, and the girl's father, a revenue officer, is murdered. See the confession. Comedy creation, Al St. John in "The Author."

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18
"The Exciters"
With Bebe Daniels and Bert Lytell. A society drama which is not like the ordinary, but instead is full of pep. Century Comedy, "Vamped." Episode No. 4: "Around the World in 18 Days."

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19
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Patterskrip, that old favorite, regular 50c lb. Week-end Special 44c lb.

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Four flavors in each bar. Regular 5c each. Week-end Special 6 for 25c.

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Come in and try our Chocolate Walnut Mallo Sundae, or one of our refreshing Sodas.

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Brown and Black Calf and Kid, Goodyear welts, best styles and lasts. All prices from $5.00 to $8.50.
Men's Box Kip, brown and black at $3.75.
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Goodyear welted, patent colts, 1 strap, grey trimmed heel and waist, new style toe and vamp, at $6.50.
Women's brown 1 strap Goodyear welted calf leather at $5.00.
Women's kid, calf and patent leather oxfords and strap pumps and slippers at $3.75 and $3.50.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL SHOES
Solid leather, all sizes to suit, dongolas, kip, side and calf leathers at $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50 and $4.50.

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Summer Sale of Footwear at Bargain Prices to Clear---All Sizes

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WE WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

News of Local Import

Bandmaster Downs a Halton Boy

Halton takes considerable pride in the fact that W. E. Downs, the bandmaster of Brampton's famous first-prize band for two years in succession at Toronto Fair, is one of her sons. He was born in Trafalgar, and received his first inspiration for first-class band music when a member of Milton Band, years ago.

George Wallace Removes to Toronto

Citizens will regret the departure from Guelph of Mr. George Wallace, former Wyndham Street merchant, but at the same time will be pleased to hear that he has been appointed sales manager for Harber-Knowles Motor Trucks, Limited, Toronto, for Toronto and York county. Mr. Wallace will move to Toronto shortly, where he will in future make his home.—Guelph Mercury.

Esquesing Man Injured in Runaway

Mr. Leslie Bradley, of the 6th line, Esquesing, was seriously injured when his horses took fright in his barnyard one day last week, and ran away. His head struck the litter carrier track and he was severely cut and bruised. He managed to get to the phone and call for assistance, when medical aid was secured, and after a temporary dressing the unfortunate man was removed to Guelph Hospital, where, at last reports, he was progressing favorably.

Jury's Verdict—"Cause of Death Unknown"

The jury in the Gordon Barnes case met in the town hall Tuesday evening, Coroner McColl and Crown Attorney Dick being present. After hearing the evidence the following verdict was returned: "That Albert Gordon Barnes came to his death at the home of his father, John Barnes, lot 7, concession 9, Esquesing, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 10.30 p. m., on Sunday, the 19th of August, 1923, and from the evidence produced we are unable to state the cause of death." The post-mortem examination revealed no marks of violence nor any trace of poisonous material. All the organs were normal and the doctors thought death might have been caused by a heat stroke.—Herald.

Fine Residence for Vernon Park

Dr. Beattie, the owner of Vernon Park Farm, formerly the property of the late Peter Gibbons, of Acton, and the late Henry Sayers, of Speyside, on the second line, between the check line and Speyside, is about to erect a fine new $20,000 residence and greenhouse. The residence will be 50 feet 6 inches by 38 feet, and the greenhouse will be 12 by 20 feet. A dog kennel 52 by 27 feet will also be built. All three buildings will be of stone and concrete, and roofed with British Columbia royal shingles. The foundations are about ready now and the rest of the work will be finished as soon as possible. Alfred John Raynor, of Toronto, has been given the contract. There are fine barns and other buildings on the farm already, Dr. Beattie is making his property one of the finest farms in the province. It is located about four miles from Acton.

