Births, Marriages and Deaths are now charged for at the following rates: Births, 50c; Marriages, 50; Deaths, 50c; Memorial Cards, 50c, 10c per line extra for poems.

BORN

FRYER—On Monday, February 16, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. Fryer, Acton, Ont., a son—Kenneth Parker.

MARRIED

ALLAN-LACKEY — At St. Paul's Methodist Church Parsonage, at Brampton, on Wednesday, February 25, 1925, by Rev. G. Norrie Gray, William C. Allan, formerly of Acton, to Miss Emma Lackey, daughter of Mrs. Lackey, all of Brampton.

DIED

BESCOBY—In Milton, on Monday, March 2, 1925, Frank F. Bescoby, in his 52nd year.

COOK—At Ballinafad, lot 31, 8th line, Esquesing, on Wednesday, February 18, 1925, Mrs. Christopher Cook.

LAING—At his home, Agnes Street, Acton, on Tuesday, March 3, 1925, Robert Murray Laing, in his 73rd year.

PAPST—Suddenly, at her home in Georgetown, on Thursday, February 19, 1925, Isabel Grant, beloved wife of Charles W. Papst.

McMASTER—In Glenwilliams, on Saturday, February 21, 1925, Sarah Forgrave, widow of the late Samuel McMaster, aged 86 years, 11 months.

DAVIDSON—On Monday, March 2, 1925, at her late residence, Sunnyside, Guelph, Grace Davidson, wife of Lieut.-Col. John Davidson, in her 72nd year.

RAYMOND—On Sunday morning, March 1, 1925, at her late residence, 119 Norfolk Street, Guelph, Helen Jeanette Gill, widow of the late Charles Raymond, aged 90 years.

HARWOOD—On Monday, February 23, 1925, at the residence of her son, Robert Harwood, lot 21, concession 5, Eramosa, Ann McKim, relict of the late Moses Harwood, in her 91st year.

IN MEMORIAM

LINDSAY—In ever loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Ninian F. Lindsay, who entered into rest March 4, 1923.

Husband, Sons and Daughters

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 1925

Brief Local Items

—March is with us again.

—The pretty pussy willows are commencing to bloom again.

—Preparations for the maple syrup making are very general now.

—The last days of February gave a real taste of winter weather.

—Sleighing was renewed through Sunday's generous fall of snow.

—The average price being paid for heavy horses in Ontario is $150.

—Make the best of chilly March, remembering that spring is coming.

—Arthur village has decided to postpone its old boys' re-union till August, 1926.

—February went out the last day with the temperature kicking around zero.

—March came in rather lamblike, and brought with it a good heavy fleece of snow.

—We love it, we love it, and who shall dare to chide us for loving our climate rare!

—The better the home town is the more valuable the homestead in the community will be.

—Outsiders who peddle meat in Meaford will in future have to pay a license fee of $15.00.

—Mr. J. Crawshaw has now quite a varied stock in his store at Speyside, and is building up quite a trade.

—Dr. Scofield, of Guelph, a returned missionary, addressed a well-attended meeting at Knox Guild on Monday evening.

—Stamp the receipts you give for all monies paid you over $10. People are being fined all over Canada for not doing this.

—Alliston public library is maintained by the Women's Institute. The Institute raised over $2,000 for library purposes during 1924.

—All pedestrians are jay walkers to the motorist, and all drivers are crazy speed fiends to the chap who is crossing the street on foot.

—Chalmers Church, Guelph, voted 511 for union and 408 against. The other three Presbyterian Churches in Guelph voted against Union.

—Advertising to-day is the great builder of every successful business. According to Bradstreet 84 per cent. of all firms that fail are non-advertisers.

—Toronto City Council has fixed the period of Daylight Saving for this year between 2 a.m. Sunday, May 3, and the same hour Sunday, September 20.

—The Perth Woollen Mills at Perth, Ontario, which have been in operation for 57 years have been purchased by Arthur Moore, of Huddersfield, England.

—"It's hard lines," confided a Main Street Man last week, "when a man's politics made him have to pretend to like five per cent. beer whether he likes it or not."

