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

VINCENT—In Acton, on Saturday, May 7, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Vincent, a son—William Earl.

DIED

PROUT—In Galt, on Wednesday, May 11, 1927, Thomas Prout, aged 79 years.

THOMPSON—At Lot 6, Concession 4, Erin Township, on Wednesday, May 4, 1927, Joseph Henry Thompson, in his 93rd year.

MAW—In Trafalgar Township, on Monday, May 9, 1927, Elizabeth Reid, widow of the late Charles Maw, in her 84th year.

ROBERTSON—Suddenly, on Sunday, May 8, 1927, at her late residence, Eden Mills, Rachel Walton Hunley, widow of the late Archibald Robertson.

KENNEDY—At her home, Lot 25, Concession 5, Esquesing, on Sunday, May 8, 1927, Mary McArthur, beloved wife of Thomas W. Kennedy, in her 49th year.

McKAY—Suddenly, on Sunday, May 8, 1927, at 112 Oakwood Avenue, Toronto, Jane Mitchell, widow of the late John McKay, Oakville, Ontario, beloved sister of Margaret Mitchell and Mrs. M. G. Hunt.

IN MEMORIAM

OHR—In loving memory of our dear mother, who departed this life May 8, 1926.

The happy hours were once enjoyed,
How sweet those memories still,
But they have left an aching void
The world can never fill.

THE FAMILY.

SWACKHAMER—In fond and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Christopher Swackhamer, who died May 11, 1926.

We miss thee from our home, dear mother,
We miss thee from thy place,
A shadow o'er our life is cast;
We miss the sunshine of thy face.

We miss thy kind and willing hand,
Thy fond, and earnest care,
Our home is dark without thee,
We miss thee everywhere.

Sadly Missed by Family.

The Acton Free Press

THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1927

Brief Local News

—Victoria Day is just two weeks away.

—The early gardens are away to a good start.

—Burlington's tax rate will be 16 mills this year.

—Invite your friends to Acton for July 1, 2 and 3.

—Most everyone seems to be driving a new car these days.

—Monday's and Tuesday's rains were fine Spring showers.

—May 16 isn't going to be the day some people thought it was.

—And now it's pushing the lawn mower that occupies the leisure time.

—The Free Press telephone number is now 174—use it for your news items.

—A waterworks service is being installed at the United Church this week.

—The warmer weather has brought all growth on rapidly the past few days.

—Acton is going to celebrate on July 1, 2 and 3, and it will be no small affair.

—Plan to be home for Acton's celebration of the Dominion Diamond Jubilee.

—Blossom week will be later this year and will not likely be until May 16 to 26.

—Interior repairs to the ceiling in the United Church are being executed this week.

—Acquiring that school-girl complexion sometimes makes the girls late for school.

—The scholars at the school are enjoying their short cut through the Smith property.

—Numbers of school girls now go one better and try to improve on that school girl complexion.

—Perhaps it takes longer for young fellows to dress nowadays because they buy two-pant suits.

—Oh, well, car-less folks never have to worry about their brakes not working at a railway crossing.

—There is another dampness like the April showers this year in that it is a little late in arriving.

—It would be nice to have the ticket office at the park prior to July 1, and the other work all completed.

—Mrs. A. Stewart, Brock Street, has sold her fine residence to Mr. E. J. Peltier, through Kerr's real estate agency.

—"We are very much pleased with your paper. Enclosed find subscription for another year."—R. D., Burnaby, B. C.

—We don't like to be continually at it, but if your subscription is in arrears we'll both be better satisfied when it is properly adjusted.

—When the detours come we will be able to realise that even paved roads cannot be attained without some discomforts in the attaining.

—The Georgetown Lumber Company have the excavations made and the foundations partly erected for a new house on their property on Mill Street.

—The decree that the Glee Club must all don dress collars for their Milton concert caused a run on the available stock in town and exhausted the supply.

—The Council this week postponed their fortnightly session until Wednesday evening. The report of the proceedings will appear in next week's issue.

—Dr. E. J. Nelson has donated to Acton Public Library a copy of "The Great War as I saw It," by Canon Frederick George Scott, C. M. G., D. S. O., author of "The Hymn of the Empire."

McKIM'S DIRECTORY ISSUED

The 1927 edition of McKim's Directory of Canadian Publications has just been issued and this publication, no doubt, will be welcomed by national advertisers throughout Canada and the United States.