Women's Institute Meeting

The regular meeting of the Acton Women's Institute was held on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. H. Bishop. Being the first meeting since June, a good attendance was present. After general business was over Mrs. J. Mowat came forward, and with a very suitable talk presented Mrs. H. S. Wilson, the retiring President, with a sheaf of gladioli, for which Mrs. Wilson replied. Mrs. W. Lasby then presented Mrs. R. L. Gregory with a sheaf of gladioli, and with well-chosen words expressed their regret at her removal from among them, and would always remember her ever-readiness to help in their work. Mrs. Gregory fittingly replied, and the President, Mrs. Folster, spoke a few words in regard to Mrs. Gregory's readiness to help. The Committee then served luncheon, and a social half hour was spent.

Acton to Crewsons Corner Highway Open

It may not be generally known, but it is to some, that the new provincial highway across country from Acton to Crewsons Corners is now open for traffic. The roadway is not completed, but is fairly good over the three miles. The grades are easy, the roadway wide and where gravelled and levelled is excellent. The gravelling of this section is now almost finished. This cross-country section of the new Toronto to Sarnia highway will be very popular with motorists and farmers who drive from the region of Crewsons Corners and westward to and from Acton. It shortens the distance to Crewsons Corners by over a mile; saves driving up and down half a dozen rather steep hills, and avoids two level railway crossings which have each in the past been the scene of several fatal and numerous other serious accidents. As the work of the new provincial highway proceeds through Ontario its value is more and more appreciated, and the advisability of the undertaking is more fully understood and favored.

A Magnificent Floral Centre

One of the most attractive places in Ontario just now is the premises of the Georgetown Floral Company, and visitors are numerous from all parts of the country, who feast on the magnificent floral display afforded. Upon arrival at the greenhouses, near the Canadian National Railway Station, the visitor is greeted with the mammoth bed of cannas, adjourning the boulevard, in all their gorgeous beauty and wealth of coloring. There are 3,000 plants in this beautiful bed, and the twenty-odd varieties include all the rare and popular new varieties. This display is now at its best and commands the attention of all passing, both on the street and on the trains. But a feature of The Floral Company's present wealth of bloom is seen in the fields of gladioli, where 250,000 bulbs are sending forth their many-hued and rarely beautiful flowers. Not alone in volume and color does this expansive display merit praise. It embraces many of the rarest varieties known to the growers of this flower. This was evidenced by the exhibit made at Toronto Exhibition by the Georgetown Floral Company, which was awarded first prize by the expert judges. In addition to the two floral products mentioned above there is a plot of asters containing some 7,000 plants, now in full bloom, which for color and variety would cheer the heart of any lover of this hardy flower, which is being brought to greater perfection year after year. Mr. S. Kirk, of The Floral Company, is President of the Flower Growers' Association of Ontario, and Mr. Thomas Duggan, of the Dale Company of Brampton, is Vice-President.

Asphalt Ordered for Repairs to the Streets

The Fuel Controller to be Advised of Acton's Requirements for Coal for this Winter

The regular session of the Council on Monday evening had Councillors Bell, Holmes and Thetford present, and Reeve Barber in the chair.

The Finance Committee presented their ninetieth report and recommended payment of the following accounts:

General Account	
John H. Watson, labor	$ 6 25
Canada Crushed Stone Co.	70 55
Bell Telephone Co., services	6 65
Hydro Electric Commission, street lighting	146 89
Hydro Electric Commission, town hall lighting	3 00
Estate D. A. Niven	11 70
Freeport Sanitorium	46 50
Canadian National Railways, freight	51 71
	$343 25
Waterworks Account	
Toronto Suburban Railway, freight	$ 1 74
Municipal World, supplies	1 05
James Robertson Co., supplies	34 54
Bell Telephone Co., services	4 31
Hydro Electric Commission, power at spring	40 46
Hydro Electric Commission, power at pumphouse	18 75
Neptune Metre Co., repairs	20 07
	$121 77

The report was adopted.

Mrs. Hornby waited upon the Council and requested that immediate action be taken to remedy the water connections to her residence on Mill Street. She said that every winter the pipes were frozen throughout the winter. The Council promised the matter would be attended to at once.

A communication was received from Beardmore & Co., notifying the Council that all trespassers on their premises will be prosecuted, as goods have been stolen and windows broken.