—It has been found that many Toronto barber shops are nothing but gambling dens. The Globe says that in 75 barber shops the chief business is taking bets on horse races.

—March has already given us a real taste of winter. With the mercury down to zero on Monday morning, there wasn't much of a springlike character in the atmosphere.

—"Advertising pays!" Sure it does but to make it pay best requires co-operation. Poor salesmanship and indifferent follow-up of inquiries would chloroform any campaign!—Ren Mulford, Jr.

—Sing a song of springtime, just around the bend; everyone is asking, when will winter end? When the winter's over, motorists all will sing,—bring out the family wallet and loosen up the string.

—The Orange Lodges of West York have arranged to make a fraternal visit to Acton L. O. L., No. 467, on Saturday evening. The meeting will be of a social character and will be held in the Town Hall.

—Mrs. C. McCallum, of Esquesing, aged 80 years, slipped on the ice one day last week and broke her left leg near the thigh. She lay helpless in the cold for some time before a neighbor came along.

—In a fire in Wingham on Friday in which R. R. Mooney's plumbing shop was damaged to the extent of $2,000, Mr. W. H. Gurley lost a glove machine, an electric motor and a quantity of stock.

—By a vote of over three to one the electors of Kitchener on Saturday rejected the proposal to devote $15,000 toward the erection of a War Memorial at the new city hall. The vote was 829 for and 2,687 against.

—The Board of Managers of Knox Church has very kindly agreed to grant the use of the school room to the newly-organized Boy Scouts for their weekly meetings. Rev. Mr. Stewart will take an interest in the boys' meetings.

OBITUARY

MRS CHRISTOPHER COOK

One of Esquesing's old and respected citizens, in the person of Mrs. Cook, widow of the late Christopher Cook, passed away at her home, lot 31, 6th line, near Ballinafad, on Wednesday, February 18. Deceased had lived for many years in the township and was esteemed by all who knew her. Two sons and three daughters survive to mourn the death of a beloved mother; J. C., on the homestead; George, of London; Mrs. Everet Watts, Brampton; Mrs. Wicks, Kitchener and Miss Helen at home. Deceased was a life long member of the Methodist Church and the funeral service on Friday was conducted by Rev. Mr. Evans, of Erin, when the remains were interred in Ballinafad cemetery. The pall-bearers were: G. C. Campbell, Peter Cole, W. B. Shortill, Harry Shortill, Fred Shortill, J. F. Sinclair.

MRS. C. W. PAPST

One of Georgetown's most esteemed and respected citizens in the person of Isabella Grant, beloved wife of Mr. C. W. Papst and sister of Major Grant, passed away suddenly at her home here on Thursday last. Deceased was born in Glenwilliams in 1855 and came to Georgetown in 1868. She was married in March 1879 to Mr. C. W. Papst, of Seaforth, by the Rev. John Pringle, D.D., this being his first marriage as a young minister. She died on the anniversary of her marriage forty-six years ago. She was a loving and faithful wife and mother, devoted to her family, her home and her church, a kind neighbor and a pleasant companion. Surviving her are her husband, her son, C. R. Papst, of Orillia; her daughter-in-law and grand daughter, Miss Ruth Papst, of Toronto; and her brother, Major L. Grant of this place. Her eldest son, W. R. Papst, died in 1917, and her sister, Mrs. Alex Stirratt, of Glenwilliams, died in 1916; John R. Grant, of Listowel, a brother, died in 1923. Major Grant, of Georgetown, is the only surviving member of the family who settled in Glenwilliams in 1850. Two nieces, Mrs. E. Y. Barraclough and Mrs. George Winfield, survive. Rev. W. M. McKay, of Toronto, conducted the funeral services on Saturday afternoon last and the following friends acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. John McDermid, John Kennedy, E. Flock, J. M. Moore, Telfer McKay and E. Cole. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful. Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were: John Cameron, Acton; Mrs. Hometh, Mr. Sparling, Toronto.—Herald.

