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Church Services

United Church of Canada
ACTON
Minister—Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D.
Parsonage—Willow Street

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "A Little Child Shall Lead Them."
2.30 p. m.—Sunday School. Lesson: "The Call of the Prophet."
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Peter's Shadow."
Monday Evening, 8.00 p. m.—Young People's League visit Knox Church.
Thursday Evening, 7.30 p. m.—Prayer and Praise Service.

Presbyterian
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
Minister—Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A.
Manse—Willow Street

11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Jesus as a Layman."
3.00 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Standing in Our Own Light."
Monday Evening, 8.00 p. m.—Young People's Guild.
Strangers leaving address with the ushers will be called upon by the Pastor.

Baptist Church
ACTON
Pastor—Wm. J. Baxter.

9.45.—Sunday School.
11.00 a. m.—Morning Worship. Sermon, "A Cry unto Jehovah."
7.00 p. m.—Gospel Service. Subject: "The Greatest Thing in the World."
Everybody Welcome. "Let us exalt His Name together."
Monday, 8.00 p. m.—B. Y. P. U.

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By order.
R. J. McPHERRON,
Sanitary Inspector.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21
"Frisco Sally Levy"
Starring Sally O'Neil and Roy D'Arcy, with an Irish parade sequence done in natural colors. Comedy, "A Flaming Romance." Cartoon, "Vamp Number." Vaudeville, Murray Bros. Dance Revue of 1927. 5 people dancing the Gorilla Dance, Charlie Chaplin, Waltz Clog, Argentine Tango, Russian Ballet, Black Bottom, etc. Prices, 15c and 35c.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22
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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25
"World at Her Feet"
With Florence Vidor. Chapter 5 of "The Fire Fighters." Comedy, "Bring Home the Turkey."

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"What Price Glory"

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Two Remarkable Coat and Dress Values

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Four Hundred Modish Garments at These Two Specially Low Figures

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All Lavishly Fur-Trimmed
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All Well Lined and Inter-Lined
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Choices for Every Type at $19.75 or $24.95

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Flat Crepes—Satin Crepes — Georgettes — Marocain Crepes — Velvet-and-Georgette Combinations.

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And black with a note of color contrasts.

Navy blue, too, Napoleon blue, pine needle green, wine, and all the new-toned tans, browns and beige shades.

Charming Versions of the New Straightline, Two-Piece and Draped Modes
Finest values offered in this part of the country this season, quality and style considered, at either of these special prices:

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Granulated Sugar 10 lbs. for	70c	Sliced Side Bacon per lb.	29c
Primrose Flour 24½ for	$1.00	3 Classic Cleanser Tins for	24c
Delux Jelly Powders 5 for	25c	2 Tins PEAS for	25c
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This Week's Candy Specials

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Maraschino Chocolate Cherries, reg. 60c 49c
Assorted Chocolates, regular 40c and 50c 32c

At Our Lunch Rooms
Hot Waffles with Maple Syrup

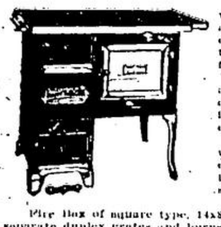
We Deliver Ice Cream in Brick or Bulk to all parts of the town.

We Serve Hot Drinks at Our Soda Fountain

We Serve Full Course Meals and Light Lunches

HAROLD WILES, Acton

The "Cosy Home" Stove



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Electric Light Bulbs, 40 and 60 Watt, at 5 for 98c

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Mill and Main Streets Phone 76

Esquesing Council Appoints Collectors

Long List of Accounts Passed at Regular Session and By-laws Also Sanctioned

Esquesing Council met on Monday, October 10, with Reeve Leslie in the chair. Deputy-Reeve Gowdy and Councillors Cleave, Standish and Currie present.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay the following accounts: Bell Telephone account 82-33, $2.55, 99-11, $1.65, total $4.20; Elmer C. Thompson, court costs re Jennings, $9.53; H. W. Dawson, Brampton, fees re equalization, $54.00; Georgetown Herald, printing 350 copies of Voters' Lists, advertising and stationery, $273.07; H. Dobbie, collector, Ward 5, balance of 1926 salary, $5.00, exchange on cheques, drafts and postage, $3.95, total, $8.95; G. O. Brown, postage account to date for voters' lists, Hydro contracts, $5.50; I. Drebot, indigent, for months of August, September and October, the sum of $20.00 per month, $60.00; Toronto Hospital for Sick Children, Stanley Mixarak, $21.00, Ruby Tenant, to August 31, $135.00, total, $156.00; Toronto Hospital for Consumptives, Weston, re Harry Gillingham to August 31, $184.50; Toronto General Hospital, re Wm. Ferrier, $1.74.00; Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, Jas. Jennings, $76.50; Mountain Sanatarium, Hamilton, re Edith Pride, $159.00; Guelph General Hospital, Guelph, T. Coleman, $283.50; W. H. Wilson, Georgetown, burial of Thompson child, $20.00; R. H. Thompson & Co., disinfectant, $2.25.

