The Acton Free Press

Fifty-fourth Year—No. 2. THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1928 ACTON, ONTARIO, CANADA THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 12, 1928

Church Services

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

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School. Lesson: "The Conversion of Saul".
11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "Apostolic Comradeship." Baptismal service for children.
7.00 p. m.—The Minister. Subject: "The Cry of the Eastern Merchant."
Thursday, 7.30—Pray and Praise Service.

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

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School. Lesson: "The Conversion of Saul."
11.00 a. m.—The Minister. Subject: "He Spoke as One Having Authority."
7.00 p. m.—The Minister Subject: "Witness Bearing."
Strangers leaving address with the ushers will be called upon by the Pastor.

Baptist Church
ACTON
Pastor—Wm. J. Baxter.
Parsonage—Frederick Street

10.00 a. m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a. m.—The Pastor.
7.00 p. m.—The Pastor.
Thursday, 7.30 p. m.—Meeting for Prayer and Praise.

UNCLASSIFIED Small Advertisements

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NEW POTATOES
New Potatoes for sale. Apply GEO. SOPER, Wallace Avenue.

BROWBANK GARDENS, ROCKWOOD
The Garden is at its best now. Everybody welcome to come in and see the flowers.

DOG STRAYED
Fox Hound found. Owner may recover same by proving property and paying expenses
1-3 BOX 17, FREE PRESS.

FOR SALE
Peas, 10c a quart or 50c six quart basket; Onions, Lettuce, Radishes, 5c a bunch. Bring baskets.
MRS. WRIGHT, Ranzom Street.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE
Wanted—Young ladies to join Lingerie Club. Free Lingerie to Club members.
DAINTY LADY CO.,
1138 College St., Toronto.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife, Pearl Scott, she having left my bed and board.
JOHN SCOTT.

NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts incurred by my wife, Mildred Mino, she having left my bed and board.
GEORGE MINO.

FOR SALE
Choice grain or dairy farm, good buildings, splendid water. Close to Acton and Georgetown. Would take good house in town in exchange. Apply
DAVID RADCLIFFE,
49-3 Acton, R. R. No. 4.

FOR SALE
Any quantity of Six-Quart and Eleven-Quart Baskets; 1 Quart Berry Boxes; 1 Bushel Apple Boxes and Berry Crates.
JOHN POLD
49-6 P. O. Box 521,
Phone 310 Georgetown.

CARD OF THANKS
Mrs. D. Swackhammer and family desire to express their appreciation of the kindly and neighborly deeds and words of sympathy expressed during their recent bereavement when the beloved husband and father was called home.

DISTRICT MANAGERS—AGENTS
Wonderful new discovery. Paloseel really seals nail punctures without removing tire from rim. Different—Guaranteed harmless to rubber. Cannot decompose. Lasts life of tire. Money maker for agents. Miller made $875 in five weeks. Write for proof and Free Trial Offer.
PALOSEEL MANUFACTURING CO. LTD.
Alexandria, Ontario.

SUMMER TERM
In each of Shaw's Twelve Schools follows the present Session in regular order from July 3rd, with no forced vacations. Enter any day. Booklet free. Write 1130 Bay Street, Toronto, W. R. Shaw, Secretary.

WONDERLAND

FRIDAY, JULY 13
"Honor Bound"
Drama, with George O'Brien Comedy, "Dummies." Felix Cartoon, "Outdore Indore."

SATURDAY, JULY 14
"The Pioneer Scout"
Western, with Fred Thomson and his horse, Silver King. Comedy, "Scared Silly." Fox News.

TUESDAY, JULY 17
"The Secret Hour"
Drama, with Pola Negri. No 5 "The Haunted Island." Comedy "Have the Pieces."

COMING—FRIDAY, JULY 20
"Ramona"

R. L. GREGORY & SON

July Clearance

Full of Opportunity for Those Who Like to Save

STOCK TAKING COMES TWICE A YEAR at this Store In January and July. This is one of the two months in the year when sharp price reductions are used to reduce stocks to a minimum before stock-taking is completed on the thirty first. Wonderful opportunities for those who have a hand in our clearance—opportunities to save liberally on wear needs and home needs.

These Quotations Just Examples:

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COATS At Half Price $5 to $25.

SUMMERY FROCKS AT $14.95 For dress up occasions, in printed chiffons, printed georgettes, and printed flat crepes; matrons' and misses' styles, up-to-the minute in the feminine mode, up to $35, in regular pricing.