ROBERT M. LAING

Rest came to Robert Laing at his home on Elgin Street, on Tuesday morning, after many weary months of suffering. For four successive winters, Mr. Laing had been confined to his bed, though in the warm months of summer, he was able to be about, but, owing to heart trouble, was unable to endure any exertion. Through all his pain and weakness his devoted wife was constantly at his side and with loving care and solicitude ministered to his needs. Robert Laing was the son of Adam Laing and Margaret Murray, and was born in August 1853, in the log house on the Guelph Road, Nassagaweya, just south of the electric railway chalet. Of his two brothers and two sisters, the following survive: Miss Rubena Campbell, of Troy, N. Y.; Mrs. John Maxwell, of Utica, N. Y., and James C. Laing, of Troy, N. Y. Mrs. Maxwell was at her brother's side when death came, having come from her home last week. Deceased left home many years ago. When the Riel Rebellion broke out in the Northwest in 1885, he enlisted under Col. John Phin, of Hespeler, for service, but this regiment was not called to the front. That year he went to Chicago and from there drifted down to South Carolina. In 1898 he enlisted in the United States army and was in the Spanish war at Santiago, Cuba. Having been wounded he was given a pension, and received a substantial amount each month until his death. Mr. Laing returned to Canada in 1911. That year he was joined in wedlock to his sorrowing widow. Mrs. Laing was Miss Mary Ann Laing before her marriage. She is a daughter of the late Robert Laing, of Nassagaweya. Mr. and Mrs. Laing came to Acton in 1913, and have been good citizens. Mr. Laing was an adherent of the Presbyterian Church and was a member of the Masonic order in the United States. The funeral will be held this afternoon.

AN IMPORTANT INDUSTRY CLOSES

Ryder & Mowat Glove Company Ceases Operations After Fine Career

After careful consideration of existing conditions in the glove trade, the Ryder & Mowat Glove Company has decided to cease operations and close their factory on Main Street.

This decision has been reached owing to the failure of an eastern wholesale house to fulfil agreements entered with the company as to the output of the factory, and the prevailing depression throughout the heavy glove manufacturing trade, both in Canada and the United States.

The large output contracted for by the above-mentioned wholesale house entailed heavy financing for building and equipment otherwise unnecessary and the reduced turnover resulting from the default in orders rendered it unprofitable for the Ryder & Mowat Company to continue manufacturing. They have therefore decided to discontinue the business.

This course will be greatly regretted inasmuch as the company had been doing a considerable volume of business for the past ten years, since their organization. They employed a good complement of labor, and always treated their employees with generous consideration, often keeping them employed when business was quiet, so that their wages might go on without interruption.

It is only fair to state for the information of the public, that this is not a business failure, as the Ryder & Mowat Company discontinues business in a perfectly solvent condition. It is greatly to the credit of this honorable and enterprising firm that every dollar owing by the Company was liquidated before the operations of the business was discontinued.

The discontinuance of this splendid business will be a distinct loss to Acton. We have, however, been singularly fortunate in our factories here. During the times of depression when numbers of factories in other towns have been shut down, the factories here have continued with gratifying permanency.

—"If motorists are going to have to pay a gas tax," says a Shelbourne motorist, "the parliamentarians should have to pay an Amusement Tax on parliamentary gas instead of increasing the sessional indemnity."—Economist.

—A regrettable error in the make-up occurred at the Free Press of last week when an item of correspondence from Oakville was transposed to the Milton column. This referred to the economy of the Oakville Town Council in reducing the salary of the Clerk and Treasurer by $800.00. It is needless to say that Milton Council never entertained a thought in this respect concerning their able and experienced town clerk.

—The Marsh meeting of Nassagaweya Women's Institute will be held on March 11, at the home of Mrs. Frost, Moffat. Roll call, a 5-10 c. social.

Neighborhood News-- Town and Country

DOLLY VARDEN

The Toronto Lime Works has been burning lime here all winter, and prospects are good for an increased output soon.

The 100 acres, lot 34, fourth concession, which was occupied by Charles Lavon, will be sold under mortgage at Lasby's hotel, Acton, on Saturday, March 28.

The Canadian National Electric bridge over the Acton Creek, near here, has been re-timbered and strengthened.

