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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.
12.00 noon, Daylight Saving Time—Sunday School. The Lesson: "Contrast Between Faithfulness and Unfaithfulness."
7.00 p. m., Daylight Saving Time—The Minister.
Thursday, 7.30 p. m.—Praise and Prayer Service.

EVERYBODY WELCOME

Presbyterian
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
REV. H. L. BENNIE, M. A., Minister
Manse—Willow Street

10.00 a. m., Daylight Saving Time—Sunday School. The Lesson: "Contrast Between Faithfulness and Unfaithfulness."
11.00 a. m. and 7.00 p. m.—Public Worship
Note—For next Sunday the evening service is on Standard Time.

"ALWAYS WELCOME"

Acton Baptist Church
REV. MR. HAMILTON, Pastor

11.00 a. m.—Morning Service.
12.15 p. m.—Sunday School.
7.00 p. m.—Evening Service.
Monday, 4:30 p. m.—Junior B. Y. P. U.
8.00 p. m.—Senior B. Y. P. U. and Prayer Meeting.

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Have been made in the wholesale markets, where the backward Spring has forced manufacturers to sacrifice merchandise at astonishingly low prices. In fact, much of the apparel in this sale will be offered at less than maker's cost.

Clearance Time, Too
Has come for many lines of seasonable merchandise, and in Macdonald's forceful way, these lines will be cleared at drastically reduced prices. These low prices will prompt speedy buying, so come early.

Here's a List of Some of the Many Wonderful Bargains Offered in This Sale—There Are Hundreds of Others:

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Cannon Towels, regular 25c, .. 10c
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Variety of News

Senior I. O. D. E. Meeting
The monthly meeting of the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I. O. D. E. will be held at the home of Mrs. R. Hearhope, Georgetown, on Wednesday, June 4, at three o'clock.

Catching Trout With Nets
On Saturday afternoon three young Italians came before Magistrate Moore charged with catching trout by means of nets, in a stream in Nassagaweya, near the brick works. They each pleaded guilty and were fined $10.00 and costs.

Band Concert Sunday Evening
Acton Citizens' band have arranged for a concert to be given in the Park on Sunday evening next at 8.15 p. m. The concert for last one was very unsatisfactory and it was consequently postponed. However, if the weather on Sunday evening is not favorable for an outdoor concert, it is planned to give the programme in either the new Arena or the Town Hall.

"Summer in Acton, Ontario".
"Acton, Ontario, following the example of other towns and cities in the neighborhood, has decided to adopt 'summer time.' Comments in THE ACTON FREE PRESS, which is favorable to the change, reveals the fact that there are differences of opinion in Canada as to the advantage of long light evenings, and that agricultural workers generally adhere to standard time. The supposed difficulties mentioned have long been forgotten in the home country." — Acton, England Gazette.

Empire Day at Lorne School
Friday, May 23, was celebrated at Lorne School by a patriotic programme. Police Magistrate H. P. Moore gave a splendid address. He explained how the name "Lorne," had been chosen for the school. The Marquis of Lorne was Governor-General of Canada when the school was founded, in 1882. Mr. Moore also spoke of the privileges and duties of those belonging to the British Empire. His address was very inspiring to the pupils and the friends present. Choruses, recitations and a flag drill were the pupils' contributions to the programme. The meeting closed with the singing of "God Save the King."

Lad's Experiment Causes Explosion
Rays of sunlight concentrated by a magnifying glass in the hands of an inquiring boy on a window full of fireworks in Mrs. Bartlett's store, Waterloo Avenue, Guelph, caused a big commotion in that section Friday afternoon. The window blew out, the fireworks exploded, and an impromptu Empire Day celebration was in the making when the firemen arrived and put out the blaze with chemicals. When the police put in an appearance the boy came forward and admitted responsibility for the occurrence, stating that he had not anticipated such alarming results. Police have not yet decided what action to take in the matter.