It is the twentieth edition—the first issue having appeared in 1907—and is accepted generally as a reliable source of information on Canadian publications, and is regularly consulted by Canadian geographical and political societies, it seems to me.

OBITUARY

THOMAS PROUT

While visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Tripp, at Preston, Mr. Thomas Prout died suddenly in the Galt Hospital, on Wednesday. He was, for over twenty-five years, a resident of Acton and well known here. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from the home of his daughter in Preston. Interment will be made in Fairview Cemetery, Acton. The late Mr. Prout was 79 years of age.

MRS. GEORGE H. RIDLEY

Death came very suddenly to Mrs. George H. Ridley at her home on Mill Street on Saturday morning. Mrs. Ridley was taken sick a few days previous, and pneumonia developed, but her condition was not considered serious and her death was a great shock to her husband and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Ridley came to Acton about seven months ago, having decided to retire from farming near St. Mary's after a busy farm life. The late Mrs. Ridley was a daughter of Hugh and Margaret Sutherland and was born in Oxford County. Her maiden name was Catharine Isabel, and she was in her fifty-ninth year. The remains were taken to the old home at St. Mary's for burial and interment was made there on Tuesday. Mr. Ridley and family have the sincerest sympathy of the community in their sudden and sad bereavement.

JOSEPH HENRY THOMPSON

Erin Township lost one of its oldest pioneer residents on Wednesday of last week in the sudden death of Mr. Joseph Henry Thompson, at his home, Lot 6, Concession 4, Erin Township. The late Mr. Thompson was born at Ballinafad in 1834 and has been a resident of Erin Township all his life. Sixty-four years ago he married Sarah McLean, who still survives him. Twelve children came to bless the home of which nine are now living, Archie, Edward and Comfort having died after growing to manhood. The surviving members of the family are Arthur, John, Alexander, William, Angus, Miss Annie and Mr. J. McCutcheon, who all reside in Erin Township; Harry in Fraser Township, near Flesherton, and Miss Tena in Toronto. The late Mr. Thompson was the eldest son of the late Arthur Thompson, and was the last surviving member of the family. He was a shrewd, practical farmer and his handiwork was in evidence all about his farm and buildings. In politics he was a staunch Liberal. He was a member of the Osprings Presbyterian Church and an elder for some time. The funeral on Friday afternoon was conducted by Rev. Mr. Lindsay, assisted by Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A., of Acton, and Rev. Mr. Lee, of Erin. His six sons bore the body to the grave and interment took place in Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

MRS. THOMAS KENNEDY

A very sudden call came on Sunday afternoon to Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, of the fifth concession, Esquesing, when, during conversation with friends who had come in, the death messenger summoned her from our midst. Born and brought up in Erin, Mary Ann McArthur became the wife of Thomas Kennedy sixteen years ago. During these years Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy lived on the homestead, where the death occurred. With great interest she looked forward to occupying their new home, which is in the course of construction. Mrs. Kennedy has been for fifteen years a member of Knox Church, Acton, where a great shock was sustained on learning, at the evening service, of the sudden death during the day. In addition to the bereaved husband and adopted daughter, Violet, one brother, Charles, of Erin, mourn her loss. The funeral, which was one of the largest seen in the community for many years, being attended by friends and relatives from far and near, took place on Tuesday afternoon to Fairview Cemetery, Acton, from the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Anthony, who so kindly placed their home at the disposal of the sorrowing family. The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. C. Stewart. The pall bearers were Messrs. Herbert Anthony, Thos. Moffat, Thos. Lundy, Neil McKinnon, A. McKinnon and Wallace Matheson. An array of beautiful floral tributes bore ample testimony to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. A host of friends and acquaintances in the community extend their sincere sympathy to the loved ones who have been so unexpectedly plunged into sorrow.

RESPECT FOR THE CLOCK

Whitman, the poet, was once asked whether he had read a certain rather frivolous novel, and he answered: "No, I have too much respect for the clock." That was a sharp and piquant way of putting the needed reminder conveyed more prosaically by Matthew Arnold: "Some of us waste all of our time, most of us waste much of it, all of us waste some."