LIMEHOUSE

Councillor Gowdy attended the Good Roads' Convention and banquet in Toronto on Thursday.

The members of the Presbyterian Church are engaged in the vote on Church Union.

Mr. Robert Reed, of Hillsburg, visited his sister, Mrs. Scott, here last week.

The bridge building gang of the Canadian National Electric Road have been engaged for the past fortnight in renewing the timbers and supports on the bridge crossing the south end of the mill pond here.

MILTON

There was a good attendance on Saturday at the annual meeting and election of officers of John Milton Chapter, I. O. D. E., at the home of Mrs. Horning, Main Street. Reports of the several committees were quite satisfactory. The total receipts of the year amounted to over $1,500. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. Regent, Mrs. J. C. Willmott; Regent, Mrs. Yates; 1st Vice-Regent, Miss Bain; 2nd Vice-Regent, Mrs. Gowland; Treasurer, Mrs. R. M. Clements; Secretary, Mrs. Dawson; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Crawford.

BURLINGTON

Burlington Masons have received an invitation to pay a fraternal visit to Oakville lodge on Thursday evening, March 12.

"Welcome Home Jimmy," a play in three acts will be put on by Hamilton talent, under the auspices of Knox Church Ladies' Aid, Burlington, on March 10.

Mr. William Campbell has purchased the Abbatoir of the Robert Dawson Meat Company at Niagara Falls, Ont., and will take possession on March 16.

At a meeting of the Quarterly Board of the Methodist Church held last week arrangements were made to hold union services of the Methodist and Presbyterian Church, commencing about the middle of March. The services will be held in both churches on alternate Sundays, and Rev. R. McGillivray will conduct the services.

Work has been commenced on the building of a large and up-to-date brick structure on Brant street of the Bell Telephone Company. This building is to be completed by May 1.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Flatt entertained the members of the Methodist church choir at their home at Fort Nelson. The evening was most enjoyably spent in games, contests and singing. Dainty refreshments were served and a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Flatt for their kind hospitality.

The Chamber of Commerce will interview the Bell Telephone Company, with a view of securing reduced rates to Hamilton. A second dollar Day was discussed, and this will be held early in the spring.

TERRA COTTA

A number of the friends and neighbors from Terra Cotta and vicinity were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Simpkins on Tuesday evening. The object of the event was to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage. About fifty guests were present. A large two-story wedding cake especially decorated for the occasion was a feature. After complimentary speeches, the "Ladies of the Social Hour" presented them with a silver sugar bowl and spoon holder and a dozen silver teaspoons, while the friends presented them with a silver butter dish and knife and two suitable addresses. Mr. and Mrs. Simpkins were also the recipients of many other valuable presents.

Mr. H. Logan expects to resume operations in his brick yard here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gray and family have moved to Toronto where Mr. Gray has accepted a position as clerk in the Dominion stores.

Mr. John Townsend lost a valuable driver last week.

Mr. Douglas Henderson has gone to Toronto where he has secured a position as travelling salesman.

Mr. William Hunter spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKeown, of Acton.

A number of our young people attended a social party at Mrs. John Sanderson's and report a good time.

Mr. W. E. Townsend had a narrow escape from drowning on Saturday afternoon while skating on the river. He slipped in a hole but luckily managed to crawl out.

OAKVILLE

The Band committee of the Council called a special public meeting in the temperance hall on Tuesday evening. This was for bandsmen, ex-bandsmen and any citizens interested. The formation of a new band was discussed. The $500 debt from the old band was an element of hindrance. The matter will be further considered.

There was a large gathering of representatives of the municipalities from Oakville to Toronto in the Council Chamber here on Saturday afternoon last. They convened to discuss Hydro radial matters, and especially a high speed line from Oakville to Toronto and into the heart of the city. A strong resolution favoring it was passed.

On Tuesday evening the young people of St. Jude's Church gave an entertainment in aid of the Parish Hall building fund, which was something out of the ordinary line. A carnival of the months under the direction of Miss Blanche Hillmer was a most enjoyable affair, as was also a miniature circus under the direction of C. Taylor and I. E. French.