A Costly Sunday Night Party
On Sunday night, April 13, Antonio Casserin had a party at his house at Christie's kilns, which proved rather expensive. There were about twenty guests present. About ten o'clock Provincial Officer Cookman and Inspector Thompson dropped in. There was quite a scattering of the guests and the host and hostess. A young woman from Milton was seen crawling under a bed. The officers found Mrs. Casserin filling glasses with beer from a pitcher. They counted 60 empty quart bottles on the floor at her feet and 19 full ones on the table, where she was filling glasses. On Monday of this week a charge was heard against Casserin for violation of the Liquor Control Act. He was convicted and fined $100.00 and costs or three months in jail. He paid the fine and costs.

The Firecracker Nuisance and Danger
It is quite a number of years since the by-law forbidding the sale of firecrackers, and exploding them on the streets of Acton, was treated with such impunity as was the case last Saturday—the Twenty-fourth. In all parts of the town these dangerous articles were fired without regard to their prohibition, without let or hindrance. Acton Council, years ago, with a view to the safety of property and person—in their wisdom—enacted this by-law and it has been a gratifying success. The need of such a provision is clearly seen when the reports of fires and accidents were read on Monday morning. Children maimed for life, and in one or two cases fatally injured; buildings burned or seriously damaged; horses frightened and runaway, causing serious damage; little children scared by reckless throwing of firecrackers. Means must be taken hereafter to see that this by-law is enforced in town.

Highway Accidents at Rockwood
Three motor cars were damaged and one man was injured in week-end accidents on the highway, near Rockwood. A. Redle, of Brampton, sustained internal injuries when the automobile in which he was riding struck a car parked on the road. Mr. Redle was hurled from the back seat against the windshield, striking his body against the rear of the front seat. The windshield glass was unbroken. The parked car was owned by William Derrie, of Toronto. Two automobiles, owned by Garfield McPadden, of Acton, and Mrs. McKinney, of Toronto, climbed the front porch of Saunders' bakery in Rockwood shortly after a collision Saturday. According to Highway Traffic Officer Hand, both cars skidded after the collision, and swung around on to the veranda of the store, causing considerable damage to the machines.

Musical Festival Officers
A meeting of the County Musical Festival Association was held at Milton yesterday afternoon in the Public School there. The representatives from Acton were Mrs. G. R. Agnew and Trustee Mrs. H. B. Wilson. A very creditable balance of approximately $140 was reported on hand by the treasurer. Officers elected for the ensuing year were:
President—Mr. John Wilson, Jr., Oakville.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. G. R. Agnew, Acton.
2nd Vice-President — Mrs. Denison, Georgetown.
Secretary—Miss Hume, Milton.
Assistant Secretary — Mrs. Hartley, Milton.
Treasurer—Mr. Cook, Milton.
The Board of Directors will be composed of a representative from each School Board of the schools participating in the Festival. Mrs. M. N. Moore, Acton, Mrs. Russell, of Toronto, and Miss Harrison, of Georgetown, were appointed a committee to select music for the next Festival. The next meeting of the committee will be held in November, when all organizations interested in music are requested to send a representative. The Association was tendered a dainty and bounteous luncheon by the Home and School Club, of Milton, at the meeting.

The Community's Social Side of Life

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

Mr. Alex. Mann spent the holiday with friends at Owen Sound.

Mr. Ted Clifford spent the week-end with friends at Iroquois.

Mr. Eugene McPherson was home from Toronto on the week-end.

Miss Helen Hynds, of Windsor, visited Acton relatives this week.

Mr. Walter Quinn, of Toronto, visited friends in Acton this week.

Mr. Kenneth Currie, of Kitchener, was a visitor with Acton friends.

Mr. Lorne Hewitt, of Stratford, visited Acton friends on the holiday.

Mr. J. Rintoul, of Toronto, visited with Acton friends on the holiday.

Mr. Angus Kennedy, of Galt, spent Sunday with the home folks.