It is certainly appalling to think how much of our time flows emptily away. Therefore most of us do not think of it. Let us hope that wrongful, actually vicious corruption of the hours is checked by something even more serious than respect for the clock; that is, respect for ourselves. But how many minutes go in perfectly futile pursuits, which are harmless perhaps, but which leave nothing to remember, even when they leave nothing to forget! Dawdling over meaningless occupations; vain sojourn in unprofitable places; long chatter about things that we do not care for; days that fade and drift and crumble away, like the flying leaves of autumn—how much of our life is made up of those things and how they shrivel at the mention of respect for the clock!

Even things that in themselves are thoroughly worthy often suffer in the doing because that remorseless clock is not enough respected. There is a swift, efficient, close-girt fashion of accomplishment, and there is a trailing, wayward fashion that makes results tardy and too frequently of no avail.

To be sure, some of us in hurrying Canada consider the clock too closely, and let its steady march become a torment to us. We rise and dress and eat and work and play by it, and mingle the phantom of its inexorable progress even with our dreams. But the ordinary man, woman, and child needs to be taught respect for many things—not least, respect for the clock.

CAN YOU GUESS THESE BIRDS?

A jolly outdoor time? A meadow lark.

What hunters sometimes do? Killdeer.

Used in decorations? Bunting.

A song Quakers like? Dove.

An unsteady light? Flicker.

Material for summer trousers? Duck.

A stupid fellow? Booby.

A boy's name? Bob-white.

What friends do? Chat.

A kiss never seen in the summer? Snowflake.

What farmers need in the summer? Thresher.

What a dog does when he is happy? Whistle.

A color tool? Yellowhammer.

A baseball player? Flycatcher.

A little monarch? Knight.

The bird that likes to punish William? Whippoorwill.

The champion angler? Kingfisher.

Neighborhood News

EDEN MILLS

Fishing is the popular sport around the village these days.

The baseball club have organized for the season. N. S. Marshall is the President and Mr. McIntosh, Manager.

The Social Club met last Friday night, with a very large attendance.

Mrs. Burton has returned from Duluth, having spent the winter there with her son and family.

While driving on the Guelph Road a few nights ago, Mr. Arthur Norrish had the misfortune, while meeting a car, to come in contact with a pile of wood on the side of the road, doing considerable damage to his car.

Mrs. A. Robinson passed away very suddenly at her home on Sunday evening.

Mr. John Wilson is seriously ill in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. McCurter also has been taken to the Hospital, in a serious condition.

The many friends of Mrs. W. H. Wilson regret to learn that she is confined to bed for a time.

The communion services of the United Church were well attended on Sunday night. Rev. A. F. Marsh preached a sermon well fitted for the occasion.

TERRA COTTA

Mr. Gibson, of Eden Mills, has moved his sawmill up here and has a large gang of men sawing lumber for Mr. D. Campbell, of Moffat. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and family have recently moved into Mr. F. C. Thompson's house here.

The Sunday School, under the auspices of the Terra Cotta United Church, has been re-organized recently and with such an able staff of teachers and officers are making splendid progress. There was a large turn out.

The Rev. Mr. Booth occupied the pulpit in the United Church on Sunday evening. There was a large turnout.

Mr. H. Hayward has moved into Mr. Wm. Dawson's house on Main Street.

Mr. Walter Hayward, of Guelph, spent Sunday with Terra Cotta friends.

Mr. Norman Townsend, of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Townsend and family on Saturday.

Messrs. Norman Ieam and Ed. Sanderson have gone to Toronto, where they have secured situations with the Goodyear Rubber Company.

Mr. F. C. Thompson reports doing a rushing trade in his quarry on the tenth line.

Mr. J. Marchment is going into the hog industry quite extensively.

ROCKWOOD

A ball game between a team from the village and the Ontario Reformatory took place last Saturday afternoon, the score at the end of the game being 7 to 6, in favor of the Reformatory team.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnside and family, of Grand Valley, were recent week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bridger spent the week-end at Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Henderson's. As work at Simcoe is rather slack at present, Mr. Bridger is working in Toronto for the time being, and Mrs. Bridger is staying at her parents' home here. Johnston Hewat was also home last week, and is waiting for word to go back to Simcoe.

James McAlear was home for the week-end from Kitchener. Mrs. A. J. McAlear returned home from Toronto last week, where she spent the winter with members of her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. Walker, of Burgessville, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris.

Mrs. W. J. Peach returned home lately from Barrie, where she has been for some time on account of the illness of her father, Mr. Reinhart, who is now in the hospital. Mrs. Reinhart accompanied her daughter home.