There will be a meeting in the council chamber on Wednesday evening March 11, for the purpose of starting a new Horticultural Society.

Mr. and Mrs. George McLaren and their young daughter left no Tuesday for England to visit relatives. Mrs. McLaren's father is quite ill.

Commissioner Chas. Sowton, the leader of the Salvation Army work in Canada, will be visiting the Oakville Corps on Tuesday evening, March 24.

There was an exceptionally sad death at Clarkson on Tuesday when Mrs. Harold Manley passed away, and also her infant son, Harold Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Glasco, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cox and W. Harland Smith have returned from Pinehurst, N.C., after spending a month there and are feeling much benefited by the trip.

Reeve Cross, Mrs. Cross and Miss Gladys Cross left on Tuesday for Ottawa to spend a few days with A. E. Cross and family. Miss Cross will remain there while Mr. and Mrs. Cross go on to Philadelphia to visit Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cross, and from there to Florida for six weeks.

NASSAGAWEYA

Earl Campbell, a young farmer of Nassagaweya Township, met with a peculiar accident the other day. He was tying the cattle in the stable when one of the cows slipped on the concrete floor, and in falling one of its horns penetrated the young man's legs, inflicting a severe gash, which required ten stitches to close. He suffered greatly from loss of blood.

EDEN MILLS

The Unionist members of the Presbyterian Church here decided to withdraw from the Church, whilst had a majority for non-concurrence in Union. Last Sunday they held services in the town hall. Rev. J. U. Stewart announced that he would be in charge of the Union Church, and made feeling references to his connection with the Presbyterian Congregation. Mr. William McLean, presiding elder of the session, extended an invitation offering them the privileges of worship with the Presbyterian congregation should they so desire.

OSPRINGE

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. McCallum, third line.

Mr. David Robertson has recovered from his recent illness.

A number of changes in the ownership of farms of this locality are being made.

Messrs. Austin McCutcheon and son have rented the fine farm of Mr. John Aitkens, second line. Mr. Aitkens will remove to the Renton 200 acre farm.

Mr. Herb. Tarawell has rented the McPhail farm on the [illegible] line. Mr. McPhail will move to the Campbell farm on the second line.

SCHOOL SECTION NO. 10, ERIN

The following is the school report for February for School Section No. 10, Erin:

Jr. IV—Jean Cree, 70%. (hon.); Daisy Foster, 80% (hon.); Edith Russell, 74%.

Sr. II—Louise Swackhamer, 83% (hon.); Mildred Foster, 77% (hon.).

Sr. I—Jack Cole, 98% (hon.); Stewart Russell, 80% (hon.); Kathleen Farey, 77% (hon.)

Jr. I—Frank Swackhamer.

Best class work in spelling and arithmetic—Frank Swackhamer.

60% pass; 75% honors.

J. P. SCARROW, PRESIDENT

Elected to Succeed Col. Hunter as Head of the Great War Veterans' Association

At the meeting of the Central Region of the Ontario Veterans' Alliance at Toronto on Friday, Col. Hunter put in his resignation, after holding the position for two years. This was reluctantly accepted after the Colonel explained his position.

It was unanimously agreed that the customary procedure be adhered to by the 1st vice-president assuming the chair and the other vice-presidents moving up, leaving the 4th vice-presidency to be filled at a later date. J. P. Scarrow, of the Acton Branch of the Great War Veterans' Association, was therefore unanimously elected president of the central region of the alliance.

Much important business was done and it was decided to take forward steps towards the unity of all Veteran bodies.

The legislative programme of the Alliance was adopted each clause being explained by the President.

ANNUAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY

A Choir of Thirty Male Voices at Knox Church Sunday Evening

The annual rally of the young people of Knox Church attracted a large congregation on Sunday evening.

Excellent address were given by two bright young men from Knox College, Toronto, Mr. A. Gillies spoke on "The Abundant Life," and Mr. Lou Little on "The Spirit of Fellowship." Both addresses were excellent and were delivered with a fervor which interested the audience.