Miss Kathleen Gould, of Toronto, spent the holiday with Acton friends.

Miss Lucy Goldham, of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. David Tait, of Toronto, spent the holiday week-end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Bhorey spent the holidays with friends at Napanee.

Dr. Elmer Henderson, of Aurora, spent the holiday at the parental home here.

Mr. Stanley Markle, of Toronto, was home for the week-end and holiday.

Miss Lettie Scott, of Kitchener, was with friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Murtin, of Toronto, visited Acton relatives over the week-end.

Mr. Carlos Williams, of Hault Ste. Marie, visited the parental home this week.

Mrs. (Dr.) J. M. Bell, of Toronto, visited Acton relatives and friends this week.

Mrs. G. T. Beardmore attended the annual school games at Appleby School last week.

Miss C. Stevens, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Graham over the week-end.

Miss Ross, of Toronto, was the guest of Mrs. Speight and Miss Bertie over the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chapman and children visited friends in Paris over the holiday.

Mr. William Coleman, of Hespeler, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Murray.

Mrs. Charles Bailey, of Guelph, who was reported seriously ill last week, is now improving.

Messrs. J. Prentias and William and Gordon Babcock visited in Bracebridge over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Henderson, of Toronto, were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. Coles.

Mrs. Prudence Cook and Mr. Frank Cook, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Acton friends.

Misses Grace Skilling and Doris Mason, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the former's home here.

Miss Jean Lindsay visited the parental home over the week-end, returning to Toronto on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McCaig, of Toronto, visited with Mrs. Wm. Leishman and other Acton relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lloyd, of Toronto, spent Sunday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Medcalf, of St. Thomas, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. P. E. McCleary.

Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. A. M. Sterling, of Toronto, visited Acton relatives and friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown, of Kitchener, spent the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Agnew and Master Vernon visited friends in Toronto and Cookstown over the week-end.

Mrs. G. P. Dutchburn and son, Leslie, of Paris, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. King.

Mr. Harold Wansbrough, of Toronto, spent the holiday with his mother, Mrs. E. A. Wansbrough, Lake Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Pasken, of Nichol, were guests at Moorecroft on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cripps, of Kitchener, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gibbons.

Mrs. Jos. Thompson and daughter, Miss Margaret, spent the week-end with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gibbons and Mr. and Mrs. A. Irvine, of Toronto, spent the holiday at the home of Mr. Gibbons' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman and children, of Toronto, spent the holiday at the parental home with Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman.

Messrs. A. T. Brown and Ernest Coles attended the convention and banquet of radio dealers at the Royal York, Toronto, on Monday.

Mr. Gordon Doble, of Toronto, and Mr. Jas. Doble, of the C. N. R. staff here, spent the holiday at the parental home in Wingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon MacKay and family, of Toronto, spent Sunday here with Mrs. MacKay's mother, Mrs. E. A. Wansbrough.

Miss Audrey Massales, Miss Margaret and Master Billy Garvin, of Toronto, spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Robert Garvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. F. Terry, of Brantford, visited at the home of Mrs. Robt. Bennett and Miss Minnie E. Bennett on Sunday.

General sympathy is felt for Mrs. (Rev.) C. L. Poole in the death in Toronto, under such tragic circumstances, of her nephew, Charles Adams.

Messrs. C. Pollett, F. Blazey, and N. Lonsa, of Toronto, spent the week-end camping in Angus McDonald's bush. A very pleasant week-end was enjoyed by the trio.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lindsay and Isabel and Mr. Aubrey Gervais motored to Iroquois for the holiday. Mrs. Lindsay and Isabel will spend a few weeks' holidays there.

BASEBALL

Performances of Local Nine, HALTON LEAGUE

The first home fixture in Acton's baseball season of 1930 was played in the Park on Saturday. Once again the home nine were victorious, and defeated Oakville by a score of 8-3. The scoring was rather scattered and all the runs were confined to three innings.

