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Single Copies—Five Cents

THE METHODIST CHURCH

ACTON

REV. JOSEPHUS CULP, Pastor

Parsonage—Willow St.

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School.

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Spirit-filled Life."

7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Fighting Against God."

A Special Invitation to Young Men—Come

PRESBYTERIAN

KNOX CHURCH, ACTON

Minister—Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A.

Manse—Willow Street

10.00 a. m.—Bible Class.

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School.

11.00 a. m.—W. V. M. Kannwin.

D. D. of St. John's Church, Hamilton.

7.00 p. m.—W. V. M. Kannwin.

Strangers leaving address with the usher, will be called upon by the Pastor.

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

Special Notices

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FOR SALE

Trick house, 9 rooms. For particulars apply to BOX 149, ACTON.

ICE FOR SALE

150 blocks of ice for sale. Will deliver in any quantity. W. M. EVANS, Phone 44, Mill St., Acton.

LOST

On Saturday evening, a crank for Overland car. Finder please return to THOMAS KENNEDY, Fifth Line, Phone 41 R 12.

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Housework by the day or hour. Any kind. Write to BOX 361, ACTON. Phone 74w R 2.

FOR SALE

New brick, modern rooms, all modern conveniences. For particulars apply to STEPHEN CORDNER, Mill Street, Acton.

BULL FOR SALE

A Pure Red Shorthorn Bull, 14 mos. old. Dark red. A very good one. Apply to ALEX. CRIPPS, R. R. 1 Acton, Crewe's Corners.

CARD OF THANKS

The members of the family of the late Mrs. Robert Agnew extend sincere thanks to those who have shown expressions of sympathy and kind expressions of condolence at the death and burial of our departed loved one.

THE FAMILY

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 sale. Fire and Life Insurance. Money to Loan.

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NOTICE TO BEGINNERS AT SCHOOL

The School Board desires to notify parents that children wishing to start school in the primary room will only be admitted at the September opening of each year. This is in view of a great many places and is recommended by the Inspector.

R. M. McDONALD, Secretary

5c. to \$1 Store

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Our stock now includes the following articles:

Thread, Tapes, Mendine Yarns, Crumb Tapes, Electric Light Bulbs, Toys, Graniteware, Coal and "Soft" Hangers, Jewellery, Lamp Burners, Curling Tones, Hair Nets, Thermos, Bottles, Cigarette Pines, Scrubbing Brushes, Belts, Men's Braces, Arm Bands, Brushes and Combs, Tooth Brushes and Tooth Paste, Dishes.

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Call and Inspect Our Stock—We Solicit Your Patronage

E. W. Masters

MILL STREET, ACTON

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, AUGUST 22

"Mord' Emly"

An English picture, starring Betty Halloway, Comedy "Corned Jacks," Hoopie Judge "Jumping Jacks."

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23

"Love Letters"

With Shirley Mason, Comedy "His My Pal," Fox News, Educational reel, "The Canadian Alps."

TUESDAY, AUGUST 26

"I Accuse"

A United Artists picture. Chapter 8 of "The Way of a Man." Comedy, "Oriental Flame."

COMING

"The Boy of Flanders" With Jackie Coogan

"The Covered Wagon"