A choir of thirty male voices led the praise service. Messrs. J. Lewis and F. Salt, the new choirmaster and organist were efficient in carrying out the evening's programme with Mr. Alex. Mann in charge of the choir. A quintette comprised of Messrs. J. Lewis, V. Rumley, K. Currie, Alex. Mann and James Smith sang very acceptably.

The service throughout was in charge of the young men of the congregation.

R. J. KERR'S LIST OF SALES

Friday, March 6—Smith Brothers, Pilkington Township. Clearing auction sale.

Tuesday, March 17—Donald Campbell, near Moffat. Farm Stock, etc.

Saturday, March 28—At the Station Hotel, Acton, 100 acre farm, lot 24, con. 4, Esquesing.

THE "STOVEPIPE VERDICT"

It was a characteristic of a certain Tennessee colonel that when once his oratory had begun to flow before the jury nothing could stop until the fount was exhausted. On one occasion he had just finished tearing his opponents argument to tatters when the court-room stovepipe fell with a crash.

"There," cried the colonel, as the clouds of soot arose, "there is a simile furnished by nature herself! Just as that stovepipe has come unjointed and fallen useless to the ground, so my adversary's argument has fallen with as loud a crash! One is not more hollow than the other, nor more in need of polish.

"And, gentlemen of the jury, what do those clouds of smoke and soot resemble,—those black masses smutting all they light upon,—what do they resemble more than the malicious lies, the black scandals which my adversary has poured into your ears, and with which he has endeavored to blacken the character of my client?"

His case had seemed hopeless, but when he had finished the stovepipe comparison the jury was converted, and turned in what became famous in western Tennessee as the "stovepipe" verdict in favor of the colonel's client.

NO EXTRA TROUBLE

It was in the dead of night, and a cold night at that, Mr. Smith was away, and Peterson Smith, aged six, was getting over the measles.

"Mother, may I have a drink of real cold water?" he asked, waking Mrs. Smith from a refreshing slumber.

"Turn right over and go to sleep!" commanded Mrs. Smith. "You are a naughty boy to wake mother up when she put a pitcher of water on your table the very last thing before you went to bed."

Ten minutes later the small voice piped up again: "Mother, I want a drink of water."

"Peterson," said Mrs. Smith, sternly, "if you say that again I shall get up and spank you!"

There was five minutes silence, and then again Peterson spoke:

"Mother," he said, cheerfully, "when you get up to spank me, may I have a drink of water?"

DON'T ASK THE WIFE

Once every week every man should sit down in a big easy chair, cross his legs and make himself as comfortable as possible and for an hour calmly think about himself. He should inquire about his disposition, how to improve it; he should analyze his religion and if he has any desire to be steadfast in it; he should consider his business and figure out methods of reducing expenses without impairing service; he should ask himself whether or not he is doing the best possible by his employees and his neighbors; he should investigate his citizenship and deal frankly with himself while considering it; and finally she should bluntly ask himself if he isn't the most unreasonable and most touchy man in the world while he is in his own home.—Atchison Globe.

MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, THE 28th Day of March, 1925

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon at Lasby's Station Hotel, Acton, Ontario, by R. J. Kerr, Auctioneer, the following property lately occupied by

CHARLES LAVEN

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Township of Esquesing, in the County of Halton, containing by admeasurement One hundred (100) acres, be the same more or less, and being composed of that portion of Lot Twenty-four (24) in the fourth (4th) concession of the said Township, lying north of the Grand Trunk Railway. Excepting that parcel of land containing three-eighths of an acre or less which was conveyed by Instrument number 4520-L.

On the said farm there are said to be erected a good dwelling house with suitable farm buildings. This farm is also said to be located on the Toronto and Guelph Radial line.

The lands will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

TERMS OF SALE: Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale and the balance within thirty days.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

HARRY W. PAGE,
15 Queen's Park, Toronto,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee

Dated at Toronto, this twenty-seventh day of February, 1925. 36-4

CLEARING CREDIT AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, GRAIN AND HAY

The undersigned has received instructions from

E. M. SMELLIE

to sell by public auction on lot 8, 6th con., West Chinguacousy, at Stop 58, Radial, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 19

at 1 p. m. sharp, the following:

HORSES—Bay Mare, aged; Chestnut Gelding, aged.

