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## THE METHODIST CHURCH ACTON

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

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Four Commandments."  
1.30 p. m.—Sunday School.  
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Secret of Success."  
EVERYBODY WELCOME

## PRESBYTERIAN KNOX CHURCH, ACTON

Ministry—Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A.  
Manse—Willow Street

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Christian Sabbath."  
1.00 p. m.—Bible Class.  
2.45 p. m.—Bible Class. Study in Matthew, Chapter X.  
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "In His Name."  
Strangers leaving address with the ushers will be called upon by the Pastor.  
ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

## Special Notices

Advertisements in this column a cent per word. Minimum charge, 50¢ per insertion.

## WANTED

Woman for few hours' work daily. Apply to HUNTERLAND HOUSE.

## WANTED

Garage to rent. Apply by letter, giving terms. NO. 3, FREE PRESS OFFICE.

## LOST

Car bumper, between Acton and Milton. Reward offered. Return to F. R. McCLARY, Church Street.

## FOUND

On Mill Street, a suit of money. Owner may have the same by applying to E. DESWICK, John Street.

## FOR SALE

1 wood cook stove; 1 3-burner oil stove and oven; Rentless cream separator, etc. Apply to Mrs. McGill, Church Street.

## GOOD DINING ROOM SUITE

A sideboard, six-seat extension table, five leather-seated chairs and one arm chair, for sale at a bargain. A number of home and business places in Acton for lease.

W. F. MOONEY, Mill Street, Acton.

## LOST

A sum of money, between Symon's hardware store and Lot 21, choice line. Enquiring on Wednesday afternoon, 16th inst. Howard if returned to JOHN McDONALD, Third Line.

## LONG DISTANCE HAULING

I am now prepared to do long distance hauling of furniture, machinery, etc., and am fully equipped with apparatus and trucks to take care of this class of work. Prompt attention given all orders.

A. E. CRIPPE, Phone 63 or 61, 42-4

## AUCTION SALE

Will be held on Saturday, April 26, at Leahy's Hotel, 21 choice Dairy Cows, Durhams, Holsteins, Ayrshires and Jerseys. Many of them with calves at foot or due to freshen. 3 months' credit. 5% off for cash. Don't miss it. If you have a good cow, this sale will commence at two o'clock sharp. R. J. KERR, Auctioneer.

## FARMS FOR SALE

45 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 lease.

Fire and Life Insurance. Money to Loan. J. A. SMYTH, Real Estate Agent, Acton, Ont. Phone 105.

## WANTED TO PURCHASE

For cash, collections of Old Postage Stamps, also old lots and Old Envelopes with stamps attached. No modern issues wanted. Preference for early issues, dating from 1840 to 1890, of Canada, U. S. A., Great Britain, British Colonies, etc. If you have a good lot of old letters as you may find some of these early issues among them. Reply to

42-4 BOX 18, FREE PRESS.

## Gladiolus

The Queen of all garden flowers is the Gladiolus and should be in every Flower Lover's garden. Our Better Class Gladiolus, cost no more than inferior varieties, and are guaranteed to flower. Our descriptive catalogue gladly mailed upon request.

Woodall Floral Gardens, Elmira, Ontario.

## WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, APRIL 25  
"The Spanish Dancer"  
Starring Pola Negri and Antonio Moreno. In a romance of Old Spain. Comedy Creation. "Hot Prof." "Huge-Fudge" novelty reel. "Hot Spots."

SATURDAY, APRIL 26  
"Six Cylinder Love"  
Fox Splendid, starring Ernest Truex. Comedy Creation. "Unreal News Reel." "Six News."

TUESDAY, APRIL 29  
"Blinky"  
Starring Foot Light. Comedy Creation. "Hole to Earth."

COMING  
"Oliver Twist," with Jackie Coogan.

R. L. GREGORY & SON

## New Wallpapers

At Prices that suggest Decorating in a Generous Way

Here's a wide choice of new designs for bedrooms and lower rooms. Two special prices are quoted, and every person who comes to town and sees the papers, will be forced to admit it's an opportunity for saving a good portion of his or her anticipated Spring outlay!

## Polychrome Papers, Great Value at Single Roll 50c

These heavy papers with their blurry blending of colors are wonderfully adaptable—make an effective background for massive furniture—in smaller rooms give an impression of spaciousness.

## Tapstry Papers Specially Priced at Single Roll, 25c

Styles suitable for downstairs rooms and halls, new designs, all 21 inches wide. Special purchase value at 25c single roll. Also two wonderful tapstry patterns on embossed stock at 35c single roll.

## Fresh New Curgains and Draperies

Effect a Transformation in the Home

You'll want the newest ideas in window hangings and draperies, of course, along with other new home furnishings this Spring. Come to Guelph, to MACDONALD'S, to find the new ideas, the new patterns—furnishings of unexpected beauty and charm—prices to suit every home purse, large or small.

Panel Nets from Switzerland, \$1.00 to \$1.25 panel.

Madras Curtains, special, \$2.50 pair.

Cretonnes, 33c to 50c.

Chintzes, 50c to \$1.50.

Shadow Cloths, \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Silk Shadow Cloth, \$4.50 and \$5.00.

Nursery Chintzes, 60c to 95c.

Frilled Muslin, 45c to 85c yard.

Lace-Edged Nets, 20c to \$1.00.

Fillet Nets, 30c to \$2.75.

Leaver Nets, \$1.25 and 1.50.

Madras at 33c to \$2.25.

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## The New Bridge at Oakville in a Bad Way

Expert Engineer Declares the Construction is Good, but the Bridge Wrong Type

CANTILEVER PLAN NOT SUITABLE BECAUSE OF THE PRESSURE OF MUCK ON SIDES AT FOUNDATIONS

The Toronto Star, which went to the trouble to take photographs and interview engineers, in the matter of the new highway bridge at Oakville, Ont., on Monday: "The new bridge at Oakville is like our new Union Station, still closed to traffic."

The Star says: "The new cantilever bridge at Oakville is opened for traffic this summer. Will it ever be opened? The bridge is a bad one, here, both in design and in construction, and experts in official circles, in any case, the bridge will not be thrown open to the public until it is completely repaired, taking its place, was put into operation on Saturday."

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