Winnie Sammon, Master Donald Laing, and Mr. John Wylie were removed to Guelph General Hospital last week for operations on their tonsils. All are reported as doing pretty well under the circumstances.

The Women's Institute went to Everton last week to put on their play, "Mrs. Jones Entertains the Institute."

Mr. N. J. Carton is installing a weigh-scale at the C. N. R. yards for his own use in the coal business.

A very pretty wedding took place Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James Ayles, on the first line of Erin, when their only daughter, Violet May, was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur Stumpf, son of the late Robert R. and Mrs. Stumpf, Rockwood. Rev. John Little officiated. The bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father, who gave her away. The parlor was nicely decorated for the occasion with house plants, ferns and spring flowers, with an arch of evergreen and spring flowers, beneath which the ceremony was performed. The bride looked charming in a gown of mauve crepe-de-chine, with hat, shoes and stockings to match, and carried a prayer book, wearing the groom's gift, a pearl necklace. Miss Marjorie Stumpf, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid, dressed in sand crepe-de-chine, with hat to match. Mr. Wellington Stumpf, supported the groom. The bride's mother was dressed in black crepe romaine, and the groom's mother in black satin and georgette crepe. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present, and after the wedding dinner the happy couple left on a motor trip to points east. The bride's going-away outfit was blue crepe dress with coat and hat to match.

The rain this week was very beneficial, as the ground was getting in a dry condition. Vegetation of all kinds will make rapid progress, should the weather remain moderately warm. Lawn mowers are already in operation, and lawns looking nice and green once more.

Fine Display of Northern Lights

Citizens who did not retire early Wednesday night were treated to an unusually beautiful view of the Northern Lights. The Aurora Borealis flashed and gleamed in the sky from east to west for over an hour, shimmering streaks of vivid light. The best display was about 2 a. m. on Thursday morning.

Verdict of Accidental Death

"Accidental death" was the verdict of Coroner S. H. Smith's jury inquiring into the death of Elgin Patchett, who died on May 1, following injuries received on the Dundas Highway at Erindale when he was struck by a motor car driven by W. McNeil, of Hamilton. Mr. McNeil and his passenger, Miss Helen Tansley, of Hamilton, both testified that the deceased had suddenly appeared about two feet in front of the car.

UP-TO-DATE

"Goodness, Jane, what a kitchen!" exclaimed Mrs. Brown. "Every pot, pan and dish is dirty, the table in a perfect litter, and—Why, it will take you all night to clear things up! What have you been doing?"

"Sure, mum," explained Jane, "the young ladies has just been showing me how they bile a pertater at their cookery school."

ACTON, ENGLAND, TO ACTON, CANADA

Sir Harry Brittain's Splendid Gift Officially Presented at Enjoyable Function

It was a happy arrangement of Reeve Mason to have the shield bearing the crest of Acton, England, the gift of Sir Harry Brittain, M. P., LL. D., officially presented at the concert of the Milton Choral Society in the Town Hall, Acton, last Wednesday evening.

At the intermission between the first and second parts of the programme of high class numbers, the Reeve, who was Chairman, called Mr. H. P. Moore, Police Magistrate, and the members of the Municipal Council present—Councillors Holmes and Nicol,—to the platform. He stated that Mr. Moore had been requested by Sir Harry Brittain to perform a very happy duty at this juncture of the evening's proceedings.

Mr. Moore said the event was an historic one, and with the splendid setting of the evening's concert, would always be memorable. He referred to the visit of Mrs. Moore and himself to Acton, England, of the extreme pleasure of the visit, through the kindness of Sir Harry Brittain, who accompanied them from London, of the courtesies extended by the Mayor of Acton, the Chamber of Commerce and numerous other residents of the English Acton. Reference was made of the splendid bond of enjoyable intercourse which had since continued and of the very manifest desire of the friends across the sea to forge a bond between the two towns which will be perpetual.

Mr. Moore explained that in conversation with Sir Harry Brittain concerning municipal affairs that the suggestion had been made that Acton, Canada, should adopt the crest of Acton, England. This had been done and our Council is now using the English Acton's crest with the permission of the Council of that town. The generous gift of Sir Harry Brittain was explained, and the beautiful shield was here now to be unveiled and formally presented to Acton by him, at the request of Sir Brittain.

A letter of greeting and satisfaction that the bonds between the two towns were growing more and more sincere from Mayor F. C. Orange, J. P., of Acton, England, was read.