R. L. GREGORY & SON

This Is What August Clearances Mean to A Man

\$1.25 Socks for 95c.	\$4.00 Suits for \$33.75
\$1.00 Socks for 75c.	\$3.50 Suits for \$29.50
85c. Socks for 65c.	\$3.00 Suits for \$17.75
75c. Socks for 50c.	\$1.45 Suits up to \$22.50
40c Work Socks 27c.	\$4.50 Flannel Trousers \$3.95
\$2.50 Underwear 1.95	\$3.00 Flannel Trousers \$4.95
\$2.00 Underwear 1.15	\$7.50 Flannel Trousers \$6.35
\$1.50 Underwear 95c.	\$2.50 Khaki Trousers \$1.95
\$1.00 Underwear 79c.	\$2.45 Work Trousers \$1.95
Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers at 65c.	\$2.50 Overalls at \$2.25
35c. Soft Collars 25c.	\$2.50 Fine Trousers \$3.95
25c. Stiff Collars 20c.	\$3.75 Khaki Combin. \$2.85
\$4.00 Shirts for \$3.00	\$2.50 White Duck Trousers at \$1.95
\$4.50 Shirts for \$3.25	\$25.00 Raincoats at \$19.50
\$5.00 Shirts for \$3.50	\$4.75 Lustré Coats \$3.75
\$2.25 and \$2.50 Work Shirts for \$1.95	\$15.00 Club Bags \$9.85
\$2.00 Work Shirts \$1.49	\$9.00 Club Bags \$5.99
\$1.75 Work Shirts \$1.39	Suit Cases and Club Bags at \$1.69
\$1.50 Work Shirts \$1.29	\$2.00 Umbrellas for \$1.50
\$1.25 Work Shirts 95c.	\$3.00 Umbrellas for \$2.00
\$1.00 Ties for 75c.	\$3.50 Umbrellas for \$2.75
\$1.25 Ties for 95c.	\$4.00 Umbrellas for \$3.00
\$1.35 Ties for \$1.00	\$5.00 Umbrellas for \$3.50
\$2.00 Braces for 39c.	\$6.00 Umbrellas for \$4.50
Any Straw Hat at 50c.	\$7.50 Umbrellas for \$6.00
Felt Hats at \$2.59	\$10.00 Umbrellas for \$7.50
Twed Caps at 85c.	

Because it's MACDONALD'S there's Assurance of Satisfaction Back of Every Sale Price you take Advantage of in This August Clearance

D. E. Macdonald & Bros., Ltd.

GUELPH'S LEADING AND LARGEST STORE

Week-end Specials

ASSORTED JELLY BEANS
The candy with so many different flavors. Regular 40c lb. Week-end Special, 32c. lb.

ASSORTED CHOCOLATES
Always fresh and tasty with a large range of flavors and an extra fine coating. Regular 40c and 50c lb. Week-end Special, 32c. lb.

OUR LIGHT LUNCHES

Why not try a nice sandwich or a plate of hot-soup these cool evenings.

We also have a full menu of Ice Cream dishes. Also a Full line of Bricks and Bulk.

Mill Street - H. WILES Acton

Summer Sale Specials

This Week

Footwear Bargains—See Windows.



MEN'S OXFORDS—Every pair Goodyear welts, in patent colt, calf, kid and fine side leather, brown and black. Worth up to \$6.00. Your Choice \$4.95.

WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS SHOES—Several styles in the lot. All sizes too. Worth up to \$3.25, for \$1.65.

MISSIES CANVAS FOOTWEAR—Leather soles in several different styles to clear at \$1.50. Child's at \$1.00.

HARRY HARRISON, the Shoe Man

New Lines of Travelling Bags and Suit Cases

News of Local Import

Acton Flower Show Yesterday
The cool weather and prevailing rains interfered with the free blooming of flowers in time for the Flower Show yesterday. There was nevertheless a very fine showing in many classes. Mr. Nicol, Tax Superintendent at Guelph, father of Councillor Nicol, was the Judge. He also judged the lawns and gardens in town.

Acton-Bowlers Secure Mercury Cup
A keenly contested match for the Mercury Cup was played on Tuesday evening between Acton and Guelph. The players and score were as follows:

ACTON
Major Cooley, A. Buchanan, H. Howitt, E. J. Hasard, J. Hoas, E. J. Hasard, H. McDonald, R. W. J. Gould, etc.

Base Ball Tournament
A tournament will be held in the park on Saturday afternoon for a valuable Hewison trophy. There will be three games between the Mountaineers at 1:15 p. m.; Hewison's Brampton, vs. Terra Cotta at 2:30 p. m. and the Mountaineers vs. immediately upon conclusion of the second game. All the teams will have new uniforms and each game will be keenly contested.

Knox Church Pulpit
Rev. W. L. Findlay, M. A. of Medford, N. J., occupied the pulpit of Knox Church last Sunday for the third week in succession. His discourse was greatly enjoyed for its fervent messages. He preached on the text: "The Garden of Gethsemane" at the morning service, and "The Holy City" at night. Mr. Findlay sang "The Garden of Gethsemane" at the morning service, and "The Holy City" at night. Mr. Findlay sang "The Garden of Gethsemane" at the morning service, and "The Holy City" at night.