A letter was received from the Fuel Controller advising the Council of the coal situation. It advised the use of substitutes wherever possible and offered co-operation in finding these substitutes. The Clerk was instructed to advise the Controller of Acton's requirements.

The Clerk was instructed to order 12 barrels of 55% liquid asphalt and 2 barrels of coldpatch for repairs to Mill Street.

Council adjourned at 9.50 p. m.

Harvest Festival Services

The annual harvest festival services will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday. The church will be artistically decorated with grain and vegetables, fruits and flowers. Special sermons and special music. On Monday evening a Harvest Festival Concert will be given in the church. A splendid programme will be rendered by the choir, orchestra, violinists, soloists and elocutionists.

The Sun's Partial Eclipse

On Monday afternoon there was a partial eclipse of the sun, clearly visible here. The sky was clear and the sun bright and the eclipse very sharply defined. This eclipse was caused by the moon coming between the earth and the sun. The first phase was observed at 3.30 p. m.; the eclipse at its best at 4.29, and ended at 5.31. Smoked glasses were called into very general commission by people viewing the phenomena during the afternoon.

Has Won Success in Cleveland

Mr. James G. Hill, of Cleveland, Ohio, Acton's first Municipal Clerk, has favored THE FREE PRESS with a budget of interesting illustrated matter in which Cleveland is prominently exploited as the convention city of America. Among the prominent citizens listed in the letter press we noticed the name of Charles H. Hill, son of Mr. J. G. Hill, who is first vice-president of the Lake Erie Trust Company, of Cleveland, and a director of the company.

Mission Circle Weiner Roast

The Mission Circle of the Methodist Church weiner roast on Tuesday night had to be postponed until the following evening on account of rain. The young people had reached the stone quarries, where the roast was to be held, and had a roaring fire going, they even had some weiners roasted, before the weather man interfered. However, it was a wet rain, and the young people got quite a doaing. They were not to be daunted and decided to hold it the following evening.

Munroe-Craine Nuptials

Westminster Presbyterian Church, Toronto, was the scene of a quiet wedding last Wednesday, when Colina Gordon (Lina) second daughter of Mrs. Robert Craine, Toronto, formerly of Acton, was united in marriage to Mr. John Alexander (Jack) Munroe, of Kirkland Lake, Ont., Rev. Dr. Little officiating. The bride, who was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. W. R. Follis, looked smart in brown crepe and duvetyn, trimmed with Kolinsky fur, and hat to match, with corsage bouquet of lily of the valley and sweetheart roses. Miss Margaret Craine, sister of the bride, wearing navy blue satin with black velvet hat, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Frank Currie, as best man. Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for Buffalo, to continue by motor through the Adirondacks and New York State to Astoria, Long Island, where they will take up their residence at 300 Fifth Avenue, for the winter.

A Car's Narrow Escape

Last week while a company of fishermen were driving from Acton to Myer's Cave, in Frontenac county, they had an experience which for a few minutes was quite exciting. Their baggage and fishing tackle were placed in a carrier on the running board on the left side of the motor car. As the fishermen rolled off the miles of their journey they whiled away the time by smoking. Their matches they carelessly dropped over the side of the car. As they were running along the Kingston Road in the vicinity of Newcastle they noticed people gesticulating to them but they gave the matter no attention. A little farther on they heard shouting and persons pointing at the car. A glance around showed that their fishing equipment was on fire. The flames were flying two or three feet high. Their matches had fallen on the canvas sacking of their outfit and this bursting into flames set fire to their equipment. The flames were soon subdued and the fishermen took stock of the damage sustained. A suitcase belonging to one of the party was almost entirely consumed, with its contents of clothing, a pair of rubber wading boots, and other equipment; but the bait was unharmed. The car enamel was badly blistered, but otherwise sustained little damage. For the remainder of the trip the smokers "killed" their matches.

Eloquent Sermons at Knox Church Last Sunday

Rev. J. W. Rae's Visit at the Anniversary Greatly Enjoyed by Old and New Friends

THE NEWLY-DECORATED AUDITORIUM WAS GREATLY ADMIRED BY THE LARGE AUDIENCES

The re-opening of Knox Church last Sunday was emphasized by the holding of the anniversary services. This important event will henceforth be held in September, instead of in February, as for many years past. The occasion was characterized with gratifying success. Capacity audiences attended at both the morning and the evening services.