Moved by Geo. Currie, seconded by Wm. Gowdy, that the Treasurer pay the road sheets as presented by Road Superintendent, $1,651.33.—Carried.

The by-law appointing collectors of rates for the Township was read the required three times and the following collectors were duly appointed:
Ward No. 1—Peter McGibbon.
Ward No. 2—Henry May.
Ward No. 3—H. Dobbie.
Ward No. 4—John Crawshaw.
Ward No. 5—B. H. Lindsay.
Ward No. 6—Alex. McKay.

HALTON SCHOOLS' FIELD DAY

Held at Burlington Last Friday — Oakville, Milton Acton and Burlington Competed

After two postponements the Field Day of the secondary schools of Halton County held their annual Field Day at Burlington last Friday. There was keen competition among the schools from Acton, Oakville, Milton and Burlington in all the events. Burlington was successful in winning the Lions' Club cup for the school obtaining the most points. The following is the results of the various events:

Girls' Events

Senior, 75 yards—Betty Reid, Oakville; G. Storey, Milton; Mary Payne, Oakville.

Standing High Jump—C. Thompson, Oakville; H. Dewar, Milton; E. Dewar, Milton.

Relay Race—Burlington, Oakville.

Running High Jump—E. Dewar, Milton; C. Thompson, Oakville; F. Nightingale, Burlington.

Ball Throwing (open)—K. Blessinger, Burlington; H. London, Milton, J. Smith, Acton.

Intermediate, 75 yards—Mary Sheppard, Burlington; K. Regan, Oakville, Elsie Smith, Oakville.

Running High Jump—H. London, Milton; Annie Kurtz, Burlington; O. Chalmers, Acton.

Broad Jump—Elsie Smith, Oakville; K. Regan, Oakville; M. Sheppard, Burlington.

Relay Race — Oakville, Burlington, Milton.

Junior, 75 yards — Annie Smith, Burlington; Margaret Sheppard, Burlington; Margaret McKay, Oakville.

Running Broad Jump—Olive Gannon, Milton; Mary Sheppard, Burlington; M. Gallagher, Milton.

Running High Jump—Mary Marshall, Milton; Aileen Tipping, Oakville; Olive Gannon, Milton.

Relay Race — Burlington, Milton, Oakville.

Boys' Events

100 yards, Junior—Walker, Burlington; Toletzka, Milton; Munger, Burlington.

100 yards, Intermediate — Wilson, Milton; Gage, Burlington; Cooper, Acton.

100 yards, Senior—Hardoe, Milton; Lunau, Oakville; Davies, Oakville.

200 yards, Junior—Toletzka, Milton; Elwood Walker, Burlington; Munger, Burlington.

220 yards, Intermediate — Wilson, Milton; Gage, Burlington; Cooper, Acton.

220 yards, Senior—Hardoe, Milton; Lunau, Oakville; Davies, Oakville.

880 yards, Intermediate — Wilson, Milton; E. Eaton, Burlington; Lyster, Oakville.

880 yards, Senior—Powley, Oakville; J. Eaton, Burlington; Hardoe, Milton.

Mile, open — Powley, Oakville; Mason, Milton; Lyster, Oakville.

Running Broad Jump, Junior—McKinley, Oakville; Walker, Burlington; Toletzka, Milton.

Running Broad Jump, Intermediate—Wilson, Milton; Cooper, Acton; Gage, Burlington.

Running Broad Jump, Senior—Gibson, Oakville; J. Eaton, Burlington; Hardoe, Milton.

Running High Jump, Junior — E. Walker, Burlington; McKinley, Oakville; Toletzka, Milton.

Running High Jump, Intermediate—Cooper, Acton; E. Eaton, Burlington; Stewart, Milton.