Silver Wedding Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on Sunday at their home on Church Street. The following friends were present: Mrs. E. M. Statham, Mrs. Dr. W. Laird, Guelph; Mr. W. Halght, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. H. Burling and children, Misses Mary and Mrs. Mary Turner, Mrs. Thomas Statham, Messrs. Howard and Harry Statham, Messrs. Jesse Anderson and Lucy Edwards.

An Interesting Missionary Service
The meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church was held on Sunday afternoon. The programme included a talk on "The Missionary Work of the Church" by Miss Ruth Nelson, of Kitchener, who has been in the work the past few years. Mrs. E. M. Statham, of Kitchener, presented a most interesting review of Canada at the Wembley Exhibition, London, England. A missionary reading by James Johnston and Marjory Switzer contributed piano solo, Mrs. A. T. Brown, President occupied the chair.

Duncan McTavish Severely Injured
On Tuesday forenoon Mr. Duncan McTavish, machinist at Barrow, was severely injured. He was working on a new steam boiler which was being installed in the boiler room of a steamship which was being repaired. While thus engaged he was standing on a platform and the boiler fell on him and fell head foremost to the cement floor below. His left arm was shattered at the shoulder and he was thrown to the ground. He was taken to the hospital and is now lying in a hospital bed. He is expected to be discharged in a few days.

Acton's Pure Water Supply
Acton citizens are certainly favored in having pure cool water right from the spring in the rock to drink these summer days. The supply is still much in excess of the demand. It runs through a cement channel from the spring to the reservoir from which it is pumped. The water is filtered and treated against any foreign matter of any description. It is conveyed by electric power to the tower on Main Street, through underground mains, and from thence to the mains it reaches every place in town. The water installations have been made. This pure water is such a common blessing, ensuring the town against disease, and through unpure water, that our citizens feel quite immune. It may be that some do not appreciate this gift as fully as they should.

Mansewood Won Championship
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McMurphy Family Reunion
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A. C. STEWART
Toronto, August 15, 1924.
Crawley is certainly a delightful town. The Old Country letters have necessarily been lengthy and long-continued and the writer has been sometimes tempted to think that the world would begin to think too much, save was being given them. But expressions of appreciation have been so general that it has been decided to continue the series until the literary of the trip has been completed.

26 Certificates Awarded

To Students of Acton High School in Middle School
Twenty-six certificates were awarded students of the Middle School in their departmental examinations. Mr. Macdonald, the late principal of the school, was the examiner. The percentage of failures for the Province was high and the showing of the students of the Middle School was justly considered an exceptionally good one. Where failures were registered against the students the marks were rarely very low. The following is the list:

MISS D. BLAIR—Literature, Literature, Latin Composition, Literature.
MISS G. CLARIDGE—History, Algebra, Geometry, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Composition.
MISS H. COX—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

A. J. HACKITT—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.
R. HENDERSON—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

JOS. HURST—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.
MISS D. LAMBERT—Composition, Literature, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, Latin Authors, Latin Composition.

MISS H. MACDONALD—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.
MISS L. MURRAY—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

MISS E. McPHERSON—History, Algebra, Physics, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, History, Ancient History, Algebra, Geometry, Physics and Chemistry.
WILLIAMS REID—Algebra, Chemistry, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

MISS L. RICHARDSON—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.
RUSSELL ROSS—History, Geography, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

MISS C. SAVAGE—Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.
MISS E. STARMAN—History, Algebra, Physics, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

G. M. WATSON—Composition, History, Algebra, Physics, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, Literature, History, Physics, Chemistry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

MISS M. YOUNG—Composition, History, Literature, Algebra, Geometry, Latin Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, Latin Composition, French Authors, French Composition.

Flowery Show in Guelph
The annual flower show of the Guelph Horticultural Society, in conjunction with Guelph Township and the Guelph Horticultural Society, was held on Wednesday and Thursday, 18th and 19th insts. The show, it is expected, will eclipse those of previous years.

