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### Neighborhood News-- Town and Country

#### DIED

**PATTULLO**—In Orangeville, on Sunday, May 3, 1925, Anne Gilchrist, beloved wife of Joseph Pattullo, Police Magistrate, in her 85th year.

#### IN MEMORIAM

**LAMBERT**—In loving memory of Mrs. Matilda Lambert, who passed away April 29, 1925.  
A tender wife, a mother dear,  
Has gone and left us mourning here.  
She parted from this world of pain,  
But only died to live again.  
We loved her, Oh, no tongue can tell  
How much we loved her, and how well  
God loved her, too, and thought it best  
To take her home with Him to rest.  
HER LOVING HUSBAND  
AND CHILDREN

### The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1925

#### Brief Local Items

—Next Sunday will be Mothers' Day. Sunday, May 10, will be Mothers' Day.  
—The pretty apple blossoms will soon be here again.  
—May Day's showery skies were the delight of the trout fishermen.  
—May came in with the showers that were expected in April.  
—It will be noted by weather folks that we had a flurry of snow on May 1st.  
—The average temperature of April was about five degrees higher than usual.  
—Knox Church Sunday School now meets at 10 a. m. for the summer months.  
—Dr. Allan, who is eighty years of age, has resigned from the postmaster-ship of Acton.  
—Young man, write a letter to your mother, so she will receive it by next Sunday—Mothers' Day.  
—May's reputation for warm spring weather has suffered so far, when contrasted with that of April.  
—Plant flowers and then plant some more. Nothing makes a town more attractive than a profusion of brilliant blooms.  
—Acton now has six gas-filling stations. This should be sufficient to meet the demands, even in the busiest periods.  
—The only difference between the one novel of yesterday and the novel of to-day is one dollar and ninety cents.  
—A good thing to remember and a better thing to do, is to have the construction gang and not with the wrecking crew.  
—The blossoms will be on the fruit trees presently and will be in bloom with the fragrance. Oh, but isn't this a glorious old world!  
—It doesn't take much of anything, but just a little ingenuity and a little energy to make a great improvement in your surroundings.  
—The farmers are quite free in their expressions of appreciation of the Acton Council's action in declining to endorse Daylight Saving.  
—There will be a Mothers' Choke at the morning service of Knox Church next Sunday when the anniversary of Mothers' Day will be celebrated.  
—A Mothers' Day Service will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Culp will preach a sermon appropriate to the occasion.  
—Canadian parcel post rates to points in the United States have jumped two cents a pound. The old rate of 12 cents was advanced to 14 cents on May 1.  
—Numbers of wild flowers are blooming now. Beautiful trilliums and jack-in-the-pulpits are to be found profusely in some of the country groves.  
—"Power's off" has been rather a frequent announcement the past week. The main transmission line of the Hydro service has been under repair at Guelph.  
—Trot fishermen were out in full force on Friday—the first of May. The weather was unpropitious for full creels, though some of the fishermen are able to report good sport.  
—Owing to the date for the election of the new Bishop of Niagara being fixed for Thursday, May 14th, the Halton Deacons Choral Festival will be held on Ascension Day, May 21st.  
—If you have any friends visiting you tell it to your friends. The visitors have friends who would be glad to know they are here and would like to know when they call on them.  
—Workmen are engaged in adding a second story to the machine shop building at the plant of the Acton Tanning Company. This will add a very considerable area of space to this building.  
—Resolutions reducing the number of town constables from three to two and amending by-law to make pasteurization of all but certified milk compulsory were features of Oakville Town Council session Monday night.  
—Owing to a misunderstanding between local clubs the baseball schedule published last week is being changed and a meeting for that purpose will be held in Georgetown on Thursday evening. The new schedule will appear next week.  
—The trout fishing season is open. Some fishermen evidently will be well informed if they note that the law says: "You shall not take a trout longer than ten inches, and a day's catch must not exceed twenty fish and not more than ten pounds."  
—The last Bulletin of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association says: "Merchants should not complain if the customers get big packages from the mail order houses, when they themselves are doing the same thing in the purchase of their printing and other goods."  
—Some are wondering if it will be necessary to carry lights on baby carriages at night, now that legislation has been enacted empowering municipalities to put into effect a law requiring all vehicles to carry lights. We can see trouble ahead if an attempt to enforce this should be tried.—Carleton Place Canadian.

#### METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Officers Elected at the Annual Meeting and for the Current Year  
At the annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday School Orchestra on Monday evening the following officers were elected for the year:  
Hon. Pres.—Mr. A. T. Brown, Supt. of Sunday School.  
President—Mrs. John C. Hill.  
Librarian—Miss Lottie Mason.  
Asst. Leader—Mr. Rudolph Spill.  
Sec. Treas.—Mr. J. C. Matthews.  
Pianist—Miss Lorna Kennedy.  
Asst. Pianist—Miss Olga Moore.  
Librarian—Miss Lorna Kennedy.  
It is the intention of the orchestra to secure a repertoire of new music and arrange for regular practice. Applications from competent musicians in the orchestra will be received and considered.

### THE ACTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Busy Brief, Businesslike Session Held Last Thursday Evening

There was a good attendance at the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last Thursday evening. President R. M. McDonald directed the proceedings.  
The minutes of the advertisement for a suitable factory to locate in the vacant Ryde & Mowat building were quite numerous and indications are that a desirable industry will soon occupy the building.  
A special committee composed of Messrs. J. M. McDonald, H. S. Holmes, W. A. Storey and Jan. Symon were appointed to interview one of the most likely prospects.  
The Secretary read two communications from the Toronto Suburban Railway relative to the equalization of fares requested at a previous meeting and consideration for Acton was promised when the matter of general revision comes up this year.  
The proposition was discussed that had been vaguely put before the Council by the Messrs. Beaudouin & Co., who are considering bringing one of their subsidiary Toronto factories to Acton. This plant would employ from 25 to 40 men. Messrs. M. McDonald and N. H. Garden, who were present, explained that all that would likely be expected would be a fixed assessment for ten years. In other words they did not wish to be assessed or penalized for enlarging their plant or bringing in another factory for the term of ten years.  
The Chamber of Commerce went on record as favoring the proposal and when details were gone through, the best interests of Acton, would be glad to help put the project through.  
Membership list cards were ordered to be printed and these will be supplied to members to hang in their places of business.

### THE STUDENTS WHO WON STANDING

Spring Term Report of Acton High School with Names of Those Successful

The following Spring Term report of Acton High School students' standing in interest:  
Form III—Milton Watson (Hon.); Helen Cox (Hon.); Muriel Crouman; Archie Kerr; Margaret Young.  
Form II—Margaret Grindell (Hon.); Irene Dunn; Mary Chalmers; Edwin Gumbel; Gordon Huffman and Edith Gibbons (equal); Ross Kaiser; Annie Allison.  
Form I—Merle Stewart (Hon.); Fred Day (Hon.); Mae Stewart; Gladys Scarrow; Ada Mills; Arthur Henderson; Raymond Lambert; Stewart Lamb.  
Note—Only those students are reported who were present for every examination, who take no subjects in a lower form, and who received at least 60% on each paper written. The names are in order of merit.  
B. Mow, Principal.

### INVENTIONS Commercialized

ADAM FISHER MFG. CO.  
1025 EMPIRE AVENUE ST. LOUIS, MO.  
"I never, never will get enough ice cream soda and I don't want to," says the Candy Witch.  
Well, they won't hurt anyone. They're pure and they're thirst quenching. So why shouldn't you and your childhood and your friends have all you want of them.  
Our Candy makes good because it's made good.  
Saturday Treat  
Fresh Maple Peanut  
That summer candy that everybody loves. Reg. 10c lb.  
Saturday Treat 25c lb.  
Week-end Chocolates 32c lb.  
A good assortment of hard and soft centers. Reg. 60c and 60c lb.  
Saturday Special 32c lb.  
Velvets, 39c lb.  
A friend of everybody's. Reg. 60c and 60c lb.  
Saturday 39c lb or 20c 1/2 lb.  
Special for Saturday  
Fresh Strawberry Sundae with Whipped Cream  
Ramley's Candies  
Phone 65  
Acton, Ont.