There was naturally some curiosity manifested respecting the appearance of the auditorium as a result of the work of the painters and artists during the month when the church was closed. Much satisfaction was expressed as to the transformation effected. The restful colorings, the chaste and pleasingly harmonizing tints, the artistic designs gave ample proof that the decorators were men of skill and experience. Encomiums of praise were heard on all sides.

The eloquent sermons of Rev. J. W. Rae, of Orono, were a fitting emphasis of the important occasion in the history of the church. Rev. Mr. Rae was the minister when the church was built and dedicated in 1895. His pastoral term extended from 1887 until 1896. It was difficult for old friends and former parishioners to realize that it is 27 years since Mr. Rae's ministry ceased here. He retains his rather youthful appearance; is still active and vigorous, physically and mentally, and has withal that riper, richer spiritual tone which comes from long experience in Christian activity and effort. The welcome to this esteemed former pastor and friend was manifestly cordial and sincere.

Rev. Mr. Rae's sermons had the old-time ring and were characterized by earnestness and fervor. Prefacing his discourses both morning and evening, he expressed his pleasure at being in Acton again, meeting the friends of former days, and making new ones, and rehearsing incidents which brought back very vividly experiences of the earlier days.

At the morning service the text of the very interesting and helpful discourse was Rev. 3: 26, "He that overcometh and keepeth my works unto the end, to him will I give power." The theme was "Truths the triumph to-day." The progress of the revelation of truth in the Old Testament was marked by great events, such as, the fall, the flood, the call of Abraham, the exodus, the building of the temple at Jerusalem, the exile, the coming of Jesus Christ. These were the kindergarten days. But in the adolescence days, this side the cross of Christ, great, triumphing truths marked the epochs. Augustine proclaimed the sovereignty of God; Athanasius, the deity of Jesus Christ; Martin Luther, the shining column of justification by faith; Calvin, the election of grace; Arminius, the immortality of the atonement. But to-day there are four triumphing truths that victory winners are using in overcoming the forces of evil. 1. The living Christ; 2. The living book; 3. The living pledge, and 4. The living Child. Each of these was developed and enforced in the manner which the older members present recognized as characteristic of the preacher in the years of his pastorate in this church.

The text for the evening sermon was taken from Leviticus 25: 9, "Then shalt thou cause the trumpet of the jubilee to sound on the tenth day of the seventh month, in the day of atonement shall ye make the trumpet sound throughout all your land." The occasion, he said, seemed appropriate for jubilee experiences, was much as the active history of the church now covered a period of fifty or sixty years. In the year of jubilee God accepts the sacrifice and forgives the people's sin. Tradition says there were nine blasts of the silver trumpet when the year of jubilee was ushered in. For convenience of emphasis nine experiences in Christian life and experience were used in the discourse. 1. Joy to every one whose heart was in the right relation to rejoice in the token of His love. There were three sources of joy. Joy in the things of reality, joy in the home, joy in looking on the bright side of life, touching other people that they may be glad and joy in the things of faith, the fountain of life. 2. Liberty. Freedom from a broken law, through the river of repentance. 3. Rest. The wonderful God cares for us with His love. 4. Abundance. Enough in my Father's house and to spare. 5. Holiness. The Sabbath of the year. 6. Re-union. The result of jubilee weeping for joy.—The year of jubilee when we go in to the Holy, only home. 7. Sovereignty. A grand truth that God is sovereign. He is on His throne. His hand is on the helm. 8. Forgiveness. Debts forgiven in the year of jubilee. Forgiveness of sin is a wonderful note to human ears. 9. Praise. Let them refuse to sing who never knew our God, but children of the Heavenly King, may sing their joys abroad. If we felt the love of God more we would praise the Lord more for all His goodness. Churches should unite to sing praises before God. Friends go on and ask for faith, joy, liberty, rest, abundance, holiness, re-union, sovereignty, forgiveness and praise. If there be any virtue, if there be any knowledge, think on these things.