COOL FROCKS AT $5.95—Silky Rayons and lustrous Crayshengs — solid colors and a wealth of printed patterns — novel striped and checked designs — sleeved and sleeveless modes. Women's and misses' sizes up to 44.

SUMMER DRESSES AT $3.49 — Women's and Misses' sizes in Fuji Silks, sleeved or sleeveless — Misses' in printed Charmeuse.

MORE DRESS SPECIALS AT $4.98—Women's and Misses' in Double-Double Fuji, and Misses' in printed Palm Beach Cloth.

SLEEVELESS FROCKS AT $10.95—In white and colored wash crepes, in double-double Fuji, in printed crepes.

HATS UP TO $7.50 FOR $2.49—Hats of Silk, Hair Braid, Crochet and Straw Braid.

HATS AT $1.49 — Another group of big savings — Straw and Silk Hats.

MEN'S SUITS at $24.85—Regularly up to $34.50.

MEN'S SUITS AT $18.85—Regularly $24.50 to $27.50.

D. E. Macdonald & Bros., Ltd.
GUELPH'S LARGEST DEPARTMENTAL STORE
Daily Closing, 5.30 p. m., Excepting Wednesday at 12.30 Noon and Saturday at 9.30 p. m.

Specials For This Week

3 Boxes Matches for	25c	NEW POTATOES per Basket	35c
Sweet Mixed Pickles Large Jar for	42c	Nu-Jell Jelly Powders 3 for	22c
Granulated Sugar 10 lbs. for	65c	ROWNTREE COCOA per Tin	25c
DATE CAKES per lb.	25c	New Cabbage per Head	10c, 15c
5 BABY CHICK FEED lbs. for	25c		

Chain **RED & WHITE** Stores
J. W. JONES Phone 26 ACTON, ONT.

This Week's Candy Specials

Apple Blossoms, regular 40c lb., for ... 29c
Neilson's Chocolate Rose Buds, regular 60c lb., for, per lb. ... 49c
Maraschino Chocolate Cherries, regular 60c lb., for, per lb. ... 49c
Assorted Chocolates, regular 40c and 50c lb. for, per lb. ... 32c

WRIGLEY NIPS
In the new Handy Pack. Regular 3 for 5c. Special this week 9 for ... 10c

HAROLD WILES, Acton

Summer Time --Needs--

Screen Doors Screen Windows
Watering Cans
Garden Hose—Plain and Corrugated

FERTILIZERS AND INSECTICIDES
Paris Green, Arsenate of Lime, Arsenate of Lead. Sole agency for King Bug Killer and Climax Bug Killer.

SEASONABLE FARM SUPPLIES
Forks Rope Pulleys Section Grinders
Carborundum Stones, Scythes, Hoes—Dr. Williams' Fly Oil and Sprayers

This Week's Special
CANADIAN HAY FORKS, regular $1.75 each ... $1.49

W. D. TALBOT
HARDWARE MILL STREET, ACTON

Church Parade of L.O.L. and L.T.B.

Also Interesting Ceremony of Unfurling New Banner of Loyal True Blues

The Sunday just prior to July 12 is annually chosen by Acton L. O. L. for their church parade. Last Sunday evening the lodge members and visiting brethren and the Loyal True Blue lodge and their visitors paraded from the lodge hall on Willow Street to the United Church, where the annual service was held. They were led by the local lodge's Fife and Drum Band. About 125 members of these two societies attended, and they filled the centre front pews in the church for the event.

The sermon was a forceful discourse by the minister, Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D. It was based on Galatians 5: 1, "Stand fast therefore in the liberty wherewith Christ hath made us free an be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage." The subject, "Guarding Our Liberty," was taken from this text and from it the speaker drew many points vital to Orangemen, their constitution and laws governing their society and that are applicable to that organization or any individual in every-day conduct.

Following the service the order formed again, and led by their band, paraded to the Park, where another interesting ceremony had been arranged—that of unveiling the new banner of the Loyal True Blue Lodge, No. 38. The banner had recently arrived from Belfast, Ireland.

