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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., Daylight Saving Time—The Minister. Subject: "A Whole Gospel for a Whole World."

2.30 p. m., Daylight Saving Time—Sunday School. "Giving Up All for the Kingdom."

7.00 p. m., Daylight Saving Time—"A Barrel of Meal and a Cruse of Oil."

Monday, 8.00 p. m.—Young People's League. Social Evening.

Thursday, 7.30 p. m.—Praise and prayer service.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Presbyterian
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
Interim Moderator—Dr. A. J. MacGillivary
Manse—Willow Street

11.00 a. m., Daylight Saving—Rev. Dr. Kannawin.

2.00 p.—m.—Sunday School. "Lesson: "Giving Up All for the Kingdom."

7.00 p. m., Daylight Saving—Rev. Dr. Kannawin.

Monday 8.00 p. m.—Young People's Guild. Social Evening.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Acton Baptist Church
PASTOR—A. FORSYTH

11.00 a. m.—The Minister.
2.30 p. m.—Bible School.
7.00 p. m.—The Minister.

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G. Leslie Martin will hold a clearing Auction Sale of valuable Household Effects, including a new Quebec Range, with copper reservoir, at residence, on Victoria Avenue, Acton, on Saturday, May 3, at two o'clock. No reserve.
R. J. KERR, Auctioneer,
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PROCLAMATION!

RE DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

Whereas the adjoining Towns and Cities have decided to adopt Daylight Saving Time for the summer of 1930, notice is hereby given that the Council of the Corporation of Acton has decided by by-law to adopt Daylight Saving Time for Acton, commencing from Sunday, April 27, 1930, to Sunday, September 14, 1930, both dates inclusive. Citizens are requested to comply with this by-law and adopt this time from the dates specified.

A. MASON, Reeve.
Dated at Acton, April 15, 1930 42-2

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Pure Jam, Raspberry and Strawberry, 40 oz	40c	2 Ginger Snaps lbs. for	25c
Orange Marmalade 40 oz. for	29c	HONEY Glass Jar for	20c
Green Gage Plum Jam, 40 oz. for	35c	COMB HONEY for	30c

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2 DUTCH SETS lbs. for	29c	GARDEN PEAS per lb.	30c
2 MULTIPLIERS lbs. for	25c	WAX BEANS per lb.	30c
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Various News Items

Women's Institute Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at Mrs. Hugh McCutcheon's on Thursday, May 1, at 2.30 Daylight Saving Time. Everybody welcome.

Fire on Seventh Line

Through the chance that neighbors were setting out early for a motor trip, Mr. and Mrs. W. Honey, residents on the Provincial Highway No. 7, on the seventh line, just at the east of Silver Creek Hill, learned that their brooder house, containing 200 month-old chicks, was on fire, on Sunday morning. After much frantic work, all the chicks but three were saved. The fire was extinguished with small loss.

[illegible] Holds "Clean-up Week"

Burlington citizens' one chance in the year to have their garbage collected will occur this week. "Clean-up Week," commenced Monday, when town employees will gather up the accumulation of the winter and dispose of it. Thereafter townspeople will have to take care of their own rubbish. When the matter of the installation of an incinerator was mooted some time ago, the cost was found to be so great that the question was dropped.

Boy on Pony Narrowly Escapes

When a small Shetland pony he was riding was struck and killed by a motor car on York Road, Guelph, on Wednesday, George Barber, nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Ross Barber, of that city, narrowly escaped death. A dog, which darted out from the sidewalk, frightened the pony and it swerved into the path of an automobile. As the pony was knocked to the pavement, the boy was hurled over its head, falling just a few inches clear of the wheels of the car.

Dublin Old Boys and Girls

A meeting of the executive of the Dublin Old Boys' Association was held last week when committee chairmen were appointed and details arranged for the gathering of the old boys and girls from this school section on July 1. Teachers and former pupils from all over are sending in their names and signifying their intention of being present on this occasion. Programme, entertainment and accommodation plans are now well under way and special fectures for the visitors to participate in.