### Our Candy Butch



It does relieve Constipation. That's why over ten million bottles are sold annually.

For Sale in all Good Drug Stores  
Dr. Caldwell's Laxative SYRUP PEPSIN

Every time we fill an order we get a great deal of pleasure out of knowing that it is another package of "Good things to eat from Spry's Meat Shop."  
We know we can please our customers daily by serving them with strictly first-class meats, which our long experience has taught us how to serve.  
"ONCE A CUSTOMER, ALWAYS A FRIEND" IS OUR MOTTO  
F. J. SPRY  
(SUCCESSOR TO ORRIE LAMB)  
Mill and Main Streets Acton, Ont.

Summer Hats  
Are now on display. All the newest and prettiest colorings in the larger hats for summer wear. We know we have just what you want.  
LET US SHOW YOU THEM  
MISS J. GALBRAITH  
Millinery and Fancy Goods Store Phone 109, Acton, Ont.

### WILL IT RAIN TO-MORROW?

CONSULT THIS

### Weather Prophet

IT PREDICTS THE WEATHER FOR WORK OR PLEASURE



This Coupon and 69c.  
Good for \$1.00  
Weather House  
Prophet  
Made in Canada—Guaranteed—An Ideal Gift  
It is surprisingly reliable on local weather conditions. Made on strictly scientific principles. We have secured a special price on a quantity and as long as they last will sell them for only 69c. if you bring this coupon.  
When the weather is to be fine the two children will come out; when stormy weather is approaching, the witch will come out from under the coupon.  
The house is made of hardwood, in Swiss cottage style, and is decorated as in the picture, with thermometer, silk's head, bird's house and bird, etc. It has four windows and two doors.  
Advertised for \$1.00—Our Price for a Limited Time with the Coupon is 69c.  
Every home should have one. Come and get yours at once or mail your order. Mail orders 10c extra.  
E. J. HASSARD  
DRUGS AND STATIONERY  
ACTON, ONT.

Insure Your Next Winter's Comfort by Buying Coal Now  
Agreement between miners and operators expires August next and there will be a strike which will make coal very scarce and dearer. During May we can fill up your bin with quality coal at a reasonable price.  
Nut Size Coal, for May order only—\$14.00 per ton  
Stove Size Coal, for May order only—\$14.50 per ton  
On April 1st all mines started preparing coal over different size screens which make Nut size smaller and Furnace size larger.  
PLACE YOUR ORDER WITH MR. NORMAN McLEOD  
J. B. Mackenzie

Remember the name  
EXCELSIOR FLOUR  
CAN YOU REMEMBER THE NAME? TRY IT—THEN ORDER IT AND TRY IT  
EXCELSIOR FLOUR  
Acton Flour and Feed Mills  
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DEMONSTRATION OF  
Coleman Cookers  
At Symon's Hardware Store ON Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday MAY 11, 12 AND 13  
On the above dates an expert from the factory will demonstrate this new style of cooker, which is absolutely safe and free from any disagreeable odor of coal oil. You owe it to yourself your order for an out-of-date stove. Come in on any of the above dates and see it in operation.  
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Special For This Week  
PORK CUTS  
Picked Ham, whole or half, per lb. 25c  
Pickled Side Pork per lb. 20c  
Fresh Hams, whole or half, per lb. 25c  
Fresh Side Pork, per lb. 20c  
Shoulder Roast, per lb. 22c  
Loin Roast, at per lb. 25c  
Side Bacon, slab or half, per lb. 33c  
VEAL CUTS  
Stewing Veal per lb. 10c to 12c  
Shoulder of Veal 18c to 20c  
Veal Roast lb. 25c  
Rib Veal Chops per lb. 27c  
Loin Chops of Veal, per lb. 27c  
LARD  
3 lb. Pails of Lard 60c for  
5 lb. Pails of Lard for \$1.00  
1 lb. Bricks of Lard 21c for  
SAUSAGE  
Homemade Sausage 2 lbs. for 35c  
FRESH LAKE TROUT THIS WEEK FROM THE NORTH  
W. J. PATTERSON  
CORNER MILL AND MAIN STREETS ACTON, ONT.