The opening ceremonies were auspiciously carried out and the season locally was started off when Eddie Hyder connected with one of Reeve Mason's twisters, and relieved Gunner Gould from being the catcher for more than one of the jumping curves of the Reeve's. The Hand was not present, as had been anticipated for this opening game, but a good crowd was on hand to cheer the boys on.

It was in the fourth innings that Acton let loose in the scoring column. The bases were loaded almost the entire innings, and with four runs scored in that frame the sacks were still all occupied when the third man went out. The Oakville catcher forgot his baseball and pilfered a few loose runs that accounted for some of the tallies, but the locals did some timely hitting that was a more effective bombardment. In the sixth Chalmers seemed to slip a little bit and Oakville got in three runs that were aided by some loose fielding on Acton's part.

In the eighth innings Acton came back and just for good measure put in another four tallies and Chalmers held the lakefront boys scoreless. The locals are all hitting well, and in this game registered eight hits to Oakville's three. The game had its thrills and some snappy plays, Walters, at shortstop, making a nice double, and Waterhouse making a fine fielding of a long drive, and catching his man out at third. Chalmers went the whole nine innings and for only one innings weakened. The story is best told in the following box score and summary:

OAKVILLE

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Johnson, ss	4	0	0	2	2	3
Lyons, c	4	0	1	6	1	0
Jinks, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Fletcher, lf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Green, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Wilson, 3b	2	1	0	2	0	0
Hoslin, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Pelan, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
D. Wilson, cf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hall, p	3	0	0	2	5	0
Richardson, p	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	33	3	4	24	9	4

ACTON

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Waterhouse, cf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Massales, lf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Holloway, 1b	3	1	1	11	0	0
Pearen, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	4
Walters, ss	5	2	2	2	4	1
Gibbons, c	3	2	0	0	0	0
Chew, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	2
Tyler, rf	3	1	0	0	0	0
Chalmers, p	3	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	34	8	8	27	10	7

Summary—Stolen bases, Walters, Chew, Tyler 2, Johnson; 2 base hits, Lyon, Hoslin; struck out, by Chalmers 7; by Hall 5, Walks, off Chalmers 2; off Hall 3; off Richardson 2. Hit by pitcher, by Chalmers, Hoslin, O. Wilson; by Richardson, Pearen. Left on bases, Acton 6; Oakville 7; double plays, Walters to Pearen to Holloway; Walters to Holloway; Chew to Holloway.

Umpire—Birk, of Hamilton.

The score:

		R.	H.	E
Oakville	000 003 000	3	4	4
Acton	000 400 04*	8	8	7

In the other games in the League, Milton defeated Bronte by 14-3, and Georgetown won from Burlington.

The games on Saturday are: Acton at Milton; Georgetown at Oakville; and Bronte at Burlington. The complete schedule for the season will be found on Page Five of this issue.

LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Acton	2	0	1.000
Georgetown	2	0	1.000
Milton	2	0	1.000
Burlington	0	2	.000
Bronte	0	2	.000
Oakville	0	2	.000

ACTON MEETS DEFEAT
The Acton nine came out on the tail-end of a 6-2 score in a slow and uninteresting ball game, with the Guelph Whippets. The weather was miserable, both for players and spectators, and the boys did not feel like playing ball. Barker was on the mound for Acton, and Anderson was the catcher. This is the first game in which this battery has worked this year. From the play it could be seen the locals did not care whether they won or lost, and several new positions were tried out. Walter played first base for the last innings and Tyler was on second. The Whippets played a good game. There was a home run scored when Leishman, who was playing right field, missed a fly, then could not find the ball, and by the time it reached the infield the runner had crossed the home plate. With practice Barker will prove effective on the mound, and will come in handy as a spare twirler. The boys travel to Milton on Saturday for their next game. Fill up the family car and come and cheer the boys to victory.

Rev. C. L. Poole, B. D., Messrs. N. P. Moore and H. P. Moore, P. M., are attending the annual session of Hamilton Conference of the United Church at Galt, this week.