CATTLE—Red cow, part Durham, in full flow of milk; Holstein cow, in full flow of milk; Holstein cow, brindle cow, bred. Now 1.

PIGS—3 fat Hogs.

HENS—8 Hens.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Peter Hamilton binder, 6¼ ft. cut; Deering mower, 6 ft. cut; Deering Mower, 5 ft. cut; Superior disc drill, 12 discs; Frost & Wood cultivator, 16 teeth; Planet Jr. two-horse corn cultivator; Massey-Harris disc harrow, 14 discs; Massey-Harris hay rake, 30 teeth; Massey-Harris hay tedder, wide; Cockshutt roller; Cockshutt two-furrow sulky, Massey-Harris single sulky, No. 21; Peter Hamilton walking plow, No. 21; Jointer plow; with wheel; No. 5 Wilkinson plow; No. 11 Patterson plow; Grieve sod plow; double mould-board plow; set seed harrows, 4 sections, 12 feet; set heavy harrows, 5 sections, 13 feet; scuffler; Cyclone seeder; corn planter; lumber wagon and box; truck wagon with steel wheels; Jackson truck wagon, new; hay rack; corn rack; low truck wagon; set of steel wheels; heavy spring wagon with pole and shafts; light spring wagon with pole and shafts; road cart; 2 sets heavy bobsleighs; set light sleighs; cutter; 2 buggy poles; set buggy shafts; covered wagon box; light wagon box and seat; gravel box; 8 pig crates; calf crate; set weigh scales, 2,000 lbs.; root pulper; fanning mill; bag truck; barley-sanner; Louden hay fork car; Melotte cream separator, 720 lbs. capacity; new; 2 meal chests; steel barrel, 40 gallons; gasoline engine, 3 h. p.; 24 ft. ladder; 20 ft. ladder; apple ladder; 2 cedar poles, suitable for litter carrier; number cedar posts; stump machine irons; whiffletrees, and other articles including forks, shovels, iron bars, belting, etc. These implements have been kept inside and are all in A1 shape.

HARNESS—2 sets heavy harness; 1 set single harness.

FURNITURE—Some household furniture including coal heater and wood box stove.

HAY AND GRAIN—About 200 bus. oats; quantity hay and straw; about 10 bags Green Mountain potatoes.

TERMS—Hogs, hay and grain and all sums of $15.00 and under cash; over that amount 8 months credit on approved joint notes. 6% per annum off for cash. Positively all will be sold as the farm has been sold.

Also at the same time and place the following registered Shorthorns, the property of R. S. Murray, will be sold: Red cow, 7 years, due time of sale; roan cow, 5 years, due time of sale; roan heifer, 2 years, calf at foot; red heifer, 2 years, calf at foot; roan heifer, 2 years, due April 1. Terms on these calves cash.

BEN PETCH, Auctioneer
W. A. Wilson, Clerk. 36-2

Former Pastor Called to Guelph

Rev. J. A. Johnston, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, Toronto, and for a time pastor of the Baptist Church, Acton, was on Sunday extended a call by the congregation of the Woolwich Street Baptist Church, Guelph. Mr. Johnston had been a recent visitor to the city, whom he was heard by the congregation, and as a result the unanimous call was offered.

Hamilton's Population Growing

Including such adjoining suburbs as Mount Hamilton, Bartonville, West Hamilton and the Beach, this year's city directory gives Hamilton a population of 141,685. Without these suburbs the population is given as 131,494. Pointing to the city's growth in twenty years, the publishers of the directory forecast that Hamilton should have a population of 225,000 ten years hence.

Dufferin County Re-foresting

Our neighboring County of Dufferin is going in strong for re-foresting. Reeve Thomas J. Parks, of Mono Township and H. A. Dorrance were in Toronto last week making arrangements with the Provincial Forestry Department to plant two demonstration lots in the township this spring. These plots will comprise of about five acres. In Mulmur Township last year 50 acres were planted, and Mono Township has arranged for an extensive planting campaign in 1926.

Farms for Sale

100 acres, 4 miles from Acton; Ospringe 2 miles, new bank barn new house, lots of water, soil the very best, $5,700. $2,000 down if sold at once. A snap.

