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THE ACTON UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Minister—Rev. R. E. Zimmerman, B. A.
Parsonage—Willow Street

Organist—Miss Fern Brown

SERVICES

10.00 a. m.—Sabbath School.
11.00 a. m.—Rev. John Little, Rockwood.
7.00 p. m.—Rev. John Little, Rockwood.

Prayer and Praise Service Thursday evening at 7.30.

PRESBYTERIAN
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON

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

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School.
10.00 a. m.—Bible Class.
11.00 a. m.—Rev. W. M. Kannawin, D.D., of St. John's Church, Hamilton.
7.00 p. m.—Rev. W. M. Kannawin, D. D.

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

THE BAPTIST CHURCH
ACTON
JAMES W. BOYD, Pastor

9.45 a. m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a. m.—The Pastor. Subject: "Three Types of Temptation."
7.00 p. m.—The Pastor. Subject: "The Healing of Naaman, the Syrian General."

Helpful messages, from two great Bible incidents. Don't miss these.

Monday, 8 p. m.—Young People's and Prayer Meeting.

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OF
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In the Village of Acton

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The funniest farce in 33 years, starring Syd Chaplin. Comedy, "Water Wagons.", "Felix Cartoon." Special orchestra. Prices 25c and 35c.

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With a well-known and excellent cast. Comedy "Motor Mad." "Fox News." Cartoon "Don't Fail."

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"North of Nevada"
Western starring Fred Thompson and his horse Silver King. Chapter 5 of "The Riddle Rider." Comedy "Queen of Aces."

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"The Girl of the Limberlost"
By Gene Stratton Porter
"Oh You Tony"
With Tom Mix

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Half Price for Dresses—Women's and Misses' sizes—Smart styles for this summer's enjoyment and next summer's saving.

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Saturday Treat

Bordeaux Cream 25c lb.
A wonderful summer candy, a rich smooth cream, Bordeaux flavor with just enough cherries and cocoanut to make it tasty. Reg. 40c lb.
Saturday Treat 25c lb

Week-End Chocolates 32c lb.
If better quality chocolates could be had for the low price of these chocolates we would have them. Always fresh, always assorted. Reg. 50c and 60c lb
Saturday Treat 32c. lb

Cowan's Nut Bars 2 for 5c
Just received a fresh shipment of these wonderful selling bars. Take a quarter's worth with you
2 for 5c, or 11 for 25c

Sugared Cocoanut 29c
A limited amount to go at this very low price. Reg. 40c lb.
Special for Saturday 29c lb

Ice Cream
Neilson's first, last and always. Assorted bricks, assorted flavors in bulk always in stock and always fresh. Try the "Aristocrat" the Better Brick.

Be Here Early

And Get First Choice of These Rubber and Crepe Sole Shoes

The boys and girls will want them for school and they are all new goods. Come in and see them as the prices are so low we know you will have to buy them. Black, Brown and White.

OTHER BARGAINS

Women's Brown Calf Strap Slipper. Regular $5.00. This week $3.95.
Tan Pomps $2.95.
Tan Calf Oxfords for Men for $4.95.
Men's Work Boots at $3.50.

Holeproof Hosiery
In all shades. They outwear the other kind.

Scholl's Bunion and Zino Corn Pads
Are helping the sore feet. We have all these foot appliances and know how to fit them properly.

HARRY HARRISON, The Shoe Man
We Close Wednesday Afternoons all the Year Round, with the Exception of December

News of Local Import.

Rev. Dr. Kannawin at Knox Church

Rev. W. M. Kannawin, D.D., of Hamilton, preached able sermons in Knox Church last Sunday in the absence of Rev. Mr. Stewart, who is enjoying holidays. Dr. Kannawin is always welcome in the Church where he spent his boyhood. Many friends of former days greeted him on Sunday.

"It's Amusing But True."

A believer in newspaper advertising says: "It's amusing but true. Let a wide-awake, bustling merchant who knows advertising pays, put a list of low prices in the paper and his competitors who don't believe in advertising will tumble over themselves to post a lot of box covers in their window on which are daubed signs telling of goods they have at the same price." —Elora Express.