United Church Young People's League

The regular weekly meeting of the Young People's Society of the United Church was held on Monday evening. Miss M. Z. Bennett took charge of the meeting, and a very interesting programme was given. The devotional study was taken by Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D. A pretty Chinese motion song was given by LaVerne Smith, Jean Evans and Kathaleen Gibbons. The rest of the programme was a play entitled "The Blue Bowl." This was a missionary play showing the need of missionaries to China. The parts were ably taken by Misses Kitty Savage, Vida Ramshaw, Velma Blair, Marjory Gibson, Sabra Nelson, Marjory Switzer and Mrs. Bert Mowat.

Men's Club to Hold Meeting Next Wednesday

The closing meeting of the season of the United Church Men's Club will be held on Wednesday evening next, April 30, at 8 o'clock. The meeting will be one of unusual interest. The topics to be discussed will include the viewpoint of the church of a young man of 21; the apparent business depression; Amos 'n' Andy; radio in relation to church life; the Men's Club; what understanding a young man should have of the Bible; and Daylight Saving Time. Each discussion will be brief and led by a local notable. It will also be the annual election of officers and the lunch served after this meeting will be coffee, crackers and cheese. Cards to the membership carry the announcement in detail. This meeting is not an open one but is for the men only.

How They Do It in Acton England

The Acton, Eng., Gazette, refers to a method of illicit sale of liquor in that town, as follows: "The ingenious 'whiskey' merchant, with the broken-down van, who is 'looking out for lodgings,' visited Acton again last week. His method is to call at houses in search of furnished apartments. If he meets a trustful-looking would-be landlady, he casually mentions that he is a wine and spirit merchant, and that his van has broken down round the corner. In order to lighten it he is selling off a number of bottles of whiskey at nearly half prices. On this occasion he took lodgings in Burlington Gardens, saying that he would enter into possession next day, and sold his future 'landlady' a couple of his beautifully labelled bottles of 'whiskey' at 7s. 6d. each. As he did not come back next day the whiskey was sampled—found to consist of colored water! This would seem to be a very risky trick, but it has been carried on in this locality for several months." This reads much like the operations of the Forbes' when their "bootlegging" business was flourishing. Their enterprise was followed with fines up in the thousands of dollars, and eventually with terms in prison, reformatory and penitentiary.

The Powell-Carnochan Wedding at Grandview, Manitoba

A quiet wedding took place at the Parsonage, Grandview, Manitoba, on Wednesday, March 26, at two o'clock, when Miss Isabell Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Carnochan, of Halton district, was united in marriage to George Stanley Powell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William Forbes Powell, prominent farmer of Mountain Gap district. The bride was very prettily attired in a dress of white crepe back satin, with georgette trimmings, and wore a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. Miss Marion Grace Carnochan, sister of the bride, wore a dress of grotto blue crepe de chine and acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. Richard Fisher, cousin of the groom, was the groomsman. The happy young couple drove to the parental home of the bride, where luncheon was served. A reception was held in the evening at the Pleasant Valley Community Hall, of Halton, where about 200 guests, friends and acquaintances, gathered to spend the evening with the wedding party. Beautiful music was rendered by Clegg and Squance Bros. quartette, also Fisher Bros. quartette. Mrs. James Vagge sang "St. Mary's Wedding Bells"; also Mr. Arthur and Mr. Page sang "We will Build a Sweet Little Home Somewhere in the West." The happy couple received many beautiful presents and have the good wishes of their many friends. They will make their home in Roseridge district. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Jackson, of the United Church, Grandview.

—Did you get your announcement of the Gigantic Moving Sale at the Maple Leaf Economy Store.

The Easter Visitors and Personal Events

Of the Week in Acton and District as Gleaned by The Free Press

Mr. Angus Kennedy, of Galt, was home for Easter.

Miss Claire Garden is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. J. M. Warren was here from Toronto on Saturday.

Misses Joan and Anne Lindsay were home from Toronto.

Miss Frances Dills is visiting friends in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Alice McPherson visited friends in Elfrida the past week.

Mr. George Anderson, of Detroit, was home over the holiday.

Mr. Leonard Worden was home from Toronto for the holiday.