Mr. T. W. Fox, Past Master of L. O. L., of Guelph, acted as chairman and called the large crowd to order by announcing the singing of a couple of verses of "O God Our Help in Ages Past." Following this Mr. Fox called upon Mrs. E. Lappin, W. M. of the L. T. B., to come forward. Mrs. McLean presented Mrs. Lappin with a pair of silver scissors, which she used to cut the ribbon binding the banner. The banner was then unfurled by Mrs. Collier and Mrs. W. Hall, first W. M. and D. M. of the Acton True Blue Lodge, and Mrs. Lappin, in a few words of dedicating the banner, which ceremony he performed in an able manner. The L. T. B. aims and work in connection with their home at Richmond Hill were well and clearly explained by Mr. Fox. Rev. C. L. Poole spoke briefly, as did also Rev. Mr. Gosselin, of Rockwood, who was supplying here in the absence of Rev. A. C. Stewart, of Knox Church, who was preaching anniversary services at Eden Mills. Pastor Baxter was unable to be present, owing to ill-health.

At the close of the ceremony Mrs. J. E. Gamble thanked all those who had taken part and all those who had in any way assisted in making this event a success.

Mrs. Gamble presented Mrs. E. Lappin, W. M., with a bouquet of flowers.

GALA DAY ORGANIZATION

Completed at Enthusiastic Meeting Held on Monday Evening—Sports, Garden Party and Street Dance Are Features

The final organization meeting of the committees for Acton's big Gala Day on Civic Holiday had a well attended and enthusiastic assemblage on Monday evening. Officers and Committee Chairmen were appointed for all the activities and from reports presented to the meeting if the day is favored with good weather, its success is assured. The following were the appointments:

Honorary Patrons—Reeve and Mrs. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon T. Beardmore, Mr. Peter Smith, Dr. and Mrs. McNiven, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. McCleary, Mr. H. P. Moore, Mrs. H. S. Wilson and a representative of the I. O. D. E.

Chairman—Mr. L. E. Atkinson.
Vice-Chairman—Mr. R. J. Kerr.
Secretary—Mr. H. W. Hinton.
Treasurer—Mr. C. R. Knapp.
Convenor Garden Party Committee—Mr. Ed. Ryder.
Convenor Donation Committee—Mr. A. White.
Convenor Advertising Committee—Mr. J. Chapman.
Convenor Street Dance Committee—Mr. R. Spelvogel.
Convenor Gates Committee, Afternoon—E. Tyler, Jr.
Convenor Gates Committee, Night—W. Kaley.
Convenor Afternoon Sports Committee—J. H. McComb.

The division of any surplus funds remaining from the day's entertainment was settled on the following basis: Half of the proceeds will be divided among the three organizations that are sponsoring the day—The Girls' Softball Team, the Band, and the Men's Ball Club. The remainder of the fund will be held in trust, to be used as the amount may warrant in community enterprise.

The attractions for the day will be: 2.00 p. m. to 6 p. m., afternoon sports, with one of the best gatherings of athletes ever assembled in Acton, including Miss Norah Gordon, who is helping the girls in their game against the Selbirling Nationals, and a great collection of runners in the 5 mile handicap road race. At night a garden party will be held at 8.15, with the very best of talent, and at 10.30 a street dance, which will surely make a complete day's programme.

Prices were arranged for the attractions at 25c for the afternoon and 35c for the garden party, and 50c for the street dance. A combination ticket may be secured, however, for 60c, that will admit the bearer to all of the attractions. These special tickets will be procurable from the committee in the course of a few days.

With the organization complete and the committee all at work in their various departments, the success of the event seems assured, and will undoubtedly receive the liberal support of the citizens and countryside.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

Makes Annual Grants and Awards Contracts for County Work

The following grants were made by Halton County Council at its July session, held last week: Halton Rifles, $300; Halton Agricultural Society, $300; Burlington, Georgetown and Acton Agricultural Societies, $75 each; Guelph Collegiate Institute for Halton pupils, $1,456.77; Acton Continuation School, $1,231.11.

E. F. Earl, of Milton, was awarded the contract for plumbing in Court House at $449 and W. W. King, of Oakville, was awarded the contract for work on the Boyne hill, second line, Trafalgar Township, hill cutting, 40c per yard, moving bridge, $150; bridge floor, $150; 2 concrete abutments, $2,563; extra concrete $14.00 per yard; extra excavation, $3.25 per yard.

A by-law was passed for the issue of debentures to the amount of $32,600 for provincial highway purposes.