This Month for the Farmer

This is one of the months when a farmer can begin to quit growin' all the time—and begin to garner in a way early apples, garden truck, fryin' chickens. I don't know any better feelin' that to know your food is growin' right under your eyes, and not to be beholden to anybody else for it. It's earned food, and that makes it good food to my way of lookin' at it.—Caleb Pensloe.

The Weeds on Highways Must Go

At the meeting of the Esquesing Council last week the following resolution was passed: Moved by Councillor Gowdy and seconded by Councillor Brown, that having received notice from the Minister of Highways that all noxious weeds growing along our highways must be cut down, taxpayers will please take notice and act accordingly, otherwise the weeds will have to be cut and costs of same charged to the property.—Carried.

Rev. John Little Will Preach

In the absence of Rev. R. E. Zimmerman on a brief holiday, Rev. John Little, of Rockwood, minister of the United Church at Barrie Hill, will occupy the pulpit of the United Church, Acton, next Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Little is highly esteemed by the people of this community and has always been greeted by large congregations when announced to preach here.

Rev. and Mrs. Culp in California

A card from Rev. J. Culp, dated on July 31st, says: "Arrived safely in California and had a nice trip, excepting for one hot day while going through Nebraska. Cool nights gave us relief. Californians are very proud of their state. Have motored nearly 200 miles through Santa Clara Valley and never saw such extensive and beautiful orchards. The scenery of the mountains skirting the valley is beautiful beyond description. Kind regards to all."

Jail Population Reducing

The girl accused of stealing lace and other goods from Mrs. Ryrie, of Oakville, was taken away on Monday by Chief Kerr, to be sent to a Toronto home. This reduces the jail population to six. Wednesday it was reduced to four by the removal of the bootlegging brothers, Phil and James Forbes, to the Ontario Reformatory, to remain there until the terms to which they were sentenced have expired, Jim about three months, and Phil about eleven, or five if he pays his fine of $1,000.

Bee in his Bonnet

Mr. John Taylor, of the Acton Chamber of Commerce, was more amused than pained to hear that several members of the Town Council consider that he has a bee in his bonnet over the illumination of the Parish Church clock. His retort is that members of the Town Council are liable to get bees in their cocked hats, in which connection it may be remembered that, but for him, they would not be wearing cocked hats at all.—Acton, England, Gazette. As an officer of the Acton Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Taylor has the reputation of doing things. And he is a Canadian, too, a native of Peterborough.

To Rebuild Mt. Pleasant Church

John McMeekin and Alexander McKinney are making a canvass in behalf of the fund for rebuilding Mount Pleasant Church, burned during January last. As bee of members was made to clear the basement of the debris which had fallen in during the fire, and it was then found that the foundation and a part of the walls can be utilized for rebuilding the church. The architect, a Mr. McLeod, of Toronto, reports that everything is in good shape for the restoration of the walls and has kindly offered his services. Tenders are under consideration, and it is expected that the work of rebuilding will shortly be under way.—Brampton Times.

Acton Flower Show Next Wednesday

Acton's Fourth Annual Flower Show will be held next Wednesday, 3 to 10 p. m. in the hall in Prospect Park. An attractive prize list comprises 71 classes for cut flowers, plants and vegetables, and 35 special prizes for cut flowers, plants, wild flowers, bird houses, etc. The Secretary will receive entries until Monday evening. In order to encourage personal interest in home growing of plants and flowers it has been decided that all exhibits entered for competition must have been grown by the person exhibiting them. Mason's Orchestra will render a musical programme during the progress of the show. Mr. Scriven the Secretary, requests that all entries be made as soon as possible.

Oakville's Dollar Day a Great Success

There is now no doubt in the minds of local merchants as to the effectiveness of such campaigns as that which absorbed so much public interest last Friday and Saturday. The shoppers of Oakville also feel satisfied that the event was all that it was said to be, if not more. For both merchants and shoppers have benefitted by Dollar Days and the satisfaction is general and widespread. The success of the event was in large measure due to the publicity given it by the notice of the buying public. Everyone was consequently prepared to take full advantage of it, and the stores had two full days of brisk business. The people of Oakville, called upon to patronize the merchants of their town, responded loyally to the call. For it is certain that they were actuated as much by a sentiment of true community spirit as by a desire to save money. Nevertheless, they did save money, besides giving local retail business the greatest stimulus it has had in years. Two ends were served.—Oakville Record.

—See J. A. Smith's list of properties for sale in Acton.