Running High Jump, Senior — E. Wood, Burlington; Hardoe, Milton; Hodge, Oakville.

Hop, Step and Jump, Junior — McKinley, Oakville; Toletzka, Milton; Marshall, Acton.

Hop, Step and Jump, Intermediate—Wilson, Milton; McKinley, Oakville; Gage, Burlington.

Hop, Step and Jump, Senior—Gibson, Oakville; G. Eaton, Burlington; Hardoe, Milton.

Pole Vault, Senior—E. Walker, Burlington; R. Appleford, Burlington; Laurence, Oakville.

Pole Vault, Intermediate — Gastle, Milton, Gilbert, Oakville, Richardson, Burlington.

Pole Vault, Senior—McNiven, Burlington; Hardoe, Milton; Wilson, Burlington.

Shot Put, Junior—Toletzka, Milton; Millington, Burlington; Davies, Oakville.

Shot Put, Intermediate—F. Kurtz, Burlington; Gibson, Oakville; Davies, Oakville.

Shot Put, Senior—G. Eaton, Burlington; T. Kurtz, Burlington; Gibson Oakville.

Relay Race, Junior—1 Oakville; 2, Burlington; 3, Milton.

Relay Race, Intermediate—1, Burlington; 2, Milton; 3, Oakville.

Relay Race, Senior—1, Oakville; 2 Burlington; 3, Milton.

—J. L. Clark will hold an Auction Sale of Registered and High-grade Jersey and Holstein Cattle at lot 16, 6th line, West Chinguacousy, on Thursday, October 27.

Knox Church 82nd Anniversary

Splendid Services on Sunday Commemorating This Occasion in Church Annals

Sunday was an ideal autumn day for the anniversary services of Knox Church, and large congregations attended both the services. The pastor, Rev. A. C. Stewart, M. A., was in charge, and welcomed the visitors and the visiting congregations.

At the morning service the Baptist congregation, with their pastor, Mr. Baxter, joined in the anniversary event. At the evening service the Rev. Mr. Poole and the congregation of the United Church attended these special services and worshipped at Knox Church.

Rev. Jas. Mackay, B. D., pastor of St. James' Presbyterian Church, London, was the special minister for the day. Both his discourses were earnest expositions of Bible truths, adapted to the present day and were appreciated by the congregations that were privileged to hear them.

At the morning service Mr. MacKay found his text in Isaiah 41: 13, "For I the Lord thy God will hold thy right hand, saying onto thee fear not." From this text the speaker went on to point out how the Lord held our right hand all through life, guiding us in the proper way. Although it was often hard to see the wisdom of happenings and of the guiding hand, still in later times the foresight of this influence was invariably observed. God is with us always in our difficulties, guiding us through our troubles and holding our right hand. With apt illustration and masterful simplicity Mr. Mackay gave a splendid message in this morning sermon.

At the service in the evening his text was found in Solomon, chapter 2, and verse 1: "I am the rose of Sharon, and the lily of the valleys." Mr. Mackay chose to emphasize the latter part of the verse, "I am the lily of the valley." He traced the setting of this part of the scripture and showed how the words were doubtless used and the meaning they conveyed of the people at that time. He showed the appropriateness of the comparison of the Lord to the lily of the valley. Like Christ it was inoffensive. It never wounded with thorns, as the rose and other flowers, and Christ never wounds. It was humble, like Christ, not even holding its head erect. The lily was beautiful. All followers of Christ should show their beautiful spirit in their faces. It was pure, like Christ's life. Its fragrance was like the Saviour's influence. It filled the room and sweetened the lives of all who came into contact with Him.

The speaker closed his discourse with an earnest appeal to any who had not taken the Saviour into their lives to do so at once. Christ would make the influence right. Take this Lily of the Valley into your lives and let His influence shine out through you.

A number from Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church also attended the evening service, with their pastor, Rev. Mr. Jones. The benediction was pronounced by Mr. Jones at the close of the service.

The choir gave splendid music at both services. Their anthems and numbers were very appropriate and well rendered. At the evening service a splendid duett was contributed by Mrs. Elsley, of Nassagaweya, and Mrs. Elsley, of Guelph.

AN INVITATION

Is Extended by the School Board for Citizens to Inspect the New School on Saturday Evening

The School Board, at their meeting last evening, arranged for an informal opening of the New High School on Saturday evening. The new building, it is expected, will be all completed by that date, and open for inspection by all, from seven o'clock in the evening, until nine-thirty.