A letter was also read from J. E. McDonnell, Esq., Vice-President and General Manager of the C. P. R. Express Co., regretting that a call to Winnipeg rendered it impossible for him to attend the official presentation of the shield.

As he unveiled the shield and handed it into possession of the Reeve and Council Mr. Moore suggested that it be placed on the wall at right of the auditorium, and that a similar shield be constructed of Canadian maple, and a skilled Acton artist be commissioned to paint thereon in proper colors the Acton, Canada, crest, and give it a place on the wall at the left of the platform. This would embellish the auditorium and perpetuate the historic significance of the bond of union between the two towns.

The shield was then unveiled and handed over to the Reeve and Council as official custodians for the town.

Reeve Mason accepted the honor and responsibility, and expressed the appreciation of all for the important part Mr. Moore had taken in the matter. Proceeding, he said:

FELLOW CITIZENS:

It seems to me that in addition to my informal remarks of appreciation of the kind and generous act of Sir Harry Brittain, the popular and exceedingly active representative in the British House of Commons for the Borough of Acton, in presenting this shield bearing the beautifully executed Coat of Arms of the Town of Acton, England, that it would be very fitting and appropriately significant that we pass a formal resolution of thanks to Sir Harry, as coming not only from the Reeve and Council of this municipality of Acton, but one in which all citizens present in this large gathering may have the privilege of signifying their appreciation, and also of endorsing the action of our Council in reciprocating by presenting to Sir Harry Brittain, through his representative here, a slight but very loyal memento of our appreciation of his historic gift, and of his kindly feeling for this Acton of ours.

I therefore move, and trust some citizen will voluntarily second the following resolution:

"Whereas Sir Harry Brittain, M. P., the representative of the Borough of Acton, Middlesex, England, in the British House of Commons, has with a kindly interest in our Canadian Acton, suggested that the Coat of Arms of Acton, England, be adopted by Acton, Canada, for use on all municipality documents and stationery;

"And whereas the Council of the Municipality of Acton has with much pleasure and keen interest adopted this suggestion and are now using the same crest as our municipal prototype in England, with the single change of substituting our maple leaf for their oak leaf, and thereby we are enjoying a distinction unique in Canada, and one with which no other small town in Canada is favored.

"And whereas Sir Harry Brittain has still further signified his interest in Acton, Canada, by presenting to us this evening, through his representative, personally appointed, H. P. Moore, Esq., Police Magistrate, our esteemed fellow-citizen, the beautifully executed crest of Acton, England, on a shield of old English oak, in which the insignia of the arms are depicted in the formal design and colors as registered in the College of Heraldry in London;

"Therefore be it resolved that the members of Acton Municipal Council and the citizens of Acton here assembled, unanimously unite in expressing our very sincere appreciation to Sir Harry Brittain for his thoughtful interest and generous kindness in having prepared and presented this shield bearing the Acton, England, coat of arms; and we assure him that this act of courtesy and kindly interest is very highly regarded and will engender in us all a more intense interest in the other Acton and in British affairs and places generally.

"And we desire further to acknowledge hereby the very kindly expressions and warm greetings of his worship F. C. Orange, Esq., the present Mayor of Acton, England. His kind interest is also appreciated, and his desire that the bond of union between the two towns be strengthened is heartily reciprocated. We also appreciate his request for a photograph of our Police Magistrate, to be placed in the Mayor's municipal parlor at Acton, England, as a memento of this historic occasion.

"And we would furthermore express our appreciation of the generous interest of Sir Hodgins McLaren-Brown, the overseas representative of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in having this shield conveyed from England to Canada by the Canadian steamship 'Montnairn,' and the Canadian Pacific Express Company, and its formal delivery by Mr. T. E. McDonnell, General Manager of the Canadian Pacific Express Company, to Mr. H. P. Moore, J. P., as the custodian appointed by the donor of the gift.

"And we hereby attest our appreciation by a unanimous standing vote, and authorize Mr. Moore to convey the news of this evidence of our esteem to Sir Harry Brittain."

The resolution was ably seconded by ex-Reeve A. E. Nicklin, J. P., who in timely and appropriate words stated that he was a nephew of Robert Hwan, who in 1844 was appointed first Postmaster of the place, and named the new office Acton, in honor of his birthplace—Acton, England. Mr. Nicklin also informed the audience that he had his birth in the first house erected in Acton by one of the founders of the place, Rev. Kara Adams.