Miss Gladys Bearroft was home from the Normal School, Toronto.

Miss Emma Robinson spent the holidays with friends at Aurora.

Rev. A. O. Stewart, M. A., of Toronto, is visiting friends here to-day.

Miss Dorothy McPherson visited friends in Toronto over the week-end.

Miss Helen McDonald was home from Toronto University for Easter.

Miss Lucy Goldham, of Toronto, spent the holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hall and family spent the week-end at Goderich.

Miss Malmie Malmgrize was home from Toronto for the week-end.

Mr. Mac Symon and Miss Marguerite were in Toronto on Good Friday.

Miss Jessie Mowat, of London, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Wm. Robertson of Toronto, spent the week-end with Acton friends.

Mr. C. McLaughlin visited friends in Toronto over the Easter holidays.

Mr. Joseph Lynd, Buffalo, N. Y., visited relatives here during the holiday.

Miss Anne McDonald is home from Waterloo for the Easter holidays.

Mr. Jas. Milne and Ruby, of Belwood, visited friends in Acton this week.

Mr. David Tait, of Toronto, spent the Easter holidays at his home here.

Mr. Eugene McPherson, of Toronto, spent the week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Green visited friends in Toronto during the week.

Mrs. Mason, of Blyth, visited Mrs. (Dr.) Gray and Miss Gray this week.

Mrs. Henry Awrey, who had been ill recently, is now able to be about again.

Mr. Edward Ryder and Miss Marguerite were home from Hamilton for Easter.

Mr. Robert J. Lambert, of Highgate, called on friends in Acton on Saturday.

Miss Isabel Cowie was home from the University of Toronto for the holiday.

Miss Margaret Leeson, of Guelph, visited with Beth Harrison on Monday.

Masters Douglas and Kenneth Russell, of Oakville, are visiting Acton relatives.

Mr. J. Kivin Gamble, of Toronto University was home for the Easter week-end.

Miss Jean Bather is home from Manitoulin Island for the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Henry Bauer, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting friends in Acton for a few days.

Mr. George R. Poole, of Toronto, spent the Easter holidays at his home here.

Miss Helen Coxe, of Toronto University, spent Easter holidays at her home here.

Miss Wilma McMillan is spending the Easter holidays at her home at Rockside.

Miss M. E. Currie, of Bronte, visited her brother, Mr. A. C. Currie, here last week.

Miss Alice Hodgson, of Guelph, spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Jean Sayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gribben, of Toronto, spent the holiday with Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert and family spent Good Friday with Everton friends.

Miss Frances Hurst is home from Richard's Landing, for the Easter holidays.

Misses Jean and Vivian Wiggins, of Toronto, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brignall and children, of Toronto, were at Mr. James H. Reed's.

Miss Nellie E. Hall, of Toronto, is spending the Easter vacation at her home here.

Miss Margaret J. Macdonald, B. A., is spending the Easter holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Mack, of Everton, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Lambert over Easter.

Miss Delene Gibbons, of Toronto, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gibbons.

Miss Rae King is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Little York and Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Wansbrough, of Toronto, visited their parents here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCochnie of Gloversville, N. Y., were guests at Mr. George Roper's.

Miss Jean Kennedy, B. A. of Toronto University, spent the Easter holidays at her home here.

Miss Minnie Z. Bennett is in Toronto this week attending the Ontario Education Association.

Mr. Andrew Wiggins, of Barrie, spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Samuel Wiggins.

Mr. Thos. Perryman, of Toronto, spent Easter holidays here with his sisters, the Misses Perryman.

Miss Odbert, of the Public Scool staff, is spending the Easter vacation at her home in Stratford.

Misses Constance Stevens and Mary James spent the week-end at the Grahams, Eramosa.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and Miss Thompson of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunbar.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Brignall and family, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Near and children, of Toronto, spent the week-end at their parental homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Statham and Miss Lois, of London, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Thos. Statham.