The sidewalk of the Willow Street entrance will not be in condition, however, by that time for use but citizens will use the Education Lane entrance for their tour of inspection. The building will be lighted and every citizen or interested person is welcome to go and see this splendid new building on this opening night. No doubt a large number will avail themselves of this opportunity to see the new High School before the pupils commence using it and the chance of inspection will not be so easily obtained.

NASSAGAWEYA COUNCIL

Regular Session Passes Accounts and Transacts Routine Business

Accounts were passed as follows at the meeting held on October 3 of Nassagaweya Township Council:

Toronto Hospital, for K. Young	$ 46.50
Acton Free Press, printing	13.50
Road Bupt., Voucher No. 6	523.60
Road Bupt., Voucher No. 7	1,336.23

The Treasurer was instructed to transfer $350 from the general account to the account of the Police Village.

A by-law was passed on request of the Trustees of S. S. No. 10, to provide the sum of $4,000, by issuing debentures for that amount, for building a schoolhouse.

Council adjourned to meet on the call of the Reeve.

John Marshall, Clerk.

Passed Medical Council Examinations

The published results of the examinations of the Medical Council in Montreal last week gave the information that Dr. W. G. C. Kenney, of Acton, has been successful. His success in this examination makes him eligible for registration on the Canada Medical Register and eligible for practice in all the Provinces of Canada. Dr. Kenney's Acton friends all extend their hearty congratulations on his success.

Where Councils Attend Church

The Acton, England, Gazette says: "Mayor Orange must be running his predecessor, Mayor Hewett, very close as a church-going mayor. He has accepted two more invitations on behalf of the Corporation and himself to attend Divine worship in Procession. The first of these civic visits to places of worship will be paid next Sunday morning, when the Corporation will assemble in the Municipal Offices at 10.30 a. m., and thence march to the Acton Baptist Church. The second will take place on Sunday evening, October 30, when the procession will be organized at 6 p. m. in the Parish Hall, to attend service in All Saints' at 6.30 p. m. The Corporation, who are always given a popular welcome on these occasions, will be headed by the church clergy, choir and officials, and accompanied by torchbearers. On both these occasions collections will be made for the Acton Hospital."

Acton and District

Ankle Broken by Fall

On Tuesday afternoon as Mrs. Orrie Lamb was standing on a platform at the rear of their residence on Main Street, she had the misfortune to fall heavily to the ground, and in the fall broke her right ankle. Dr. McNiven was called and attended to the injured ankle, and she is now making as good progress as can be expected, but will be confined to bed for some weeks.

Prison Guard Injured by Motor

Run down by a motor car on York Road, just past the Guelph city limits on Saturday night, Andrew Roulston, a guard at the Ontario Reformatory, was so seriously injured that it was found necessary to remove him to the General Hospital. Roulston, who was returning from the city to the reformatory, was walking along the Guelph-Brampton Highway, when the car, driven by George Wilson, of Guelph, struck him, fracturing one leg in two places and causing severe injuries to his head. His condition was reported as very serious, but hopes are held out for his recovery.

Churchill Anniversary Next Sunday

The anniversary services of Churchill United Church will be held next Sunday, with services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Dr. Daly, of Port Hope, will be the special preacher for the day and special anniversary music will be provided. On Tuesday evening, October 25, the annual tea-meeting will be held. Tea of the calibre for which Churchill is famous will be served from six to eight o'clock. An excellent programme of musical and literary numbers will follow and there will be addresses by Rev. C. L. Poole, and Rev. A. C. Stewart, of Acton; and Rev. Mr. Gandier, of Ballinafad. The congregation is looking forward to a splendid time during this anniversary.

Knox Young People's Guild

At the meeting of Knox Church Young People's Guild on Monday evening, Mac Stewart occupied the chair in the absence through illness of the President, Miss Martha Orr. The scripture lesson was read by Mr. A. Jack. At the election to fill vacancies in the offices of the society, Mr. Jos. Hurst was elected Secretary, Allan Marshall, Treasurer, and R. McArthur, Reporter. Papers were contributed on "The Call that Comes to Our Homes," by Mrs. A. Ralph; "The Call that Comes to Our Boys," by Mrs. P. Kirkness; and "The Call that Comes to Our Girls," by Miss F. Hurst. A group of junior Sunday School scholars gave several choruses on the programme. The evening was a most profitable and enjoyable one.