100 acres, near Ballinafad, with bank barn, 2 houses, good soil. Would exchange for town property, $3,500.

169 acres, Acton 2 miles, 2 barns, fairly comfortable house, great producing land. A bargain for quick sale.

ASK KERR

Real Estate Agent - Acton

HE KNOWS

McLean & Co.

Store News

THESE EXTRA VALUES WILL APPEAL TO YOUR GOOD JUDGMENT

NATURAL RAW SILK at Reduced Price—We have in stock to-day 100 yards of this silk. Good value at $1.00. Reduced to ..... **80c.**

HOLEPROOF HOSE at a Special Price—10 dozen in this lot in black and colored. This is our regular $1.25 line. Special at ..... **98c.**

WHITE SAXONY FLANNELETTE at Special Price for this week—This is our big seller at 35c per yard. Extra wide, heavy nap. Special this week at ..... **29c.**

MEN'S FINE SHIRTS at Reduced Price—We have just six dozen of these shirts. Sizes 14 to 16. Odd lots picked out of our $2.00 and $2.25 lines. Made up by one of the best makers. Guaranteed fast. Special price **$1.65**

TOWELS at Bargain Prices—Just 10 dozen in this lot of Towels (Travellers' Samples) plain and fancy. These Towels are worth 75c and $1.00 each. We bought them cheap and will sell them cheap. Each **40c. 2 For 75c.**

SNAGPROOF, BIG B and CARHARTT OVERALLS
All Sizes in Stock

5 dozen Men's Work Shirts, Khaki. Regular $1.25 For ..... **98c.**

McLean & Co.

MILL STREET - - - - - ACTON, ONT.

Our Candy Witch

Is she glad to see him when he brings to her a box of our candy? Say boy! Is a spring violet grateful for the warm spring rain? Does the sunset please and rest you when you're workday tired. Does the rainbow look beautiful to the storm-tossed mariner? Is she glad to see him? Ask her.

Our candy makes good because it's made good.

Saturday Treat

Week-end Chocolates
Reg. 50c and 60c lb.
Saturday Special 32c lb

Fresh Peanut Crisp
Chuck full o' nuts. Reg. 30c and 35c.
Saturday Treat 25c lb

Fresh Koko Buds
Reg. 60c lb.
Saturday 20c. half lb or 39c. lb

Rumley's Candies
Phone 65
Acton, Ont.

Winter Time is Meat Time

All through the cold weather you need to eat plenty of meats, and when you can always get the choicest cuts at Patterson's Meat Market it is an extra inducement to serve meat often through the cold weather.

We always have full stocks of Beef, Pork, Lamb, Fish, Veal, etc., and with our experience in cutting meats you get the best value for your money.

Canned Goods

When the family has begun to tire of the usual dishes, these pure and wholesome Canned Vegetables, Fruits, etc., will offer inspiration for a meal that is both delicious and unusual. They are exceptionally fine when served with our meats. Place your order along with your meat order, and have it delivered.

Watch Our Windows Friday and Saturday for Specials

W. J. PATTERSON

CORNER MILL AND MAIN STREETS - ACTON, ONT.

Millinery Openings

ON

FRIDAY & SATURDAY
MARCH 13 and 14

MISS J. GALBRAITH
Millinery and Fancy Goods Store
PHONE 109, ACTON, ONT.

De Secon' Annual

Band Minstrel Show

I'se been a bit delayed dis year. De niggers hab been tryin' to put up an 'xtra good show, an' it took more time than I 'xpected. Sunshine, Bones, Raffles, Slivers, All-in an' 'mos' everybody has their pieces 'bout ready now an' I'se comin' on

Thurs. & Fri. March 19-20

De Plan of Hall at Brudder Hassard's Apothecary Shop Open on
SATURDAY, MARCH 14
at 12 noon

Choose Your Own Seats 35c.

Take-what-you-get Seats 25c.

Get yo' seats early. 'Member de rush las' year. Plenty of take-what-you-get seats, but buy yo' tickets early an' be de fust in line.