Entered Into Rest

JOHN READHEAD, Burlington

The funeral took place Monday afternoon, from his residence at Appleby, of John Readhead, aged 70, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, on Friday. The services were conducted by Rev. H. W. Watts, of Appleby United Church, assisted by Rev. W. K. Allen, of Lowville. Interment was in Hamilton. Mr. Readhead had been a resident of Burlington for about ten years, prior to returning to the farm at Appleby, where he had lived for the last two or three years. Besides his widow, Mr. Readhead leaves his son, Ernest Readhead, Deputy Reeve of Nelson Township.

LACHLIN D. CURRIE, Ospringe

The passing of Lachlin D. Currie, of Ospringe, on April 15, removes another of the few remaining members of the pioneer families. His father, Alexander Currie, bought the Currie homestead from the Crown in 1845. In 1847 he brought to it his bride, Ann McCampell McDougall. Both were natives of Islay, Argyleshire, Scotland. Lachlin D. was born on July 1, 1849. As a young man he assisted his father to clear the forest and experienced much of the pleasures and privations of pioneer life in Wellington. Three members of the family of eight, remain: Mrs. Sarah MacMillan, of Erin; Miss Eleanor, of Calgary, Alberta; and James A., of Byron, Michigan. About six years ago his wife, Catharine, who was a daughter of the late Hugh McMillan and Margaret McLean, predeceased him. Mr. Currie spent his declining years on the farm of his birth, where he was cared for by his children, Ada B. and A. Errett. The funeral was held on Friday, the 18th, and was very largely attended. Officiating ministers were Mr. Beecher Parkhouse, of Fergus; Mr. Barker, of Everton Church of Christ, and Dr. W. C. McDougall, of Toronto. The service was held at his late residence. The pallbearers were, Messrs. Ernie Millar, Frank and Wesley Leitch, Russel Martin, Chas. Scanlon and Oscar Locker. Interment was at Everton. Mr. Currie had been in failing health during the past two years. He spoke fluently the language of the Highlands.

Miss Barbour, of the Acton Public School staff, is spending the holidays at her home in Hillsburg.

Misses Jessie Mowat, B. A., and Marie Mowat, B. A., are home from Toronto for the Easter vacation.

Mr. Burton Wiggins and Mrs. Weldon Minsky, of Port Colborne, spent the week-end with Acton relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ramshaw, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibbons during the week.

Mrs. Hubert Smith and Miss Beatrice, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason.

Mrs. Robert Bennett and Miss Minnie Z. Bennett spent Sunday at Erindale with Mr. and Mrs. Conover.

Miss Frances Kenney was the guest for the Easter week-end with Miss Annabelle Thomson, in Toronto.

Mr. Melvin Bron, who has been holidaying at his home here, has returned to his position in Hamilton.

Miss Conway, of Toronto, is spending the Easter vacation with her father, Mr. C. A. Conway, Church Street.

Mr. John Kenney was taken ill last week and removed to St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, for treatment.

Mrs. R. P. Johnstone, Miss Doris and Master Billy, of London, spent Easter holidays with Acton relatives.

Dr. W. G. C. Kenney, of the Toronto General Hospital staff, was at the parental home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Murray and Miss Velma spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Moffat, Richmond Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hynds and Helen and June of Windsor, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Garden.

Mr. R. D. Warren, of Toronto, visited Acton friends on Thursday and made THE FREE PRESS a pleasant call.

Mrs. C. Tait, Mr. Archie, Miss Isabel, and Miss Dilla Coxe spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson attended the funeral, at Breton, last Friday, of Mr. Wilson's aunt, Mrs. Silas Auer.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmslie and babe spent Easter with the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCutcheon, of Brampton.

Mrs. A. C. Stewart, Mac, Kathrine and Grace, of Toronto, have been spending Easter holidays with Acton friends.

Mrs. J. L. Warren and Mr. Fred Warren and Miss Hilda Palmer, of Toronto, visited Acton friends over the holiday.

Miss Bertha Brown, of Toronto, was the guest of her sister, Miss Fern Brown, Deputy Postmistress, for the holidays.

Miss Ruth Gibson who had her tonsils removed at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, is now convalescing at her home here.