ACTON WINS AGAIN

Locals Defeat Georgetown in Thrilling Battle at Georgetown

Acton won its fifth consecutive ball game on Saturday when they defeated Georgetown in Georgetown by a score of 5-3 in 12 innings. The game was an excellent one, and the best team won on the day's play. Gibbons twirled good ball for Acton. Both Gibbons and Hepburn, the Georgetown pitcher, went the full twelve innings.

Acton opened the scoring in the first innings when Kaley got a hit and was sacrificed along by Holloway. John Kentner was caught out at first, Kaley taking third, and scoring a minute later when N. Gibbons singled. The Georgetown team did not score in the first, but in the second four hits gave them three runs. Those three runs looked pretty big, but the whole Acton aggregation settled down and did not allow Georgetown another run during the "overtime" game. In Acton's part of the third, Acton scored two runs and thus equalized the Georgetown score. The runs were scored on a walk to Kaley and errors by Squires and Blackburn. From then on the game was a see-saw affair, full of thrills for the fans and players alike. Both teams played excellent ball and runs were "scarce as hen's teeth." All sailed along fine till the twelfth, when McDonald was robbed of a homer by a circus catch by Ruddy in right field for Georgetown. But the break that the local boys had been looking for had come and Lieshman, who followed McDonald, singled past second, but was cut off at second when F. Gibbons got his first hit of the day. Squire's errored on Kaley's hit, Kaley stole second, Holloway came up with two on, but unlike the mighty "Casey," he hit out a double, Gibbons and Kaley scoring. Georgetown came right back and although they did manage to get two on, they were cut off without scoring.

The League now stands:

	Won	Lost
Hillsburg	8	3
Georgetown	7	4
Acton	7	5
Rockwood	1	11

It is now up to Hillsburg to beat Georgetown. If Hillsburg defeats the Georgetown team the local team gets a chance in the play-off. And at the speed they are going now they should be hard to beat.

SIDELIGHTS ON THE GAME

N. Gibbons has pitched 24 innings in the last two weeks and has only had 4 runs scored against him.

Kaley had three hits and scored three of the team's 5 runs on Saturday. He seems to have found himself since he was moved to second base and his greatly improved showing has a great deal to do with the present winning streak of the team.

McDonald was robbed of a sure home run by Ruddy in the 12th.

White made two sensational stops in the game, one in the eighth and the other in the twelfth. Both stops prevented Georgetown from scoring.

Holloway was the right man in the right place when he came up in the last innings. A single would have won the game, but "Rule Book" thought that two runs would look better, so he leaned a little heavier on the hickory and hit a double. It was a fitting finish to a game that was hard to loose and good to win.

$200.00 FINE—$12.00 COSTS

The Price John H. Maud Paid for Making Liquor at Georgetown

The trial of John H. Maud, Georgetown, for having in his possession a still and mash for making spirituous liquors, was held in that town last Thursday morning. Police Magistrate Moore was present as usual a little advance of the hour fixed, but Inspector Reevely, Provincial Constable Atkins and Chief Jackson were already in the Court Room. Promptly at 10 o'clock, John H. Maud, the accused, Mrs. Maud and their eight children, ranging in ages from three months to fourteen years, came trooping in, evidently the time-worn method utilized in appealing to the sympathy of the court.

Court was officially opened and the charge was read to the accused in which he was alleged to be "in possession of a still and mash suitable for the manufacture of spirits, without having given notice thereof as required by section 180, sub-section E of the Inland Revenue Act. The boiler, condenser, container and tubs of mash were produced in court.

When asked how he desired to plead Maud said, at once, "Guilty, I guess." The Inspector Reevely showed that when the three officers called about 11.30 Saturday night the distilling apparatus was in full working condition on the kitchen range, and Maud and his wife were both present.

The outfit was the old-fashioned Kentucky still, in which the liquor is manufactured by condensation. The mash was the usual raisin and sugar campaund.

A conviction was registered and a penalty of $200.00 and costs imposed, with the alternative, if payment was defaulted, of six months in jail at hard labor. When asked if he was prepared to pay the fine, Maud replied, "I have $70.00 here and can get the balance if you will give me a little time." When asked how much time he desired, Maud replied: "While I am going to my house and back." Chief Jackson accompanied him to his house on Mill Street and Maud promptly produced the balance of $142.00. This was considerable of a surprise as Mr. Maud was considered rather an impecunious citizen. It is likely, however, that the people to whom he was supplying liquor came to his rescue promptly, rather than run the risk of being squealed upon.