Two Enjoyable Receptions

Last Friday evening Mrs. James Symon gave a reception in honor of Mr. Symon's sister, Mrs. Corry, of Sault Ste. Marie, who was visiting here. It afforded many of Mrs. Corry's former friends here an excellent opportunity to visit her again and Mrs. Symon was hostess to many of the ladies of Acton that evening. Mrs. Wm. Johnstone poured tea and Misses L. M. Gray and Marguerite Symon served. On Wednesday afternoon and evening Rev. and Mrs. Clarence L. Poole were "at home" and citizens generally availed themselves of the opportunity to meet Mr and Mrs. Poole in their new home in Acton, at the United Church Parsonage. The girls and young ladies of the choir served and Mesdames Jas. Symon, R. L. Johnston, Malcolm McLean and E. F. Gamble poured tea.

Missionary Talk to Young People

The regular weekly meeting of the Young People's League of the United Church on Monday evening took the nature of a special missionary night, and Mr. Edward Jolliffe, son of Rev. Charles Jolliffe, a returned missionary from China, himself a first year student of Toronto University, was the principal speaker. He took for his subject a heading which appeared in The Toronto Globe in 1901, "Christianity Dead in China." Mr. Jolliffe, who is an eloquent speaker, and has spent fifteen of his eighteen years in China, went on to show that, whereas there is the dark side to the Chinese problem today, just as there was in 1901, there is also a bright side, as at that time. He handled his subject in a way that convinced his hearers that there are better times ahead for China. Miss M. Z. Bennett, the President, presided. The lesson was read by Miss Helen Cook. Misses Ruth Gibson and Hazel Mason rendered a vocal duett, and Miss Gibson a soprano solo, both numbers being much appreciated.

Missionary Thank Offering Meeting

The Women's Missionary Society of Knox Church held their annual Thank Offering meeting last Friday afternoon. The ladies of the congregations of the Anglican, Baptist and United Churches had been invited to attend and the gathering was one of the largest the Society has ever had. Mrs. McTavish, the President of the Knox Society, was in charge. Mrs. George Havill read the scripture lesson, and Mrs. McTavish, Mrs. Wm. Thompson and Mrs. (Rev.) A. C. Stewart, led in prayer. A vocal duett was given by Miss Elizabeth Orr and Mrs. Armstrong. Miss Jean Orr presided at the organ. Mrs. (Rev.) Wm. Kannawin, of Toronto, was the speaker for this special meeting. She gave a very interesting and instructive missionary talk, which was a real inspiration to her audience. A delightful lunch was served at the close of the meeting. The church was appropriately decorated for this special occasion with flowers and a most profitable and enjoyable afternoon was spent by the ladies who attended.

Narrow Escape from Serious Injury

Last Thursday evening Mr. Angus McEachern, who attends to the shipping of turnips for the Acton Produce Co., here, had a narrow escape from serious accident. During the time he is at the electric railway yards he keeps his car on a vacant piece of land, just east of the Willow Street crossing. He was preparing to go home on Thursday evening and brought his car from its parking place past the end of the car of turnips he was having loaded and proceeded to go up Willow Street without noticing the passenger radial from Toronto was approaching the station and was at the crossing at the same time as he was. He ran his car into the side of the radial, which turned the auto west and it ran along in the same direction as the electric car. Before he could regain control of the machine it crashed into another freight car standing on the siding. It was thought at first that Mr. McEachern had been seriously injured, but examination showed that the worst injury was to his knee cap, which was badly bruised and cut. The car, beyond a broken radiator, was not seriously damaged. Mr. McEachern has been confined to the house since the accident but is now improving.

Public Utilities Commission Meets

New Transformer Being Added to Take Care of Increased Load in Acton

At the session of the Public Utilities Commission on Tuesday evening, Commissioners Hassard and Mason were present and Chairman King presided.

Accounts were ordered to be paid as follows:

Hydro Account

Hydro-Electric Power Commission, power	$1,481.66
Mason Company, supplies	165.32
Moffats' Limited, supplies	131.56
Lincoln Meter Co., meters	78.70
Freight and Express, Transport and C. N. R.	3.81
Postage	10.00
A. E. Cripps, freight and express	16.01
	$1,887.06

Waterworks Account

Acton Public Utilities Commission, Hydro Department, wages, supplies, etc., as per audit	$520.06

The report was adopted.