The resolution was carried unanimously by an enthusiastic rising vote.

At this juncture Councillor Holmes, on behalf of the town of Acton, stepped forward and presented to Mr. Moore a beautiful silk Canadian flag, to be forwarded to Sir Harry Brittain in appreciation of his beautiful and historic gift and as a memento of the occasion.

Learning the following day that his brother, Rev. T. Albert Moore, D. D., is leaving for England this month to address the Conference of the Wesleyan Church in Ireland, in Dublin, Mr. Moore arranged with the Dr. to convey Acton's gift to Sir Harry Brittain personally upon his arrival in London on June 6.

AN IMPORTANT PERSON

Persons who pretend to come from New York City should be prepared to prove their boast by evincing familiarity with what genuine New Yorkers would necessarily know. Mr. J. R. Kerfoot, the author of "Broadway," tells how he was once unmasked by one who had never even seen the metropolis.

Luke Rushoe was a Chippeway Indian who drove the driest of birch-bark canoes through the sparkling waters of Lake Nipigon. Luke's idea of a metropolis was a little village on the Canadian Pacific consisting of the railroad station, the agent's bungalow, a few shanties, and a place of occasional refreshment known as a hotel.

"It was my first trip with Luke. Of late there had been signs that the ice of aboriginal reserve was breaking up. Finally, under the influence of a roaring fire, the last barriers gave way, and Luke asked a question.

"You live in New York?"

"Yes, Luke."

"You know Ba'ris Michell?"

"No, I don't think I ever heard of him."

Silence for several minutes. Then, with the subtle rising inflection of incredulity:

"You live in New York?"

"Yes, Luke."

"You not know Ba'ris Michell?"

"No, Luke; I never heard of him."

"Huh! tha's funny. Then, as one who convicts you out of your own mouth, he added:

"He's the cook at the hotel."

THE UNDER DOG'S CHANCE

It is not often that a convicted man has a chance to "get back" at the judge who sentenced him without exposing himself to the risk of further punishment. Such an opportunity did lately smile upon one of the men employed as a rubber at the new Turkish baths installed at the Royal Automobile Club, in London.

A learned judge, who was a member of the club, was among the first to try the splendid accommodations of the bath. On the whole, he enjoyed his experience, but the violence of the rubbing he received rather surprised him.

The judge, prone on the wet slab, was beaten and thumped and pinched and prodded by the rubber beyond all reason. He stood it as long as he could. Then he groaned, and said:

"Is it (thump, bang) quite necessary (whack, bang, slap) to make me black and blue (crash) all over?"

"Never you mind," said the rubber, hauling off and giving the judge a terrific left-hander in the ribs. "I know my business." (Thud.)

"Who are you?" asked the judge. "Your face (bang) looks (crash) familiar."

"Oh, you remember me, do you?" growled the rubber. "Well, then maybe you won't be so ready next time to give me eight months for prize-fightin'."

SEVEN OUTWORN ALIBIS

"My folks made me go to church too much when I was a kid."

"Somebody was going to get the money and it might as well be me."

"I didn't want to spoil the party."

"I know he is a crook, but he is our crook and I must vote for him."

"There is no chance for a poor boy any more."

"It's a good law, but it can't be enforced."

"I would be religious if it wasn't for the hypocrites in the churches."

COAT IN TWO FABRICS

Paris sends over some delightful kashas for the development of this season's coats. This model, which may be carried over for still another season, has inserted sections in plain broadcloth that are laid in plaits at the sides. The fronts are dart-fitted at the neck, underfaced, and rolled to form revers. The sleeves flare slightly at the wrists. Medium size requires 2¾ yards 54-inch material and 3 yards 39-inch lining, with ¾ yard 54-inch broadcloth.

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AUCTION SALE

Mrs. Margaret Stewart, Brock Avenue, Acton, will hold a sale of household effects on Saturday, May 14, at three o'clock.
H. J. KERR, Auctioneer.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. H. Thompson and family desire to express their sincere appreciation of the kind expressions and neighborly deeds at the time of the death of the husband and father. They desire to thank also the quartette that assisted at the funeral service.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Thomas Kennedy and Violet desire to express their heartfelt appreciation of the many kind and neighborly deeds performed and the tender words of sympathy spoken at the time of their sudden and sad bereavement. The neighborly spirit of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony in permitting the use of their home for the funeral was especially appreciated, as was also the testimony of respect shown in the many floral tributes. All these and other kind deeds will ever be gratefully remembered.