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Visit at Glasgow

The Burns Country and the Trossachs
Enjoyable Tour of the Scottish Show places immortalized by Burns and Scott

THE GREAT SHIP BUILDING INTERESTS OF THE WORLD—KNOWN TO THE WORLD

The visit at Edinburgh and vicinity to spend a few days with friends in the Burns Country and the Trossachs. The visit was most enjoyable and was well worth the journey. The Burns Country and the Trossachs are most interesting places and are well worth a visit. The Burns Country and the Trossachs are most interesting places and are well worth a visit.

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Social and Personal

Miss Marjory Switzer is holidaying with friends in Paisley.

Miss Mary "Sugar" is visiting her sister at Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. John Cole and children, Toronto, are visiting Acton friends.

Miss Jessie McGregor, of Guelph, is holidaying in Acton.

Miss Edith Armstrong, of Hampton, spent Monday with Acton relatives.

Mr. Harold Wansborough, of Toronto, spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Margaret Kennedy, of Toronto, spent the past two weeks at her home here.

Miss M. Z. Bennett left yesterday to spend a few days with friends at Etobicoke.

Miss Lottie E. Speight is spending a week or so at her brother's home in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. McLean and Miss Stella visited Toronto relatives last week.

Miss Ruth Orr, of Georgetown, is holidaying at the home of Mr. C. Woodhill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Roberts and Dorothy, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Acton relatives.

Mrs. W. J. Holt and Masters Gordon and Mrs. Holt spent the week-end with friends at Moffat.

Miss Etile Dills, who has been holidaying at her home here returned to Toronto this week.

Misses Vera, and Frances Hurst spent a few days last week with relatives in Fergus.

Miss Edith White, of Galt, is holidaying with her cousin, Mrs. W. J. Holt, Main Street.

The Band's Musical Evening

Milton Band, the Massed Bands and a Vocal Programme Planned All

The Musical Treat under the auspices of Acton Citizens' Band last Friday evening in the park drew one of the smallest crowds that have attended these outdoor concerts in the park this year. The weather was much too cool for an outdoor function and possibly the number of those which have been held here this year had something to do with the small attendance.

The programme was, however, an exceptionally fine one. Numbers were played by the Acton band, under Captain Mason, with fine effect. The band's own male quartet gave a couple of selections that were much appreciated. The quartette is composed of Handmaster A. Mason, and Messrs. Charles Sorymeyer, of Georgetown, in his Scottish songs and imitations of Harry Lauder, pleased the audience. This young lad has a fine clear voice and his numbers were all well rendered. Mr. H. Rigby accompanied him.

The cantata of the evening was an Acton bandman, Mr. Harry Rigby, and Harry was the equal on Friday evening of any other bandman in the professional entertainers who have played here this year. His songs were given in comic costume and his jokes were adapted locally and seemed to please the crowd. He was vociferously cheered after each number. Miss Lillian White, who has been holidaying at her home here returned to Toronto this week.

Misses Vera, and Frances Hurst spent a few days last week with relatives in Fergus.

Miss Edith White, of Galt, is holidaying with her cousin, Mrs. W. J. Holt, Main Street.

Mrs. R. E. Nelson, of Toronto, has been a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Nelson this week.

Mrs. Charles Akins and Miss Manie, of Toronto, have been visiting Acton relatives during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Itelby, and children, of Niagara Falls, have been visiting Acton relatives during the week.

Mr. Robert Gibbons, of Toronto, has been enjoying a week in the old home and with old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Young and Mr. Fred Cline, of Regina, Mich., visited Acton relatives during the week.

Mrs. Mary Cleary and son, Gerald, of Toronto, spent last week at the home of Mr. J. J. Kennedy.

Mrs. Alfred Roper and Mrs. William Anderson are spending a day or two with friends in Galt this week.

Little Miss Helen Conway, of Huntville, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. Charles Conway, Church Street.

Misses Alice Johnston and Lettie Scott are on a holiday trip down the St. Lawrence and to Montreal.

Miss Margaret Toeman, of Kitchener, is spending a few holidays at the home of Mr. Albert Reesor.

Previous Votes on Prohibition