Owing to a change in the Public Utilities Act of Ontario the local commission decided that from now on all bills for electric energy or water supply must be paid when due. Failure to pay a bill when due will necessitate the service being discontinued at once.

Samples of the water from the water supply were ordered to be submitted to the Provincial Board of Health to insure that Acton's water supply is pure. The Commission decided to follow this procedure from time to time to insure that Acton's water supply is always properly kept.

The wiring account of the school was approved by the Commission.

A letter was received from the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario stated that instructions had been given to install an additional transformer at the sub-station in Acton to allow for the extra load that is being used here.

Acton and District

Hallowe'en Masquerade Dance

A group of young people have arranged for a Hallowe'en masquerade dance, to be held on Friday evening, October 28. The Harmony Orchestra, of Brampton, will supply the music and the Hallowe'en decorations will be much in evidence. There will be all sorts of novelty dances and a real Hallowe'en frolic seems assured to those who attend.

The Cash Register is Found

Hidden in muck and water beneath some overhanging bushes along a quiet country road, a mile or so from Pustinch Lake, the large cash register stolen from the garage office of Joseph Hills, at Guelph, a week ago was found by George Hewer, a farmer hand who is employed by Chis Bohn, of that vicinity. The register had been forcibly opened and the contents removed. No clue to the identity of the thieves has as yet been uncovered by the police.

Women's Institute Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Acton Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. E. Gamble, the Crescent, on Wednesday afternoon last, with thirty ladies present. In the absence of the President, Mrs. Lantz, Vice-President, occupied the chair. The meeting opened with the Institute Ode, after which the business part of the programme was carried out, the ladies deciding to send twenty pounds of honey to the Children's Shelter, Milton. The following programme was given: Recitation, by Miss Verne Murray; reading, Mrs. Wesley Masales. The meeting closed with God Save the King. After the meeting a social half hour was spent with Mrs. Gamble as hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Agnew.

Celebrated Eightieth Birthday

The Guelph Mercury last week contained the following interesting item regarding the eightieth birthday celebration of Mrs. H. Cummings, of Fergus, mother of Miss Jessie Cummings, of Acton. "One of those very pleasant but alas, rare events, took place on Wednesday last when Mrs. Hamilton Cummings celebrated her 80th birthday. During the day many friends called to offer birthday greetings and at the tea-hour there was an enjoyable re-union of several old friends. Mr. George Cummings, who has lately come to town, and Mrs. Cummings, together with the two daughters, Miss Cummings and Miss Jessie Cummings, of Acton, assisted in making the occasion An enjoyable one. Mrs. Cummings was the recipient of many beautiful flowers and an array of handsome gifts as well as messages of congratulation from absent friends. Mrs. Cummings numerous friends extend to her their heartiest good wishes for many happy returns of her birthday." Miss Cummings, Mrs. M. R. Moore, Mrs. A. Burig, Mrs. D. H. Lindsay, Mrs. F. E. McCleary and Mr. H. Harrison, of Acton, attended this birthday party.

Lawn-McClure Wedding in Toronto

A pretty autumn wedding was solemnized on Saturday, October 1, at the home of the bride's parents, 1149 Oakington Avenue, Toronto, when Jean, daughter of Mr and Mrs. James McClure, was united in marriage to Mr. Clarence Ernest Lawn, son of Mrs. A. Lawn, of Toronto. Rev. J. A. Hilts, of Davenport Presbyterian Church, officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a gown of white crepe romaine, trimmed with French lace. Her veil of embroidered tulle was held in place with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of sweetheart roses and baby's breath. Miss Mabel Lawn, sister of the groom, who acted as bridesmaid, was prettily gowned in pale yellow georgette, with a black picture hat, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and baby's breath. Mr. W. McClure, brother of the bride, supported the groom. Mrs. A. Shill presided at the piano. The bride's mother received in a gown of navy Canton and georgette. Mrs. Lawn, mother of the groom, wore a gown of black satin and georgette. Following the reception the happy couple left amid a shower of confetti for points west, the bride travelling in a dress of French blue crepe, black velvet hat with fur-trimmed coat of blue Bolivia cloth. On their return they will reside in Toronto. A unique feature of the wedding was the fact that the groom was the youngest of four generations represented. Mrs. Lawn, mother of the groom, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder, Mill Street. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Fred McArthur, Audrey and Lelloy attended the wedding.