Rev. Mr. Stewart, the minister of the church, presided at both services. He was in a very happy frame of mind during the day. The congregations of the Baptist and the Methodist Churches worshipped with their fellow-Christians during the day. Rev. Mr. Howard assisted at the morning service, and Rev. Mr. Hackett in the evening.

The choir of the church made special efforts in the musical services and their anthem, solos and duetts were much appreciated. They were assisted by Prof. Charles Kelly, their leader, Master Kelly, of Guelph, and Mr. John Hurt, of Orangeville.

Generous offerings were given during the day to assist the Board of Managers in meeting the cost of the decorating and painting.

Anniversary Services at Churchill

Anniversary Services will be held at Churchill on Sunday, September 23. Rev. Dr. G. E. Morley, B. A., Toronto, will be the speaker. Service at 3 p. m. On Monday, September 24, an old-fashioned tea-meeting will be held. The programme will be given by Dr. Morley, entertainer, and the Maple Leaf Quartette. Admission, supper and entertainment, 50c; children, under 12, 10c. Churchill Sunday School children, free. Rev. Mr. Howard will be chairman.

OBITUARY

ANDREW N. CREE

At the ripe age of eighty-six years Andrew N. Cree, of lot 2, fifth line, Erin, fell asleep at the end of a well-spent life, on Tuesday, September 4. Mr. Cree had felt the burden of his years for some time, and especially since the death of his wife, while they were living in Acton four years ago. His son James, and his daughter, Miss Annie, with whom he resided since his return to the farm from Acton, ministered with filial care during his declining years, as did also the other members of the family whenever they had opportunity. Mr. Cree was born at Biggar, in Lanark county, Scotland. Sixty-seven years ago, when a young man of nineteen, he was attracted to Canada. He landed at Oakville, and from there proceeded to the home of his uncle, the late Thomas Somerville, Sr., on the farm on the fourth line, where the Scott Brothers now reside. After a time he engaged with the late Ninian Lindsay on the seventh line, with whom he spent two years. He was also with the late James Gillies, father of Neil Gillies, in the Scotch Block for a couple of years. Fifty-six years ago he married Marion Russell, daughter of the late James Russell, Sr., of Erin. The young couple settled on lot 2, fifth line, which has ever since been the homestead of the family. A number of years ago Mr. and Mrs. Cree retired from farming and came to Acton. Here they lived in comfortable retirement until Mrs. Cree's death. There was a family of four sons and five daughters, of whom the following survive: Gavin on lot 2, sixth line, Erin; James, on the homestead; Mrs. Marion McLaren, Hillsburg; Rev. Matthew F., of London; Mrs. Elizabeth McEachern, of Erin; and Miss Annie, at home. Mr. Cree was a man of fine character; one of the class of whom it is said, "His word is as good as his bond." He was a member of the Presbyterian Church. The funeral last Friday was largely attended, Rev. N. Waddell, of Ballinafad, officiating. Interment was made in the family plot in Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

Mustn't Sell Ice Cream on Sundays

Seven Dealers Convicted of Sunday Selling for Outside Consumption

Police Magistrate Moore has had another busy week.—Last Wednesday Luigi Lanza, an Italian merchant in Hamilton, who has a branch store at Milton Heights, was charged by Inspector Reevely with having several gallons of Italian wine on his premises. Lanza gave evidence to show that the addition to his store, where the liquor was discovered, was leased to another Italian, Mihele Mazzamurro. A charge was laid against Mazzamurro. He pleaded guilty, and was fined $200 and costs of $33.60, or three months in jail. Mazzamurro said he hadn't that much money. His friends, who were with him, offered to pay the balance. But, he said, I can't earn $233.60 in as easy a way in three months as going to jail. He was therefore committed for three months at hard labor.

On Friday Police Court was held in Georgetown. Five cases came up for hearing. Three of these were cases from Glenwilliams, Terra Cotta and Norval, where the provincial officer charged the selling of ice cream and cigarettes on Sunday. Each pleaded guilty. The Magistrate explained that the department had no desire to impose heavy penalties, but required that the law to prevent the profanation of the Lord's Day be observed. No penality was therefore imposed, the cases being settled on payment of costs.