Mrs. Charlotte MacDonald and Miss Corinne, Miss Winnie Loftus and Mr. Gordon Johnston, of Hamilton, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Vincent.

Mr. Peter A. Smith, who has been ill for some weeks, is gradually improving. With the coming of the fine weather friends will be glad to greet him about town again and wish him a speedy return to good health.

Rev. and Mrs. K. McLean, of Georgetown, and Mrs. Angus McDonald, of Dolly Varden, motored to Guelph General Hospital last week to see Mrs. W. J. Hall, who is improving nicely and hopes to soon be home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Brignall and children, of Toronto, spent the week-end and holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed. On the holiday a pleasant motor trip was taken by the party to Shelburne, Mount Forest and Arthur.

Mr. Frank Day, Rockwood postmaster, expects to leave for England on Thursday, May 29. We hope he will visit his parents, brothers and sisters and other friends. He expects to be away about three months and we all wish him a very pleasant trip.

Judge H. P. Moore, of Acton, was an interested spectator at this morning's local Police Court proceedings, when a large docket of cases was dealt with. While court was in progress he occupied a seat by Magistrate Watt on the bench.—Guelph Mercury.

Council to Discuss Perpetual Care Plans

No Appeals Against Assessment—Dog By-law to be Enforced—Church Street to be Repaired

At the fortnightly session of the Council on Tuesday evening Councillors Hansen, Thetford, and Dr. E. J. Nelson were present and Reeve Mason presided.

The eleventh report of the Finance Committee recommended that the following accounts be paid:

H. P. Moore, sharpening mowers	$1.50
T. H. Weange, labor in Cemetery	5.00
	$6.50

The report was adopted and the Council commented very favorably on the small number of accounts it contained.

Mr. Leslie Gregory was present to discuss with the Council means of securing improvements at the theatre here and the installation of "talkies." The Council expressed their willingness to do anything in their power, but the limitations were very strict.

Improvements, changes and perpetual care at Fairview Cemetery came in for a very thorough discussion. It was decided to hold a special meeting of the Council on Wednesday of next week to discuss a perpetual care plan with an expert in this work. The Clerk was requested to ask the Women's Institute to defer work on the gates for the present until these items were settled definitely.

Mr. Thetford reported that Mr. Ramshaw was willing to give 175 yards of gravel from his pit for work on Queen Street.

Council opened as a Court of Revision, with no appeals against the assessment.

Moved by Dr. E. J. Nelson, seconded by C. Hansen, that there being no complaints received the Assessment Roll for 1930, as prepared by the Assessor and presented by the Clerk, be confirmed by the Court of Revision.—Carried.

A resolution was passed by the Council requesting that Church Street be designated as a street to place the county road grant work on, as the connecting links were all in good condition, and as this was a street joining a connection link. The Clerk was instructed to write the Department of Highways requesting that permission for this be granted.

Tree trimming was requested on Young Street, near Arthur Street, and the Chief was asked to attend to this matter.

The dog by-law, which has proved such a contention measure, was discussed fully. It was the decision of the Council to have the dog by-law rigidly enforced, as the law now stands, and the Chief was so instructed.

The public lavatory on Main Street, which had been ordered removed, was still in place. The Chief was instructed to arrange for carrying out the wishes of the Council in this connection, and the removal of this building was agreed upon following a telephone conversation that evening.

Mr. J. Nicol had plans for providing granite pillars at the entrance to Fairview Cemetery, instead of the built-up pillars, as originally planned. The Council expressed their approval of the granite pillars, instead of the one submitted previously.

A list of the arrears of taxes was carefully dealt with. In cases of uncollectable amounts, these were written off, and other items were specified to be collected by distress.

A letter from the Acton Athletic Club stated that at the annual meeting a resolution was passed, expressing the appreciation of the Club at the co-operation of the Council in the efforts of this organization. The Council appreciated this letter and expressed their pleasure of the Club's activities.