Misses Helen Hallman and Lillian Brown, of Kitchener, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson last week.

Mrs. Wm. Robertson was in Wingham over the week-end, and while there she attended the funeral of her uncle, R. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G Black, Mary and Doris, and Mrs. Jennie Matthews, of Toronto, called on Acton friends on Good Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. LePage, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry LePage and children, of Toronto, visited at Moorecroft on Good Friday.

Messrs. George Bishop, Gordon Currie and Ted Clifford visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Graham, over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown, of Toronto, called at the parental home on their way to and from Kitchener, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Loyns, of Toronto, spent Easter at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson.

Mr. Harold Wansbrough and Miss Kathleen Craddock, of Toronto, spent Good Friday with Mrs. Emma Wansbrough, here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson and Miss Mary Shults, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kennedy.

Mrs. G. H. Brown spent last week with friends in Toronto. Mr. Brown spent the holidays in Toronto, both returning home on Sunday.

Misses Marion and Myrtle Newman and Mr. Hall, of Kitchener, spent Good Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson.

Mr. P. A. Smith is in Grace Hospital, Toronto, this week for treatment. Friends here hope he may have a speedy return to good health again.

Hydro Has Surplus of $4,639.38 on Year

High Voltage Line to be Removed from Main and Church Streets in Town

At the Public Utilities meeting on Tuesday evening, Commissioner King and Chairman H. J. Kerr were present.

The Secretary was ordered to pay the following accounts:

Bell Telephone Co., services	$ 6.35
Hydro-Electric Power Commission, power, etc.	1,871.64
Robbins & Myers Co., repairs	6.53
Rose & O'Hearn, Ltd., supplies	61.02
C. N. R. and Brown's Transport, express	1.02
J. C. Matthews, P. O. box rent	3.00
	$1,948.56

Moved by R. J. Kerr, seconded by L. C. King, that the Secretary be instructed to transfer to the Corporation account from the Waterworks Department, $1,000.—Carried.

A letter from the Provincial Hydro Department outlined their proposal for reconstructing their lines now going through Acton. It is proposed to run the power line in Acton from Main Street to the power station and along the north side of Corporation Pond and across private property to the third line. This will do away with the 13,000 volt line now running through Acton on Main and Church Streets and eliminate the hazard of having this high power line on residential streets.

The Superintendent was instructed to secure the necessary supply of line wire to complete work of the year.

The trial balance sheet of Acton for the year was received from the Provincial Department. It showed a net profit of $4,639.38 on the operations of the local plant. Other interesting items from this balance sheet are: Total plant value, $52,503.61; equity in Hydro System, $19,754.00; a total value of $72,346.70; power purchased last year, $17,654.60; total operating expenditures were $32,047.86; total reserves are $20,436.63. Revenues were derived as follows: Domestic light, $9,719.56; commercial light, $3,157.19; commercial power, $13,483.50; municipal power, $671.01; street lighting, $1,736.25; miscellaneous revenue, $88.64. Total revenue was $27,856.24; and total expenses $23,216.86; leaving a net profit of $4,639.38

BASEBALL CLUB OFFICERS

Elected at Meeting of the Local Club Here on Monday Evening

At a very representative meeting of those interested in baseball in Acton, the officers of the local club were elected on Monday night in that branch of the Acton Amateur Athletic Club. Mr. J. M. McDonald presided in the absence of President G. T. Readmore, and Mr. Grenville Masales was secretary of the meeting. Officers were elected as follows:

President—J. M. McDonald.
Secretary-Treasurer—H. Chew.
Executive Committee—P. McIntosh, C. Leishman, C. Reilly and N. H. Garden.
Manager—Dr. P. W. Pearen.

A committee comprising Messrs. M. Tyler, R. Salmon, G. Masales, H. Chew and Lloyd Masales, was appointed to arrange for a dance in aid of funds for the club.