THEY KNOW ADVERTISING PAYS

Last week's Simcoe Reformer carried four full page advertisements for a store in that town. This was not in the nature of an experiment either as we have noted a similar advertising campaign on two or three previous occasions. To the average merchant this might seem an exceptional outlay for a safe, but the Simcoe store has proven that consistent advertising through its town newspaper will bring it excellent returns. Simcoe is a smaller town than Carleton Place but its merchants are reaping bountiful harvest by making weekly appeals to their customers through the columns of the local press. These stores are demonstrating that the same proportionate results are being obtained through local newspaper advertising that the city departmental stores bid for through their larger advertisements in the city dailies.—Carleton Place Canadian. Simcoe has a thousand or so more population than Acton, but it hasn't any better factories, but the merchants there have taught the people to buy at home, and it has paid them.

—"What is on at the movies this Friday?" Charley's Aunt.

The Officiary of The United Church

The Elders and the Stewards Were Elected at the Congregational Meeting

The first congregational meeting of the new United Church of Canada, Acton, was held last Thursday evening and was well attended. The meeting was constituted with a praise and prayer service.

The minister, Rev. R. E. Zimmerman, B. A., explained that the object of the meeting was to complete the organization of the United Church, following the impressive and memorable consummation service of the previous Sunday.

The minutes of the joint meeting of the Methodist and Presbyterian groups which was held on the 13th of July, were read by Mr. J. C. Matthews, the Secretary of the meeting.

This meeting recommended the new church be re-organized on the basis of the Act of Parliament of last session, and the Basis of Union; that a consummation service be held on Sunday, August 2nd, for the reception and dedication of the membership rolls; that a Board of Session of fifteen elders and a Board of Stewards of fifteen members be elected by the congregation at a meeting on the 6th of August.

The consummation services having been satisfactorily carried out, it was moved that the other recommendations of the committee be endorsed and adopted.

It was decided that, with a view to following the proposal of the General Council, for a rotation of the election of elders, that fifteen members proposed be elected in groups of five, the first group to be elected for three years, the second for two years, and the third for one year. The election was proceeded with and resulted as follows:

Elders for Three Years.—H. P. Moore, A. T. Brown, C. C. Henderson, A. T. Mann and John R. Kennedy.

Elders for Two Years—James H Reid, D. N. McTavish, A. E. Nicklin, N. F. Lindsay and J. H. Denny.

Elders for One Year—E. Beswick, G. H. Switzer, R. J. Kerr, Samuel Reid and N. F. Moore.

It was decided the Board of Stewards be elected each year at the congregational meeting. The fifteen members were then elected as follows:

Board of Stewards—C. H. Harrison J. C. Matthews, Miss M. Z. Bennett, N. P. McLam, J. A. Mowat, James Symon, Miss Fern Brown, Frank Kennedy, W. J. Akins, H. E. Somerville, Malcolm McLean, Orwell Johnston, Charles McKeown, Dr. Fred Gollop and Dr. E. J. Nelson.

The following were elected additional ushers, C. H. Harrison, Dr. Gollop and Wesley Murray.

There was a fine feeling in the meeting, the spirit of unity and fellowship being very manifest. This fact is clearly shown by the personnel of the officiary elected. Of the fifteen elders nine belonged to the Methodist group and six to the Presbyterian. Exactly the same proportion prevail in the election of the Board of Stewards. This is the proportion of two to three, whereas the number of members forming the United Church in Acton is in the proportion of nine to one.

The new Church enters upon the functions which it was organized with a strong and united officiary and with a spirit of service and consummation which portends much for the successful activities undertaken in the programme of the church's work and service.

At the meeting Mr. Thomas Rumley gave expression to the appreciation which he and his fellow-members of the Presbyterian group entertained for the cordial welcome extended by the ushers and the Welcoming Committee, when they came to the United Church on the 10th of June and ever since.

ST. ALBAN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL PIC-NIC

Was Held at Eldorado Park on Saturday Afternoon

The Sunday School and congregation of St. Alban's Church held a very enjoyable pic-nic to Eldorado Park on Saturday.