James Jennings, of Stewarttown, and Max Reid, of Georgetown, were charged with juggling with motor car numbers, one possessing the license, and the other the markers, and each driving a car. They pleaded ignorance of the law, but admitted guilt. They were fined $1.00 each and costs.

At Guelph Police Court on Saturday two motorists from Listowel, two from Toronto and one from Hamilton were fined $10 each for speeding.

Inspector Reevely visited the home of Harry Hilson, Esquesing, near Milton Heights, last Thursday, and discovered a cache of two bottles of moonshine liquor. He arrested Hilson's son, a married man, who was on the premises, and the case was remanded for hearing until to-day. Young Hilson is out on bail of $500.

Police Magistrate Moore held court in Brampton on Tuesday. The four cases remanded from Snelgrove, the week before, on the charge of selling goods on Sunday, came up for hearing.

Crown Attorney Morphy stated that the Crown would be quite satisfied if the accused would admit the sales and pay the costs, if the Magistrate would concur in the suggestion. This action was taken and the bench expressed the hope that there would be no further selling of goods on Sunday in violation of the Act, which forbids the profanation of the Lord's Day by such sales. The costs in each case were $9.85.

In the case against Charles Phillips, of Chinguacousy, for refusing to properly support his wife, which was remanded last week for further evidence, it was found that Phillips was about eighty years of age and unable to work continuously, and therefore unable to earn sufficient money to maintain a home and supply the necessaries of life, and medical attendance, which both he and his wife require. The Magistrate consequently dismissed the charge and strongly recommened that the Township Council look into the matter with a view to making Phillips and his wife wards of the county and inmates of the House of Refuge.

Wolciech Pinguk was sent to the Ontario Reformatory on Tuesday by Police Magistrate Watt at Guelph for robbing his friend, John Diyak of $230. The men were working on the highway. Diyak cashed his work cheques in the Bank of Montreal, Acton, and went to Guelph. While sleeping at the place of Nick Sanody he was robbed. Most of the money was recovered.

The Austin Kelly Ink Co.

The first mail Monday morning brought a circular letter from Detroit, bearing a splendid engraving of the new factory of The Austin Kelly Ink Co. Mr. Kelly, who was for many years a representative of The Ault & Wiborg Ink Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, commenced business for himself in Detroit seven years ago. He has prospered in his undertaking and now has the satisfaction of doing business in a fine new steel and brick factory, 60x80, two stories, fitted with all modern machinery for the manufacture of printing and lithographing inks. Mr. Kelly is a son of the late Patrick Kelly, and is proud to call Acton his birthplace. He first smelled printer's ink when as a lad he haunted THE FREE PRESS Office, and ever since he has been more or less intimately associated with it. THE FREE PRESS offers sincere congratulations upon Mr. Kelly's splendid success.

Social and Personal

Mrs. John Youngman, of Detroit, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Robt. Hume, of Guelph, spent the holiday in Acton.

Miss Vera Harvey, of Toronto, was home over the week-end.

Mrs. T. Scott and Mrs. H. C. Claridge spent Friday in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. VanNorman, Guelph, visited friends here this week.

Miss Allie Brown left last week to visit friends in the Northwest.

Mrs. Maud McIlain spent a few days last week with friends in Hala.

Miss Norma Claridge, of Dundalk, is spending the week with Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Landsborough, of Kitchener, spent the week-end in Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. David Williamson spent a few days last week with friends in Toronto.

Messrs. L. Chappelle, Lorne and Waldon Scott, Elmira, spent the week-end in town.

During his stay in town Rev. Mr. Rae was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Henderson.

Messrs. David and William Robertson, of Toronto, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. H. C. Claridge, of Dundalk, has returned home after spending the week with friends in Acton.

Mr. H. C. Claridge, Willis, Norma and Miss Oliver, of Dundalk, visited Acton friends last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hart, of Orangeville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Kannawin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron went to visit friends in Varna and other points in Bruce, on Tuesday.