Waterdown High School, having quoted $125 a tuition fee for Halton pupils for 1928, the Clerk was instructed to write to the Secretary of the High School Board and say that Halton County would be responsible for 40 per cent. of the fee, but not for the 20 per cent., which must be collected by the Board from the pupils.

The Entrance Examination Results

All the Pupils of Miss Bennett, Acton Principal, Successful at This Examination

Of the fifty-two candidates at Acton at the recent Junior High School Entrance examinations the following were successful:

Acton Public School
ELOIS ATKINSON, Honors
VELMA BLAIR, Honors
ADABEL BROWN, Honors
NORMAN GIBBON, Honors
MARJORIE HALL
STUART G. LANTZ, Honors
LORENA LASHBROOK, Honors
JOE McCANN, Honors
AUDREY McCOMB, Honors
JAMES McGEACHIE, Honors
WILLIAM NEAR, Honors
BESSIE RAWLINGS, Honors
OLIVE M. ROOKES, Honors
HOWARD SWITZER
ISABEL SWITZER, Honors
ESTHER TAYLOR, Honors
HERBERT TAYLOR, Honors
NORA WATERHOUSE, Honors
BILLIE WILLIAMS, Honors
MYRTLE WORTH, Honors

District Schools
MARION A. ANDERSON, No. 8, Nassagaweya.
EARL GAYERS, No. 8, Nassagaweya.
WILSON BEWLEY, No. 4, Nassagaweya.
KEITH FLANDERS, No. 4, Nassagaweya.
JACK RINEHART, No. 4, Nassagaweya.
MELVIN BRIDGMAN, No. 9, Nassagaweya.
WILLIAM C. INGLE, No. 9, Nassagaweya.
DUNCAN KINGSBURY, No. 9, Nassagaweya.
HUGH McLAUGHLIN, No. 9, Nassagaweya.
VERNA BRITTON, No. 7, Nassagaweya.
GRANT McMILLAN, No. 7, Nassagaweya.
HAZEL PAREY, No. 10, Erin.
FRANCES L. SHAUGHNESSY, No. 10, Erin.
THELMA E. GRAFF, No. 12, Esquesing.
LAURA JOHNSTON, No. 12, Esquesing.
HARRY MURRAY, No. 12, Esquesing.
STANLEY JOE, No. 10, Esquesing.
GEORGE McINTOSH, No. 5, Nassagaweya.
NEIL A. McPHAIL, No. 5, Nassagaweya.
ALICE TUCK, No. 5, Nassagaweya.
MARY MILLS, Honors.
MALCOLM MOFFAT.
LAURA R. WILEY, Honors.
M. WILMA STOREY, Honors.

Irene Cross, who on account of illness was able to write only part of her examination, was granted a certificate on the recommendation of her teacher, as was also Howard Webster, who presented a doctor's certificate showing inability to write.

The highest five in standing at Acton centre, in order, were: Adabel Brown, Lorena Lashbrook, Esther Taylor, Olive Rookes and Myrtle Worth, all pupils of Miss Bennett, Principal of Acton Public School.

TWO MOTOR ACCIDENTS AT SAME CORNER

Both Cars Bound on Same Mission to Toronto Wrecked at Same Corner

The corner of the seventh line and the Acton crossroad was the scene on Monday morning of two auto accidents and both cars were bound for Toronto on the same mission although some hours apart in their travel.

Dr. Hall, of Walkerton, was going to Toronto to arrange for admission to the Sick Children's Hospital of a boy patient from Elmwood, who had had his arm fractured. In turning the corner his steering gear locked and his car missed the corner and plunged off the highway into the fence. It apparently turned over and then righted itself. The doctor was thrown from the car and his hand was badly cut and his nose broken, as well as other minor cuts and bruises. Reports from the hospital say that his condition is hopeful, unless complications set in. The accident happened about 6.30 a. m. The car was badly damaged.

About ten o'clock that same morning the car with the father and the patient for whom Dr. Hall was to go in advance and make arrangements, with Mrs. Young, of Elmwood, and driven by Mr. McCallum, followed and at the same corner left the highway and plunged into the fence in almost the identical same place. The car turned over on its side and the occupants were thrown out and badly cut with the broken glass and bruised. Their injuries were attended to by Dr. E. J. Nelson, of Acton. This car was also badly wrecked.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Regular Session Has Small Docket of Routine Business

At the Public Utilities Commission meeting on Tuesday evening Reeve Mason and Commissioner King were present. In the absence of Chairman Hazzard, Commissioner King presided.