Although the weather was threatening about 150 people made the trip. The rain kept off very well.

A soft-ball game was played in which the St. Alban's team easily defeated the other nine made up of visitors to the park.

The lengthy programme of sports furnished some exciting contests, two of which finished with dead-heats for first place and several others were decided by inches only.

The following is a list of prize winners:

Tots, 4 years and under. Boys—Murray Bowers; Norman Price.

Tots, 4 years and under, Girls—Kathleen Chapman; Olive Rogers.

Consolation Tots under 4 years—Lin Garden; Cam. Price.

Girls', 5 years and under—Kathleen Chapman; Olive Rogers.

Girls', 7 years and under—May Waterhouse; Barbara Taylor.

Boys', 7 years and under—Fred Harwood; Rigby Cross.

Girls', 10 years and under—Lily Perry; Phyllis Mackie.

Visitor's handicap, Girls—Elsie Parsons; Gladys Scarrow.

Boy's Boot and Stocking Race—A. Buchanan; Norman Hinton.

Girls' Thead and Needle Race—Elsie Parsons; Phyllis Tyler.

Boys' 100 yard dash—Herbert Hinton; Norman Hinton.

Blindfolded race—Mrs. Jones; A. Bishop.

Mens' 100 yard dash.—A. Bishop; H. Rogers.

Ladies', 50 yards—Mrs. Jones; Mrs. Perry.

Ladies' Walking Race—Mrs. Rogers.

Boys' Bible Class, 100 yards—Norman Hinton; A. Bishop.

Boys' and Girls' Three-Legged Race—Herbert Hinton and Elsie Parsons.

Teachers', 50 yards—Mrs. Perry; Mrs. Rogers.

After the races an enjoyable supper was served and following the distribution of prizes by Rev. H. G. L. Baugh, everyone returned to Acton, feeling tired but happy.

THE CROPS THROUGH THE PROVINCE

The Bank of Montreal crop report for the week, says about the Ontario crops: "Fall wheat is nearly all cut, and many farmers have threshed their crop. The yield is surprisingly good, as high as 45 bushels to the acre in some districts. Cutting of barley has commenced, and the crop is promising. Oats show further improvement, and the crop is now better than average. Corn is making fair progress, but needs warmer weather. Root crops are in good condition and growing rapidly. Pastures are somewhat improved."

Social and Personal

Miss Marie Lantz is holidaying with friends at Chesley.

Mrs. James John, of Galt, is the guest of Mrs. John Smith.

Mrs. Amos Mason is holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

Mrs. R. R. Arnold and Margaret are holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. Charles Ruddy, of Georgetown, was a Sunday visitor in town.

Miss Nellie Hall spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hall, Kitchener.

Messrs. Ernest and Roy Brown, of Toronto, spent Sunday at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Matthews, of Brantford, visited Acton friends last week.

Miss Minnie E. Nelson has returned from a pleasant holiday at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb. Cleave, Georgetown, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilson.

Miss Clarice Livingston, of Guelph, is visiting at the home of her grandparents.

Miss Tovell, of Toronto, has been the guest of Miss Mamie Masales during the week.

Mrs. Ellen Snyder, of Stoney Creek, has been visiting friends here during the week.

Mr. Russell Ross, of Toronto, spent the week-end with his friend, Mr. Jack Robertson.

Miss Murray, of Edinburgh, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Murray, Bower Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tyler, of Whitby, have been renewing old acquaintances here this week.

Mrs. J. R. Kennedy, Mr. Angus and Miss Jean are spending holidays at Wasaga Beach.

Master Robbie Hall is spending his holidays at his grandmother's, Mrs. Scott, Limehouse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrison and Beth and Margaret spent the week-end at Wasaga Beach.

Miss Lena Campbell, of Georgetown, spent a few days at Mrs. E. F. Collier's the past week.

Miss Elizabeth Forster, of Toronto, has been visiting Mr. George Leslie and family during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne, of Detroit, Michigan, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Holmes last week.

Marjorie and Laura Hall have returned home from their holidays spent with friends at Dolly Varden.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Gregg and children, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Agnew.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bauer, of Denver, Col., and their little son, made Acton friends brief visits last week.

Mrs. George Soper went to Rochester, N. Y., last week to spend a few weeks with her daughter there.