The Community's Social Side of Life

Visitors to and From Town During the Past Week, as Gleaned by The Free Press

Mr. Neil McNabb was home from Toronto over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huffman, of Alton, were here over Sunday.

Mr. A. T. Brown attended the Radio Show in Toronto on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Arnold are spending holidays at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Miss Gladys Huffman, of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Wm. Gurney, of Wingham, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray's.

Miss Marjorie Wardlaw, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bell, of Toronto, visited Acton friends over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Russell and children, of Oakville, visited in Acton this week.

Misses Lois and Erma Malone, of Toronto, visited Acton friends over the week-end.

Messrs. Harold Wiles and George Mulholland were home from Chatham over Sunday.

Pastor W. J. Baxter attended the sessions of the Baptist Convention in Toronto the past week.

Mr. John Jolliffe and Miss Annie Jolliffe, of Rockwood, were visitors in town on Monday evening.

Miss Evelyn Symon, of Sault Ste. Marie, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Symon last week.

Mrs. Walter Wood, of Hamilton, visited at the home of her brother, Mr. John Wood, this week.

Mr. Rex McCallbery, of Toronto University, spent the week-end with his friend, Mr. Charles Kirkness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Kannawin attended the anniversary services at Shelburne on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McCleary spent the week-end at Stoney Creek, the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Baugh.

Misses Gladys Pow and Lily Spry, of Toronto, visited their friend, Mrs. L. O. Johnston over the week-end.

Mr. F. C. Smythe, of Gore Bay, paid Mrs. John Wood and his aunt, Miss E. M. Moore, a short visit on Monday.

Miss Bernice Reid, nurse-in-training at Guelph General Hospital, spent a day or so this week at her home here.

Mrs. F. J. Browning, of Toronto, has been spending the past week at the home of her father, Mr. George Dills.

Messrs. John Currie and Fred Shaw, of Buffalo, N. Y., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Currie, Brock Avenue, over the week-end.

Mr. J. Campbell Currie, of The Free Press staff, had an operation for the removal of his tonsils last week. He is now able to be about again.

Mrs. G. H. Brown spent last week with friends in Kitchener. Mr. Brown motored up on Saturday to spend the week-end at the homes of their sons.

Mrs. W. J. Hall visited with her sister, Mrs. R. Lane, at Limehouse on Sunday and attended the anniversary services at the Presbyterian Church there.

Miss Nellie E. Hall, teacher of Dufferin School, attended the Teachers' Convention at Toronto last week and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. Dobbie.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Linton Kenney and daughter, Barbara, all of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kenney.

Mrs. George Hynds, who spent the last three months in Windsor, at the home of her son, Joseph, has returned to spend the winter at the home of Mr. Nelson Garden.

POLICE COURT NEWS

At Brampton last week, Howard Martin, formerly of Georgetown, who pleaded guilty last week in Magistrate Crawford's court to taking $150 belonging to his employers, Brampton Bakery, was sentenced to three months in the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, with an added sentence of six months indeterminate.

NOT TO BE BORNE

That dogs are affectionate is universally allowed, and that they are jealous no observer can doubt, but that a dog may show true philosophy in accepting a hard situation is occasionally proved. Says the London Spectator:

A young man had for some years owned a dog which was his constant companion. Recently, however, he married, and moved with his wife and dog into a house on the opposite side of the street from his father's house, his old home.

The dog was not happy, for attentions which had once been his own were now given to the young wife. His master tried to reconcil him to the altered state of things, and the bride endeavored to win his affection, but he constantly showed his displeasure and misery.

One day the master came home and sat down, putting his arm about his wife. Jack was lying by the fire, and he at once drose, approached the two, and made the usual exhibition of his disapproval.

"Why, Jack!" said his master. "This is all right. She is a good girl," and as he spoke he patted his wife's arm.

Jack looked up at him, turned away, and left the room. In a moment they heard a noise, and going into the hall, found him dragging his bed downstairs. He reached the front door, and whined to be let out. The door was opened, and he dragged the bed down the steps, and across the street to his old home, where he scratched for admittance. Since then he has never returned to his master, and has refused all overtures toward reconciliation.

REAL GALLANTRY

While this is not taking sides for or against the Japanese, still we must hand the palm of courtesy to the Japanese boy whose foot was run over in the plaza.

As he gazed up into the tear-stained face of the woman whose driving was reasonable, he murmured: "Thanks for tears about my most worthless foot, but I have another one."