Mr. Harry Chew, who had attended the meeting in Oakville, when arrangements for the Halton League had been made, gave a report of the meeting. The schedule and umpires were to be the same as that drawn up for last year. At the conclusion of the schedule a series of games for a cup were expected to be arranged, similar to the Harris Cup in hockey. Another meeting of the League will be held in Georgetown before the season opens on May 17, when matters and rulings in connection with the League will be gone into. The Executive were to appoint delegates to this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McLean and Master Billy, of Chesley, spent Easter at the home of her parents Mr., and Mrs. Wm. Johnstone.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Landsborough and Misses Vera and Jean, of Guelph, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Landsborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Statham and Messrs. Stanley and Gordon Statham, of Brantford, visited at the home of Mrs. Thos. Statham on Sunday.

Miss Thelma Craig, B. A., of the Mail and Empire staff, Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Brown and other friends in town.

City Engineer H. B. Nicklin, Mrs. Nicklin and Mary, Miss Kinaman, and Betty Black, of Guelph, spent Good Friday with Mrs. A. E. Nicklin.

Miss Muriel MacKay, of Toronto, Mr. George and Roy Day of Rockwood, spent the week-end with their grandmother, Mrs. Wansbrough, Lake Avenue.

Mrs. Eleanor Duncan and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Duncan and family, of Toronto, visited on Good Friday with Councillor and Mrs. C. H. Harrison.

Rev. P. A. Sawyer, rector of St. Alban's Church, was one of the pallbearers at the funeral of Venerable Archdeacon Davidson, of Regina, at Guelph, on Saturday.

Misses Marguerite and Violet Leavens, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., Messrs. Richard and Ed. Leavens and Mr. D. Armstrong, of Welland, visited Acton friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McCrystal and babe and Mr. and Mrs. James Backwell, of Oshawa, spent the week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kelly.

Mrs. George Warner, Mrs. H. Noble, Mrs. Wm. Snyder, of Toronto, and Mrs. R. P. Johnstone, of London, visited their mother, Mrs. Arch. McPherson, over the holiday.

Miss Clara B. Lantz, Galt, Mr. H. E. Butcliffe and Mr. L. V. Bragg, Detroit, were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. G. H. Lantz.

Mrs. Lucy Ross, of Vancouver, B. C., and Miss Ross, who is attending the Toronto University in post graduate work, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Kennedy.

Messrs. P. L. Wright and G. A. Dills attended the monthly luncheon of the C. L. U., of Guelph district, in Guelph, yesterday. Mr. Dunstall, of Toronto, was the guest speaker.

Mrs. Wm. Smith has undergone a rather serious operation at the Lockwood Clinic, in Toronto. Friends will be pleased to know that she is now making favorable progress toward recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hamlin, Mr. Howard Hamlin and Miss Hawkes, of Toronto, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnston over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Overholt spent the week-end at Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McLaren, Erin, announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Winnifred, to Mr. William M. Hutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hutton, Hillsburg, the marriage to take place quietly early in May.

General Interest News

At St. Alban's Church on Sunday

Services in St. Alban's Church will be Sunday School at 10.00 a. m.; Matins at 11.00 a. m., and Evensong at 7.00 p. m, all services on Daylight Saving Time. The special preacher at the evening service will be Rev. Dr. R. A. Hiltz, General Secretary of the General Board of Religious Education.

9,513 Beans in the Jar

The guessing contest, conducted by Harold Wiles the past few weeks, was won by Mr. J. A. M. Maude, of Guelph. He carried home the big Easter egg that was the prize awarded for registering the nearest guess of the number of beans in a jar exhibited in the window. His guess was 9,400, and there were actually 9,513 beans in the container.

Halton Road Costs

The estimated expenditures on county roads in Halton this year, not including Brant Street, are about $55,000, according to the report of the Good Roads Committee, presented to a meeting of the County Council in Milton on Tuesday. Cost of road-making machinery will be $5,200, which was included in the total estimates.

Successful in Conducting New York Institution

The Geneva, N. Y., Daily Times, in a recent issue, gave a view of the architects' drawing of a new $360,000 addition to the hospital there that will be built this summer, and for which the funds have already been subscribed. It also gave a financial report of the hospital, showing that the past year was the first which had shown the hospital operated at a profit. Two Canadian nurses from this vicinity are in charge of this institution, Miss E. Lidhardt, of Guelph, is superintendent in charge; and Miss Mary K. Macpherson, of Acton, is Superintendent of the Nurses Training School. Both are graduates of Guelph General Hospital.