The Park fence construction details were laid over for a future meeting.

The Clerk was instructed to write Mr. G. T. Beardmore, thanking him for the splendid work that had been done at the Park in planting trees and shrubs.

An amendment to the by-law, closing barber shops during holidays, was passed by the Council. The amendment was to make clear the intent of the by-law in allowing the shops to remain open on public holidays.

Councillor Nelson was asked to arrange for painting the windows and doors at the Arena. Steps at the entrances were also to be arranged for.

HOCKEY CLUB OFFICERS

Elected at Annual Meeting Last Week—Most Satisfactory Year in All Respects

The annual meeting of the Acton Hockey Club was held last week, in the Town Hall. The following officers were elected for the next season:

President—Mr. G. T. Beardmore.
Vice-President—Mr. P. A. Smith.
Secretary—Mr. Neil Gibbons.
Treasurer—Mr. W. K. Graham.
Executive Committee—Messrs. J. M. McDonald, L. B. Bhorey and R. Balmon.
Manager, Intermediate Team—Mr. N. H. Garden.
Manager, Junior Team—Mr. J. M. McDonald.
Coach—Mr. Joe Kentner.
Trainer—Mr. W. Eccleshall.

The Hockey Club were able to report a most satisfactory year from every standpoint, and their record for a first season team in the O. H. A. Intermediate Series was most remarkable, and with the most of the old team available and the experience gained, their prospects for next year are most encouraging.

Financially, the Club had a record season; they had absolutely nothing to start with, and yet at the season's end had a substantial bank balance after donating $350.00 to the new Arena, which had been built last winter. In making this donation they had set a highly meritorious example, which might well be followed in other towns.

One of the most gratifying things connected with the Club was the keen co-operation of all members towards making the Club successful and this was very instrumental in the fine record which the Acton Hockey Club was able to report for their efforts for their first year in the O. H. A.

THE EVENING MEAL DIGESTER

It was the first real snowstorm of the year and the teacher felt it her duty to warn her pupils before she dismissed them.

"Boys and girls should be very careful to avoid colds at this time of year," she began solemnly. "I had a darling little pupil only seven years old. One day he went out in the snow with his new sled and caught cold. Pneumonia set in and in three days he was dead."

The schoolroom was quiet. Then a youngster in the back row asked:

"Where's his sled?"

Teacher—"What would the interest be on $500.00 at three per cent? Able, pay attention."

Able—"For three per cent. I am not interested."

General Interest News

Ascension Day Service at St. Alban's
Ascension Day will be observed in St. Alban's Church this evening (30th), at 8.00 p. m. The service will be conducted by Rev. P. H. Wace, of Georgetown. All welcome.

Women's Institute Meeting
The summer meeting of the Acton and Dublin Women's Institute will be held in the Parish Hall on Friday, May 30, at three o'clock, daylight saving. The speaker will be Miss Cameron Smith.

W. C. T. U. Open Meeting
The W. C. T. U. will hold an open meeting in the United Church school room on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded the winners in the different contests. A short musical programme will be given. Everybody welcome.

New Minister at Baptist Church
Rev. Mr. Hamilton, of Toronto, has accepted the call to the Baptist Church in Acton and last Sunday preached his first sermons in the new charge. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton will remove to Acton as soon as a suitable residence can be secured and assume the duties of the pastorate. They will be cordially welcomed by congregation and citizens generally.

Mr. Percy Kay Died Suddenly at Galt
Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott and Miss Irene Flowers attended the funeral of Mr. Percy Kay, in Galt, on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson received the sad news of Mr. Kay's sudden death in Galt Hospital on Saturday. Mr. Kay was a well known vocalist and has taken part on Acton programmes on several occasions, with his friend, Mr. George Bell, when visiting at Mr. Wilson's. His funeral was largely attended by his fellow-employees of Getty & Scott's, where he had worked from a boy. He will be greatly missed in Central Church, where he was a member of the choir. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and Lorraine also attended the funeral.