Accounts were ordered to be paid as follows:

Hydro Accounts

Bell Telephone Co., accounts	$ 6.00
A. E. Cripps, prepaid express	2.40
A. E. Cripps, freight	9.15
Jas. Symon, supplies	4.10
Hydro-Electric Power Commission, supplies	47.51
Rose & O'Hearn Ltd., supplies	34.52
Packard General Electric Co., street globes	16.98
J. C. Matthews, postage	10.00
	$200.36

Waterworks Account

Acton Public Utilities, Hydro Dept., power at spring	$38.10
Acton Public Utilities, Hydro Dept., June operations	39.86
Jordan Roberts Sales Ltd., supplies	7.63
	$85.59

NASSAGAWEYA COUNCIL

Regular Session Last Week Passes Accounts and Transact Routine Business

Accounts were passed as follows at the session last week of Nassagaweya Township Council:

J. Y. Norrish, 8 sheep killed	$70.00
Walter Elliot, 1 lamb killed	8.00
D. Irving, inspecting sheep killed	12.00
Dr. Carbert, convention M. O. H.	35.00
Johnstone & Co., burial of T. Scott	50.00
J. W. Moffat, postage	4.70
J. Marshall, postage	7.75
Acton Free Press, printing	6.00
T. Richardson, postage	5.00
L. Elsley, repairs to hall	3.95

The Road Superintendent's voucher, amounting to $810.26, was examined and passed.

The Treasurer was instructed to deposit to the credit of the Police Village of Campbellville $350.00.

Council adjourned to meet on the call of the Reeve.

John Marshall, Clerk.

Various News Items

The Prince of Wales' Peonies

The peonies donated by His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, and planted last year in the perennial border at the Park, have bloomed quite profusely, and have commanded the interest and admiration of many citizens and visitors during the past fortnight.

Lawn Social at Hill Hall

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, of Hill Hall, have very kindly offered their spacious grounds for a lawn social, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church. This function will be held on Wednesday evening, 25th inst., and will be looked forward to with pleasurable anticipation.

Fast Driver Didn't Make Amends

A woman driver from the city in coming into town at noon on Saturday was driving so fast that she could not make the Young Street corner, but went clear across the forty-foot pavement, over the curb, across the boulevard, and clear through Councillor Hansen's fence. She backed out and went on without making any restitution for the damaged fence.

Swat the Weeds

"Swat the Fly" has been a summer axiom for years, and as a result of obedience to the slogan the progenitors of countless thousands have been destroyed. "Swat the Weeds" and similar results will follow. One vigorous, healthy, prolific weed plant overlooked will reproduce itself several hundred fold. Cutting roadside and farm weeds before they ripen their seeds is an excellent control measure.

Aged Oakville Magistrate Resigns

Police Magistrate J. H. Shields, who has been magistrate at Oakville for 22 years, has tendered his resignation, to take effect at once. Magistrate Shields has attained his 80th year and is retiring entirely of his own accord. He has been a very efficient justice and has had many important cases to adjudicate. Amongst the numerous cases he tried were those of Robinson, Assessor Marsh, W. E. McIlveen and J. H. Elliott.

Drunken Driver Goes to Jail

A smashup occurred on the highway, at the corner of Main and Guelph Streets, Georgetown, on June 30, through a head-on collision. The car, which caused the accident, was driven by a man who was under the influence of liquor. He was charged with the offence, and voluntarily came before H. P. Moore, Police Magistrate, Acton, on Friday and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to seven days in the county jail for the offence.

Money for Nothing But Liquor

A Georgetown man, who holds the property occupied by Mrs. Phil Forbes, on the crossroad between the seventh and sixth lines, Esquesing, was brought before Magistrate Moore one day last week, charged with having liquor in an unlawful place. The officers discovered part of a carton of beer in the long grass behind Mrs. Forbes' house. The carton was addressed to this man. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $100 and costs. Being unable to pay the fine and costs, he was committed to jail for one month. He has had no regular employment lately, but purchased six bottles of whiskey and 60 bottles of beer in fifteen days in June, at a cost of $80.00.