New Spring Goods  
COTTON DELAINES—Rich floral patterns in pink, sand, blue, etc. with plain to match. Special per yard 35c.  
Broadcloths in Fancy Stripes at 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25  
Holeproof Hose, silk at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75  
SILK HOSE in black and all the new shades. Reg. 60c. Price 90c. Special this week 60c.  
SWEATER COATS FOR SUMMER WEAR  
In Fawns, Oxfords, etc. Special at \$2.75 and \$3.00  
FLOOR OILCLOTHS AND LINOLEUMS  
We are showing a large range of this season's patterns in Floor Coverings. Call and look them over and compare the prices with the large city stores.  
25 DOZEN TOWELS AT A PRICE  
Now is the time to lay in a stock. You cannot keep house without them. Good large size, easy to wash and will give good wear. Extra good value, each 25c.  
CIRCULAR PILLOW COTTON—40 inches wide. A good quality of cotton. Extra good value at 50c. This week for per yard 38c.  
All Pure Linen Crash Towelling at per yard 20c.  
Men's Light-weight Undershirts at each 60c.  
Men's Merino Shirts and Drawers. Special at each \$1.50  
MEN'S COMBINATIONS in ankle length, short or long sleeves, at a special price, per suit \$1.50  
WATCH WINDOW FOR GROCERY SPECIALS  
McLean & Co.  
MILL STREET ACTON, ONT.  
Store Closes Wednesday at 12:30

Halton Chapter MINSTRELS  
In the Town Hall, Acton Tuesday, May 12  
PROGRAMME  
PART I  
INITIATION  
With full Musical Ritual and Regalia of Aching Bunton (Charles Wilson) into Vanitas Lodge, No. 41 on the Colored Register.  
Master Potentiate—B. G. Arnold  
Third Potentiate—Frank Lacey  
Geo. Brown  
Second Guardian—Tom Rennie  
Hugh Dickey  
Porter—W. V. Grant  
Corobus—Wm. Long  
Brudner Misery, the Lodge Critic and D. C. H. G. Meir  
Chorus—Composed of numerous other colored brethren  
Director—H. Corke  
INTERMISSION  
PART II  
Interlocutor—J. M. Moore  
End Men  
Gloom—Bob Wemyss  
Evolution—Bill Grant  
Rantus—Jack Russell  
Moonshine—Hob. Jackson  
Seniors  
W. B. Dilly  
H. Dibble  
W. Long  
W. Gowdy  
R. B. Poulis  
Charlie Wilson  
Tom Rennie  
Pianist—Miss Leavitt  
Musical Director—J. B. Wallace  
Basses  
M. Kennedy  
Geo. Brown  
Rev. P. Mayes  
Ernie Peller  
Drums, etc.—A. Thurston  
Opening Chorus—Entire Company  
"Can't You Hear Me Callin' Garsies"  
Swanee River Blues  
Dem Golden Slippers  
Swanee River Moon  
De Watermelon Song  
The Photo of the Girl I Left Behind  
Bad Little Boy  
My O' Plantation Home  
Chorus—"How'd you do?"  
Dreaming in the Twilight  
Entire Company  
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Plan of Hall Open at Brown's Drug Store on Saturday, May 9th, at Two o'clock.

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