Klan Leader Starts Jail Sentence

William A. Phillips, Hamilton chiropractor, sentenced to three months in the Halton County jail at Milton, for his part in the Ku Klux Klan demonstration at Oakville a few weeks ago, was taken to the jail there yesterday afternoon by Chief Constable Kerr, of Oakville. Shortly after the prison doors had closed behind Phillips he donned prison garb and was set to begin his term. He said he was pleased to do it for the good of the cause. Phillips is now one of 10 prisoners in the jail, five of whom are scheduled to leave shortly for terms in the Ontario Reformatory, and he is to be treated the same as any ordinary prisoner. He is just as likely to be ordered to wash windows, scrub the floors, work in the garden and cut the grass in the park as any of the other inmates. Phillips was quite cheerful when he entered the jail and indications are that Governor McGibbon will have at least one model prisoner for the next three months.

Planned to Escape at County Jail

Well-prepared plans, made by two prisoners, to escape from Halton County jail at Milton Monday night, were discovered on Monday, according to Provincial High Constable Cookman. Suspecting that a jail delivery was about to be attempted, Arthur Mayes, turnkey, reported his suspicions to Provincial Constable Cookman, who says he found that four bars in the cell occupied by Stanley Lawrence, aged 23, of Hamilton, had been sawn off, and that the missing bars, with three others sawn from the cell occupied by Ray Copperthwaite, aged 18, of Campbellford, had been hidden in the bathroom, as were also two saws and a file. The officer says he also discovered a rope made from a blanket in Lawrence's cell. The ropes holding the two iron weights on the sides of a window were cut, and an attempt made to saw the new iron bars on the window, according to the authorities. How the prisoners came into the possession of the saws is a mystery.

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION

Of the Ministrations of Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D., Pastor of the United Church

At the regular quarterly meeting of the Official Board of the United Church, Acton, on Tuesday evening, the following resolution was carried by a unanimous standing vote:

Resolved that this Official Board of the United Church of Canada, Acton, has much pleasure in placing upon record its appreciation of the ministerial and pastoral services of our pastor, Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D., during the past year.

His sermons have invariably been helpful and interesting expositions of the scriptures, and have been calculated to inspire thoughtful and prayerful meditation on the part of the hearers generally, and to induce decision for Christ and a deeper interest in spiritual things.

Mr. Poole has always been alert in visiting the homes and the hospitals when members of the congregation have been ill, and he had been apprised of the fact. His systematic visitation of all the members of the congregation, at regular intervals, has been enjoyed. His faithful work in the Sunday School and in the Young People's League have been fruitful and successful.

We are all very glad that Mr. Poole has so fully recovered from his recent aggravated illness.

The Board has much pleasure in referring to the satisfactory character of his ministry among us and we cordially hope that he will continue his pastoral work among us during the year upon which we are soon to enter.

We desire further to say the gifts and graces of Mrs. Poole, so freely bestowed in the activities of our church are also highly appreciated by us all.

Rev. Mr. Poole replied to the resolution in very feeling and appreciative terms. He said he enjoyed his work in the church in Acton and would give his very best to the church and its activities as in the past. He looked forward with strong hopes for success and uplift from the campaign of visitation evangelism now being arranged for by the members of the session in visiting all the members of the congregation in the near future.

THE EVENING MEAL DIGESTER

Marl L. Requa, noted mining engineer, was discussing at Colorado Springs a law suit that one foreign oil company had brought against another.

"Both companies have such bad records," he said, "this fight of theirs reminds me of a poker story.

"A tenderfoot, so the story runs, laid down four aces and won the pot, but Two-finger Tulliver levelled a revolver at his head and said reproachfully:

"'Yer Jesse ain't on the level, stranger. That ain't the hand I dealt you.'"

—Gigantic Moving Sale at Maple Leaf Economy Store commences on Friday.