United Church Sunday School Picnic

Good weather seems to favor the picnics this year and the United Church Sunday School was favored with an ideal day yesterday afternoon for their annual picnic. The children and grown-ups assembled in goodly numbers at Blue Springs Park, and with races, softball games, etc. spent a most strenuous and delightful afternoon. At the supper hour a hungry crowd sat down to a bounteous and appetising lunch, served in the grove at this splendid park. After the supper hour a contingent from Acton Citizens' Band gave a brief band concert from the pavilion. Superintendent A. T. Brown and his staff of busy and willing workers provided a delightful afternoon's outing for scholars and all who attended.

Smashup on the Highway

About midnight on Saturday Alex. Marshall, of 134 Wolfrey Street, Toronto, was coming down the highway into town at the Smith farm, when he collided with a car driven by J. C. Pobin, of Dovercourt Road, Toronto, who was en route to visit his brother at Guelph. Pobin was on the right side of the roadway, his right wheels being over on the shoulder. Marshall side-swiped his car, and both vehicles were wrecked. Pobin had his left collar bone fractured. Marshall's car capsized and turned over twice. He signed a document in presence of Chief McPherson, agreeing to pay Pobin all costs for repairs to car and his doctor's bill. Marshall is charged with driving without a driver's license, and with reckless driving.

Mr. D. A. Andrew Has Resigned

Mr. D. A. Andrew, who has been in charge of the Halton branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, has resigned from the service and will move to Wingham, where he will carry on as Supervisor in that district for the London Life Insurance Co. R. S. Duncan, Director of Agricultural Representatives Service, was in Milton last week and transferred the office to A. P. MacVannell, B. S. A., M. S., of Picton. Mr. MacVannell graduated from the O. A. C. in 1906, went to Madison, Wis., and took his M. S. degree. In September, 1907, he entered the Department's services in Lanark County, and in March, 1908, took over the office in Prince Edward County, where he has remained ever since. As all stockmen know, Prince Edward County was the first restricted area for bovine tuberculosis. Canning Crops and fruit growing are major projects in the County, therefore he should prove of great value to the various farming interests of Halton County.—Milton Champion.

Picnic Party Injured in Motor Smash-up

Returning from an outing in merry mood, 23 persons, mostly women and children, were tossed into a heap, two suffering injury, when a Hudson motor car crashed into the truck in which they were riding, at Britannia School, on the Centre Road, near Brampton, last Thursday evening at six o'clock. In the truck were 17 boys and girls, ranging in age from 13 to 16 years, and six adults. Two of the older members of the party and the driver of the motor car were injured. The party was returning home to Kimberly Village after a three-day holiday to Niagara Falls. They were members of the Sunday School of the Kimberly United Church, of which Mrs. Burritt was teacher. They had spent their time camping and seeing the sights at the Falls. Reaching Britannia School, which is four miles north of Kingsville, they decided to go into the grounds for tea. They had passed the school, backed down the road, and were making a turn over a culvert to go into the grounds when they were struck by the Hudson car, which was owned and driven by L. H. Morgan, of 368 Bunnyside Avenue, Toronto.

Baseball Games of the Past Week

Ladies' Team Defeated by Canada Cycle Team—Town League Games

After running up a string of four consecutive wins the Acton girls were on the short end of a 11 to 10 game which was played with the Canada "Cycles" of Weston, and who are in the Bunnyside League of Toronto, last Saturday afternoon. The game itself was one of the most exciting ever played in the Park, and with the bases filled twice in the ninth it looked as if the local girls would pull the game out of the fire, especially with hitters like Mary Chalmers and Isabell Cowie up, but the Cycle pitcher apparently knew her work, as she kept the ball high and close in order to keep the batters from hitting the ball out of the diamond.

The girls were more than pleased with the support of the fans who patronized their game, and although they agreed with the protests that were made by the fans regarding some of the decisions which were made by the base umpire; they are not using this as an excuse for losing the game, but are more interested in playing the game.

Not detracting from the splendid exhibition which the Cycles put up, we think that the result would have been different if our pitcher, Mary Chalmers, had not met with the accident to her hand in the first inning. Olive Precious, at third base, gave one of the best exhibitions of her work so far.

This Saturday the Kitchener Ladies will play a game with the Acton Ladies at 3.30 o'clock.