Messrs. Jack and William Filkin and Master Jim, of Aurora, were in town on a short visit last Sunday.

Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) T. Albert Moore and Miss Norma, of Toronto, were guests at Moorecroft during the week.

Mrs. Fred Williamson and daughter, of Toronto, are visiting at the home of Mr. William McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Babcock, Francis and Eunice, of Milton, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Wm. Landsborough.

Miss Mamie Masales, who has been the teacher at Eramosa School No. 5 for several years, is not teaching this term.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kannawin, of Shelburne, spent Sunday with Mr. Kannawin's brother, Mr. Alex. Kannawin.

Mrs. William G. Warrington, of Sharbot Lake, is spending a couple of weeks at the home of her brother, Mr. A. Trotter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie, of Georgetown, were here on Sunday attending the anniversary services in their old home church.

Mr. Wm. Barber and Miss Ella Barber, of Uplands Farm, Nassagaweya, are visiting with Col. and Mrs. Ballantine, Hamilton, N. Y.

Mrs. Charles C. Gorham, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who spent a month with Mrs. O. Cook, left last week for Toronto, where she will visit friends.

Miss Margaret J. Macdonald, who has been holidaying with friends in Fort William and Sarnia for the past month, returned home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lottie Baker, of Waterdown, and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Nixon, of Milton, were at the Presbyterian anniversary services on Sunday, and visited friends at Moorecroft.

Mrs. Elizabeth Parsons, of Buffalo, and daughters, Mrs. John Gesl, Mrs. Schardt and Miss Nellie Parsons, Messrs. Thos. Storey and Frank M. Schardt and Harold Gesl visited Acton and vicinity over the week-end.

Mr. Robert Sprowl, who returned from Guelph General Hospital a week or so ago, is feeling quite comfortable at his home on the third line. He contracted a slight cold while coming home, but is now getting over it.

Many friends of ex-Reeve George Hynds were pleased to see him in his accustomed place in Knox Church last Sunday morning, at the anniversary services. This was the first time Mr. Hynds has been able to attend church this year.

Mrs. A. Ramshaw, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Swackhamer and Master Armand, Mr. Frank Browning and Mr. J. Swackhamer, of Toronto, Mrs. Fred Ryder, of Brockville, and Mrs. F. Hauck, of Kitchener, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hynds, Toronto, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. George Dills last Thursday.

Knox Church Tastefully Beautified

The Re-Decoration has Transformed and Enhanced the Appearance of the Auditorium

For four weeks the interior of Knox Church was in the hands of the painters and decorators, and the result is eminently satisfactory to Board of Management and the congregation. The re-opening services were held last Sunday.

The Board was fortunate in securing as contractors for the work Messrs. Stoneman & Crawford, of Toronto, who are skilled and experienced church decorators, and have been entrusted with the work of decorating some of the leading churches in Canada.

Their treatment of the work has been true to the descriptive specifications entered into when the contract was assumed, and the result is surely gratifying.

The walls are painted in a general tone of light brownish grey, neutral in color, soft and restful in effect. The ceiling panels are treated in a tone of color similar to the walls, but lighter and inclined to a greyish cream.

The ten ceiling panels along the sides of the ceiling have an octagon medallion in soft tones of, pleasingly contrasting tints in the centre of each. A wide band runs lengthwise on the sides of the ceiling, giving to the church a length which much improves the perspective.

There is a stencilled band on the dado running between the church windows, in soft colors, and relieved with small square stencilled ornaments.

The arch has a skilfully executed border of gold and soft color and is surmounted at the top with a painting of the Burning Bush, the emblem of the Presbyterian Church, in tints to harmonize with the general scheme.

The columns, caps and corbels are metalled in antique brass. This treatment has also been given to the grill work in front of the gallery.

The whole scheme is orthodox church decoration of modern and approved type, chaste and dignified in effect and quiet and restful in all its tones and tinting.

The congregation of Knox Church may well feel proud of their edifice as it now appears. Indeed, most kindly comment was heard on all sides last Sunday at the re-opening services by members of the congregation and the many visitors who attended.