INDUCTION OF NEW MINISTER OF KNOX CHURCH

Rev. H. Bennie, M. A., Late of Halifax, Officially Inducted by the Presbytery

Rev. H. Bennie, M. A., with Mrs. Bennie and two children, arrived in Acton, their new home, on Wednesday of last week, after a motor trip from Halifax, N. S. their former charge.

At a meeting of Guelph Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church convened in Acton for the purpose, the impressive ceremony of induction was consummated. Rev. Mr. Matheson, of Morriston, presided.

Rev. E. A. Thompson, of Elora, examined Rev. Mr. Bennie respecting his doctrinal beliefs and his call to the ministry.

The induction sermon was delivered by Rev. Mr. Marshall, of St. Andrew's Church, Guelph, and was an impressive discourse. The text was Acts 11: 19-30. Now they which were scattered abroad upon the persecution that arose about Stephen travelled as far as Phenice, and Cyprus, and Antioch, preaching the word of none but unto Jews only. And some of them were men of Cyprus and Cyrene, which, when they were come to Antioch, spake unto the Grecians, preaching the Lord Jesus." This is a great story of spiritual enterprise and heroism. It was the first foreign missionary venture of the Christian Church. The nameless saints laid the foundations for Christianity in Antioch, as they have also done in Canada. It was at Antioch that the followers of Christ were first called Christians. This was the first place where the church made a real impression. It was the mother church of the first great missionary work. The road to great achievements is along just such small beginnings. Every true church of to-day stands up for the things of God, as did Antioch. Only the gospel of Christ will win us from the world to the church of God.

Rev. Dr. McGillivray, of Guelph, the interim Moderator of Knox Church, leading up to the call and its acceptance. Rev. H. Bennie, he said, was called heartily and unanimously.

Rev. E. A. Thompson, of Elora, Clerk of the Session, read a very cordial telegram from Rev. Mr. Bennie's former church at Halifax, congratulating Knox Church upon the minister they had chosen. He then addressed the minister, pointing out the qualifications necessary for a successful pastorate, and especially one coming to such a jewel of a congregation as Acton had proved to be, for they are a loyal, generous people to their minister, and to the church. The minister of such a congregation should be:

1. A man of God, of real piety. A man among men.
2. He should be over careful in money matters in his dealings with men, upright, honest and prompt.
3. He is Christ's man among men.
4. As a shepherd of the flock he should be earnest in his visitation. A house-going minister makes a church-going people. He must bring the people comfort in the hour of need.
5. He should be a student; making diligent preparation for his work on the Sabbath. A wide reader. Above all, a close reader of the Book of Books.
6. While the minister will find many claims upon his tithe and attention, he must make his ministry in Acton first of all. The keeper first of his own vineyard.

Rev. W. Patterson, of Preston, impressed the duty of the members of the congregation forcefully. In the first place, all should remember he is not a hired man, but a man called of God to his work.

1. Receive him as the servant of Jesus Christ.
2. Be regular in your attendance at the services of the church.
3. Come in a receptive spirit; with a determination to respond to the truth presented by the minister.
4. Receive him when he calls—as the minister of your church.
5. Be earnest in prayer for the minister. Hold up his hands in prayer.
6. Give your minister time to study. If you want sermons that are helpful, give him time to think and pray and prepare.
7. Tell him if you have been helped by a sermon.
8. For God's sake, don't criticize your minister. There is nothing more disastrous to you and to your homes.
9. Cover his faults by your love and charity. Uphold him in your homes and before your children.
10. Co-operate with him in all the schemes of the church, which commend themselves to the Session.

The choir had charge of the service of song, and sang as a voluntary, "O Love that will not let me go."

At the close of the service Rev. and Mrs. Bennie held a reception, the members of the congregation being introduced by Elders John Cameron and Alexander Kannawin.

A bountiful repast followed in the basement, where the ladies had prepared substantial and appetizing refreshments.