Mr. R. J. Anderson and Miss Opal Anderson, of Detroit, are visiting at Mrs. E. F. Collier's and other friends.

Miss Hazel Mason and Miss Margaret Brown, of Toronto, are spending their vacation at Wasaga Beach.

Miss Agnes Heelan, of Troy, N. Y., has been here enjoying holidays with her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Langevin, Bower Avenue.

Miss Frances B. Hurst, who has been taking a course at the Toronto Art School, returned home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mainprize and Billy and Helen spent holidays last week with friends at St. Marys and Kitchener.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Zimmerman and children left on Monday to spend holidays with friends at Fonthill, Hamilton and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cartwright and children, of Detroit, spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Mills during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope, and daughter Doris, of Rhode Island, and Mr. Wm. Burns, of Rockwood, have been visiting friends in Acton.

Miss Dorothy Moore, daughter of Rev. T. Albert Moore, D.D., Toronto, has been appointed physical director of the Y. W. C. A. at Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Coleman and Miss Olga, of Indiana Harbour, Indiana, have been visiting with his mother Mrs. William Anderson, Peel Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson and children, of Hamilton, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roesor, Mill Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chisholm, of Saginaw, Mich., visited Acton relatives on Tuesday evening. Mrs. George Laird and her son, Ralph, of Toronto, accompanied them.

Mrs. Gordon McKay and children returned home to Toronto on Friday after spending a few weeks with Mrs. McKay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wansborough's, Lake Avenue.

Miss Viola Rumley visited at her old home in the Manitoulin Island over the week-end. Her friend, Miss Winifred Jennings returned home with her and will spend a few holidays here.

After about four months off work on account of a very badly broken leg, Harold L. Wansborough returned to Toronto on Friday last to resume work in the Dominion Bank on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Frick and Mr. Solman, Toronto, spent Saturday at Mrs. William Sayers'. Mrs. Solman and Torrie, who had been here for a week or so returned home with them.

Miss Laura Gray held an enjoyable tennis tea at her home on Saturday afternoon. Miss Adah Clarke, of Cooksville, was her out-of-town guest, and a number of girl-friends participated.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bell and Miss Luella and Mr. and Mrs. H. Shakley and Miss Hazel and Master Lloyd, motored from Cleveland, and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Geo. Storey, Bower Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell and Miss Dorothy, Mr. M. B. Collier and Master Billie, of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Campbell and Miss Luina, of Georgetown, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. F. Collier.

Miss Rachel Secord, who had been spending a few days with Mrs. H. S. Holmes and Miss Margurite Symon, returned to her home in Guelph on Thursday. Miss Secord has been quite restored to health again.

Miss Gertrude Moore, daughter of Mr. H. S. Moore, Toronto, who has been appointed the new Director of the Physical Culture at the Y. W. C. A., in Vancouver, will take up her duties there early in September.

EXCITING MATCH AT FERGUS

Fergus and Acton Footballers Feature Fast Soccer on Saturday

By defeating Acton three goals to two on Saturday, Fergus registered their first victory in the Guelph and District League for three seasons. Judging from the size of the crowd that turned out, soccer is becoming very popular in Fergus. Acton won the toss and the first incident to raise enthusiasm was a shot by Pritchard that Walker stopped at the foot of the post by throwing himself at full length. Again the goalie had to handle from Miller. Fergus then took up the running, but F. Collins relieved, and Miller took the ball down the wing and put in a lovely centre which Brennan met and drove the ball into the net, thus opening the score for Acton after five minutes of play.

This reverse livened Fergus up and A. Collins had to concede a corner. Abbat put in a dandy, but Trotter cleared. Back they came and G. Henshall made an opening for T. Dobbie, who beat Mochrie with a great shot, thus equalizing the score. Frequent end-to-end exchanges tested both defences and Acton had a warm session, and were a bit lucky when shots by T. Dobbie, Cooper and Tott were accidently blocked. Later Cooper went down on his own from middle-field, only to shoot over. Half-time score: Acton 1, Fergus 1.