Two games were played in the Town League the past week. On Thursday evening it was a close decision between the Acton Tanning Co. and the Town, and was won by a score of 1-0 by the former team. On Saturday the town team again went down to defeat by just a narrow margin. Hewetson's won from them in an 8-7 victory. Both games were good exhibitions of the game. On Monday evening the Acton Tanning Co. won from Brampton, in Brampton, on Tuesday evening, by a 6-1 score. Last evening a team from Kitchener was defeated by the locals by a score of 12-11. Last Friday evening the Smith and Stone Softball Team, from Georgetown, defeated a local team by the score of 12-7.

The standing in the Town League is now as follows:

	Played	Won	Lost
Hewetsons	5	4	1
Acton Tanning Co.	4	3	1
Town	5	0	5

Acton and District

Out Again—In Again

The same day that he concluded a nine-month term in the Ontario Reformatory, H. A. Martin, of Acton, tendered a bad cheque for $200 to Daymond Motors, Guelph, in part payment for a motor car. He appeared in police court there on Tuesday and pleaded guilty to a charge of false pretenses.

School Fair Dates

Following is the list of Halton County's School Fairs and dates on which each will be held this year: Brookville, September 13; Esquesing Township, September 14; Hornby, September 17; Nelson Township, September 20; Trafalgar Township, September 24; Burlington, September 25 and 26; Palermo, September 27; Milton, September 28 and 29.

Illness of an Esteemed Resident

For several weeks Mrs. Pearson, Willow Street, widow of the late Reeve Pearson, has been seriously ill. For a week her case has been critical, and the advanced age of this worthy citizen is militating against her recovery. Mrs. Ena Johnson, her daughter, is here from Halifax, N. S., and Mr. Fred H. Smyth, son-in-law, of Toronto, was with her Tuesday and yesterday.

Beautiful Rose Bloom

Among the beautiful rose blooms about town, few surpass the beauty of the climbing rose that has adorned the south side of the Telephone Co. office and residence of Mr. Geo. Lantz. The rose is the "Seven Sisters" variety and the profuse bloom has been a source of much comment of citizens and passersby. Over three hundred blooms were counted on it and for two weeks it has been the admiration of all who have viewed it.

The Glorious Twelfth

The glorious twelfth was indeed favored with ideal weather for the annual Orange walk. About a hundred members of the order and Loyal True Blues Association journeyed by motor to participate in the celebration at Galt. They were accompanied by their fife and drum band. Prior to leaving for Galt the fife and drum band and the Ladies True Blue Lodge, with their new banner, paraded in Acton.

Excursion to Port Dalhousie

The employees of the Hewetson Shoe Factory here have arranged for an excursion to Port Dalhousie on Friday, July 27. It will combine a delightful trip by electric railway and steamers to this favorite beach. The electric cars will leave Acton at 5.45 a. m., and the return trip will be started at 6.00 p. m. The fare has been made very reasonable and is $2.30 for adults and $1.20 for children. The excursion is open to all citizens who care to join the party and tickets will be on sale by a picnic committee prior to the event.

A Successful Fishwoman

Mrs. George Edwards, with deserving pride, exhibited to her friends yesterday morning the finest catch of speckled trout that has been brought into Acton this season. About five o'clock Mrs. Edwards drove out to a favorite haunt of hers, within two miles of town, and in two hours, in counting the contents of her creel, found she had the full limit of twenty beauties, after returning to the stream quite a number which were under sized. Several professional men and other friends looked upon this catch with rather envious eyes, but managed to felicitate their congratulations to Mrs. Edwards upon her marked success.

New Crown Attorney for Peel

Mr. W. B. Morphy, Crown Attorney for Peel County, has resigned after a long term in that responsible office. Mr. A. G. Davis, a highly-esteemed young lawyer of Brampton, has been appointed to the vacancy. Mr. Davis is well-qualified for the position. He graduated from Osgoode Hall in 1916, and has since practiced in Brampton, first with Judge Justin, and since his elevation to the bench with Mr. Roy Lent. Mr. Davis is Secretary of the Peel Conservative Association. He is a son-in-law of Mr. A. W. Hewetson, of the Shoe Factory here, and a nephew of Mrs. McCleary. Mr. Morphy has spent a life time in the practice of law in Brampton, and enjoys the confidence of the community. His retirement from public life leaves a distinct gap in Brampton.

The Social

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

Mrs. John Record, of Guelph, visited Acton friends on Tuesday.

Miss Mamie Malnprice, of Toronto, is home for the holidays.

Miss Clara B. Lantz was home from Galt for the week-end.

Mr. Charles Symon, of Toronto, was home over the week-end.