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VILLAGE OF ACTON

Court of Revision

The Municipal Council of the Village of Acton will meet as a Court of Revision in the Town Hall, Acton, Ont., on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of May, 1927, at eight o'clock p. m. All persons having appeals against the assessment roll for the said village for the year 1927 will take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

Notice of all appeals must be received by the Clerk on or before the fourteenth day of May, 1927.

Dated at Acton the twelfth day of May, 1927.

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Also cups for Dominion Day and Jubilee Celebration. Large stock of Fishing Supplies, Baseball Bats, Baseballs at lowest prices and best quality. Large stock of extra good pipes for Wedding and Birthday Gifts.
Hinton's Gift Shop
Jewellery, Watches, Clocks and Repairs of Best Quality
Dr. Barnard, Registered Optometrist, Attends Every Thursday to Test Eyes

McLean & Co.
Special Prices This Week In Curtain Materials
CURTAIN NETS
In cream and white, 44 inches wide, lace edge. Regular price 60c. Special this week ... 45c
SCRIM WITH COLORED BORDERS
Scrim with colored borders, 36 and 38 inches wide. Regular 22c. For ... 18c
PANELS
We are showing extra good values in panels at 75c and 95c Each
Silk Panels at ... $2.50, $3.25 and $3.50 Each
4 YARD WIDE LINOLEUM
Two new pieces put in stock this week. New patterns. Best quality printed Linoleum, 4 yards wide, at, per yard ... $4.00
Specials in Grocery Dept.
P. & G. Pearl White Soaps, 10 bars for ... 48c
Toilet Soaps, large cake, 5 for ... 25c
Silver Gloss Starch 3 for ... 25c
Red Salmon, Golden Net, 1 lb. tins ... 30c
Large Oranges, regular 60c, for ... 50c
Small Oranges, regular 30c, for ... 25c
Choice Health Bran 5 lb. sack for ... 25c
McLean & Co.
MILL STREET — ACTON, ONT.

HOME-KILLED BABY BEEF THIS WEEK AT
ACTON'S
Cash, Carry & Save Butcher Shop
BEEF
Sirloin Steak, per lb. ... 25c
Porterhouse Roast, lb. ... 25c
Round Roast of Beef, lb. ... 18c
Thick Rib Roast, lb. ... 17c to 18c
Pot Roast of Beef, lb. ... 16c
PORK
Loins, per lb. ... 25c to 30c
Boston Butts, per lb. ... 23c
Fresh Ham, per lb. ... 25c
Pea Mealed Back Bacon, lb. 35c
Smoked Ham, per lb. ... 30c to 35c
Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb. ... 22c
Cottage Rolls, per lb. ... 28c
Smoked Rolls, per lb. ... 25c
Home-made Head Cheese and Home Cured Corned Beef and Pickled Pork
Deal with ORRIE LAMB—Your Money Goes Further

These Specials!
For Thursday, Friday and Saturday Only
Men's strong Work Pants, per pair ... $1.45
Men's Blue Serge Pants, per pair ... $3.25
Men's Pullover Sweaters, regular $4.95, for ... $2.95
Men's Light Weight All-wool Sweater Coats for ... $1.95
Men's Fancy Socks, regular 75c, for, per pair ... 59c
Men's Heavy Braces for ... 35c
SPECIAL FOR LADIES
We Have a Large Variety of High-Class Ladies' Hats to be Cleared at a Price Next to Nothing
Ladies' House Dresses to be cleared at ... 69c
Ladies' Silk Stripe Vests and Bloomers to match ... 39c
Ladies' Rubber Aprons, all shades ... 35c
Boys' Coveralls ... 89c
Boys' Cottonade Pants ... 98c
Boys' Jerseys, all sizes ... 39c
Children's Dresses ... 75c
Come and Take Advantage of These Low Prices
The Maple Leaf Economy Store
WE SELL FOR LESS
Mill Street, Acton — Opposite Windsor Cafe

The Poultry Pool of Canada
(Successor to W. J. Patterson, Butcher)
Will Be Receiving a Consignment of
Fresh Caught
Lake Trout
From the North This Week
Place Your Order Early Friday Morning