In the second half Cosh re-started and G. Henshall took the play into the Acton territory, and after beating three men, just missed scoring, his shot going narrowly past. From the goal-kick he again got possession, and sent his brother, William away on the wing. He put the ball right across for T. Dobbie to put Fergus in the lead, his shot being too hot for Mochrie to hold. From the kick-off Acton went right through, but Walker made a lovely save off Brennan. Pritchard made good headway, and passed to Brennan, who in turn passed to Miller, who scored the equalizer. Acton made several raids into Fergus Territory, but there was much listlessness in their efforts near goal, until Brennan received a pass from F. Collins, and when he was going through Fleming tripped him in the penalty area. The referee awarded Acton a penalty kick, but his shot was wide by inches. From the goal-kick Cooper received the ball in mid-field, and went right through on his own to score a lovely goal. A minute later Mochrie fisted over a great shot by Cooper, and from the corner T. Dobbie put the shot behind. Final score: Fergus 3, Acton 2.

The line-up:

Fergus—Walker, Fleming, McAuley, G. Henshall, R. Dobbie, Holbrook, W. Henshall, W. Tott, T. Dobbie, Cooper and Abbott.

Acton—Mochrie, S. Perry, A. Collins, Heetley, F. Collins, A Trotter, Croft, Pritchard, Cash, Brennan and Miller.

Referee—Mr. R. Fell, Guelph.

The League standing:

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
Acton	7	2	3	2	18	12	6
Taylor-Forbes	2	2	0	0	9	3	4
Fergus	3	1	0	2	5	4	4
Georgetown	4	0	2	2	3	11	2

REMEMBERED WHEN LEAVING GRAND VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson Held in High Esteem

On Tuesday evening the Watson families were very liberally remembered by the Grand Valley United Church congregation here. The pastor, Rev. J. E. Mitchell, presided at the representative gathering and asked Mrs. W. H. McPherson to read a complimentary address to the two families.

Mr. R. J. Irvine presented Mr. T. Watson with a gold-headed cane suitably engraved; Mrs. Irvine gave to Mrs. Watson a Bible and a parasol; W. J. Baker and Mrs. Jas. Mellor presented to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watson a pair of wicker chairs; and Viola McKinley gave Pauline and Billy Watson a testament.

These parting gifts are eloquent in themselves for the liberality and the thoughtfulness of the congregation, as well as the tribute they convey to the recipients, who have long been actively associated with church work in the village; and will be a splendid introduction in their new home in Acton.

Following a brief reply by Messrs. Watson, the ladies served refreshments, and a pleasant social hour was passed.—Star and Vidette.

Mrs. J. Kerr Brown, of Winnipeg, made Acton friends a brief visit on Sunday. She has been on a sad journey to Kingston attending the funeral of her mother, whose remains she accompanied from the West.

Mr. Thomas Godfrey, of Elora, announces the engagement of his daughter, Helen Edith, to Alexander Blacklock, of Detroit, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Blacklock, of Elora. The marriage to take place in the middle of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Powers, of Aylmer; Mrs. Norman Howes and Miss Thompson, of Listowel, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bessey, of Georgetown, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wilson.

Mrs. Norman Lambert and her little daughter, of Winnipeg, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McLean, Bower Avenue. Her son, Donald, who has been spending the summer here, returned home with her on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Merner of Hespeler, announce the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Mr. Harold D. MacLachlan, of St. Catharines, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. MacLachlan, of Hamilton, formerly of Acton, the marriage to take place in August.

Mr. and Mrs. James Allan and little daughter, Irene, of Royal Oak, Mich., were here during the week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Buntte, of the sixth line, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allan, of Ballinafad, and other relations. After spending about two weeks in Ontario, they left for home in their motor on Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. Nicklin, Bower Avenue, and her daughter, Mrs. Selwood, of Calgary, held a delightful reception and tea on Friday afternoon. They were assisted by Mrs. Harold Nicklin, of Guelph, Mrs. John McDermid, Georgetown and Miss Ruby Clark. Mrs. John R. Kennedy poured tea and Mrs. A. T. Brown served the ices.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore, of Parry Sound, and Mrs. Morrison, of Peterborough, called on friends here on Thursday morning. Mr. Moore was anxious to see the old home and environment after a long absence. He is Public School Inspector for Parry Sound District and spent his boyhood days on the farm now owned by Mr. G. W. Murray.

—What is the matter with that clock of yours? Not going! Take it to Gardiner's Watch and Clock Repair Shop in the Hill Block, corner of Mill and Elgin Streets, Acton.