Mr. Jordan Lawson, of Toronto, was here over the week-end.

Miss Jean Kennedy was home from Toronto over the week-end.

Mr. Heber Williams, of Toronto, is holidaying at his home here.

Mr. Jack Symon, of Toronto, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Margaret Brown, of Toronto, spent a couple of days with Acton friends.

Mrs. Jennie McDougall and Mr. Gordon, of Toronto, visited Acton friends.

Misses Janet and Grace Follett, of Toronto, visited with Laura and Marjorie Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hassard and children are on a motor camping trip for two weeks.

Messrs. B. G. and John Arnold motored to Gloversville, N. Y., this week on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Laverty, of Monck, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Allan G. C. Smith's on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy McPherson left to-day to spend holidays with friends at Toronto and Rochester, N. Y.

Master Bruce MacKay, of Toronto, is spending a few days at his grandparents', Mr. R. H. Wansbrough's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ryder and family have been in Campbellville during the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Smith, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McLean and Master Billy, of Chesley, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnstone.

Mrs. Cooney and children have returned from Toronto, after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. Wilson.

Messrs. George Mason and Arthur Lawson were at Gilwell Camp of the Boy Scouts at Paris over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Whale, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McPherson over the week-end.

Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D., visited his aged father at Norwich last Thursday. Postmaster Matthews accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and Alice, of Napanee, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Shorey, Lake Avenue.

Acton last an excellent family when Mrs. Prudence Cook; Mr. Frank and Miss Kathleen removed this week to Toronto.

Miss Margaret McDonald, of Kindersley, Alta., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Malnprize, Frederick Street.

Mr. Harold Wansbrough and Mrs. Gordon MacKay, of Toronto, spent Sunday, at their parents' home on Lake Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blazej, of New York City, are spending holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rumley.

Mrs. Oldham and Miss Dixon, of Brantford, were visitors during the week at Mr. P. Huggins', and Miss Huggins', eighth line.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Eakins and Master Tommy and Miss Dorothy Gunton, of Toronto, spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gamble's.

Mrs. Robert Watson and Masters Murray and Gordon Bleiby, of Niagara Falls, are spending a couple of months with Acton relatives.

Miss Margaret Grindell went to Ottawa last week and will spend her vacation with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Rosewarne, there.

Miss Thelma Craig visited Acton friends over the week-end. She had been in Toronto during the week reading examination papers.

Miss Helen Ostrander, who tried her Elementary Piano examinations at Guelph, passed with honors. Helen is a pupil of Mr. Leeson, of Guelph.

Mrs. C. H. Banks and Miss Dorothea, of Saskatoon, Sask., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Banks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey, Lake Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil McEachren and babe, of Waterloo, are spending the summer holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Barnes, Miss Florence and Masters Howard and Billy, of Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Landsborough.

Mr. Howard Graff has had to return to the hospital again, following his operation for appendicitis. His condition does not yet show any decided improvement.

Mr. John B. Cameron, of Gloversville, N. Y., was in town for a day or so last week. He had been attending the funeral of Mr. Stark, Esquesing, the father of Mrs. Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McLeod and Mr. Charles McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hall motored to Toronto on Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hall and family.

Mrs. R. D. Graham, of Winnipeg, Mr. and Mrs. Hutcheon, of Toronto, Mrs. H. Worden, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Worden, of Weston, called on Acton friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Moore left this morning on a motor trip to Muskoka and intend to spend a week at "Rockholm Cottage," Mortimer's Point, the summer home of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Moore.

Messrs. Fred Wright and Albert Mills and Misses Annie Collier, Nellie Anderson and Mary Chalmers are attending the Summer School at Knox College, Toronto, representing the different departments of Knox Church, Acton.

Postmaster J. C. Matthews, Mr. C. H. Harrison and family, Mrs. B. G. Arnold and Beverly, Mrs. Alice McPherson and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dills and family and Mrs. D. C. Russell and Miss Jessie spent a delightful motoring picnic at Killarney Beach on Lake Simcoe on Tuesday.

THE EVENING MEAL DIGESTER

A clergyman, who had given up his former position as a magistrate in order to enter the church, was conducting his first marriage service.

"Wilt thou have this man to be thy wedded husband?" he asked the bride.

The bride answered eagerly: "I will."

"And you," he continued, addressing the bridegroom, "what have you to say in your defence?"