

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 1930

## THE ACTON FREE PRESS

**The Community's Social Side of Life****Visitors to and From Town During the Past Week, as Gleaned by The Free Press**

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper spent Sunday in Toronto.

Mr. G. A. Dills, and Frances were in Toronto on the week-end.

Mrs. R. J. McPherson visited friends in Toronto over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gordier, of Kitchener, visited at Mr. N. F. Moore's on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Vincent and wife spent Sunday with friends in Toronto.

Mr. C. H. Harrison has been attending the motor show at Cleveland the past week.

Miss Laura Scott, of Kitchener, spent Wednesday evening with her Acton girl friends.

Mr. J. Homer Cheyne, of Lakeland, Florida, visited at Mrs. O. O. Speight last week.

Mrs. (Rev.) A. G. Stewart, Max and Grace, of Toronto, visited friends here on Monday.

Councillor E. T. Thetford has been indisposed for several days, being confined to his home.

Mrs. Wm. Johnstone spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Johnstone and family at London.

Miss Kate Foley, of Walkerton, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. P. Gibbons, Willow Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wrigglesworth and babe, of Ashgrove, were guests at Moorecroft on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott and Mrs. S. J. Held attended the funeral of the late Mr. Anthony at Georgetown.

Mrs. D. S. Barber and Miss Elizabeth Harper, of Toronto, visited their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gamble, on Sunday.

Miss Marion Day and Miss Muriel Pearl, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mrs. E. A. Wainwright here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Matthews and Miss Helen Ostrander visited friends at Hamilton and Burlington over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Johnston, of Hamilton, are spending a week at the home of Mrs. Robt. Broughton, Willow Street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wilson attended the funeral of Mrs. Wilson's uncle, the late Mr. James Anthony, at Georgetown, last week.

Mrs. Annetta Barnes returned home to Toronto, after spending several weeks here, with Acton friends, and with Erin, Churchill and Georgetown friends also.

Rev. M. M. Bennett, of St. Thomas, cousin of the late Robert Bennett, was a guest last week at the home of Mrs. Robert Bennett and Miss M. Z. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Adams, Ruth and Fred, of Toronto; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adams and Isabel, of Moncton, N. B., were guests at the Parsonage on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Near and family, of Toronto, and Miss M. Johnston, who is visiting with her sister in Toronto for some time, spent the week-end with Acton relatives.

Mrs. Edson Smith, of Port Arthur, who accompanied the body of her father, the late Allan Mann, to Acton for interment here, is spending a week or so with friends in the old home.

Mr. Pennell Smythe and Masters Kenneth and Arthur, of Etobicoke, and Mr. W. T. Smythe, of London, visited Miss Elizabeth Moore and Mr. and Mrs. John Wood on the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Marshall, Erin, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Evelyn Pearl, to Mr. George Bruce Pidgeon, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Campbell, of Trafalgar, the marriage to take place early in December.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jack, Dovercourt Road, Toronto, announce the engagement of their daughter, Annie Mildred, to Norman C. Campbell, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Campbell, of Trafalgar, the marriage to take place quite the latter part of November.

This is the City Salesman:

The Toronto daily papers last week carried the following advertisement, signed by Mayor Wemp: "Public notice to purchasers of printing: Attention having been directed to the scarcity of work in the printing trade in this city at the present time, citizens are therefore requested to assist in providing employment to printers by confirming their purchases of printing to Toronto firms, thereby relieving unemployment in the printing trade." My, how these big fellows in the big city squeal when they are hit, but they have no hesitation about sending their salesmen out in the small towns and countryside to drum up orders to keep the city printers busy. We haven't asked Acton Council to insert a like advertisement, but the next time a city printing salesman calls on you, show him this and just see what he has to say anyway. Printing is an industry in Acton, and we are thankful for the loyalty of most of our citizens and business institutions for the support accorded us.

**Various Interesting Items of News**

**Canadian Poultry to Japan**  
The Emperor of Japan is among the recent new customers for British Columbia pure-bred poultry. A consignment of selected birds which sold for \$4,500, from some of the best poultry farms in British Columbia, is now on its way to the Imperial farms in Japan. The birds will be used as foundation stock for breeding. Each of the hens in the consignment has a record of 300 eggs per year or over.

**Neighboring Appreciation**  
On Wednesday morning, Mr. Charles Wilson, the Secretary-Treasurer of the Acton Fire Brigade, received a cheque for \$25 from the Treasurer of Massawa Township Council in recognition of services rendered at the time of the fire in Campbellville. Naturally the Brigade appreciate the recognition as they just answered the call for assistance in a neighboring spirit of helpfulness.

**Father Helped Son Out**  
Facing charges of obstructing a police officer in the discharge of his duty and aiding his son to escape custody, Frank Mayne, of Drayton, was remanded for trial in Guelph on Monday. According to a Provincial constable of Palmerton, Wilbert Mayne was in jail awaiting trial on a charge of driving a motor car while intoxicated, when it is alleged, his father broke into the lockup and released his son.

**Euchre and Dance**  
The Cloverleaf Six-piece Orchestra has made an announcement of an old-time euchre party in the Town Hall, Acton, on Thursday, November 30. The games will be from 8:45 to 10:30 and dancing will follow from then until two o'clock. Prizes and old and new dances are features of the event. Lunch will be served and the Orchestra adds the line of "Everybody welcome."

**Canada Wins Ideal Home Exhibit**  
If anyone wants to know the fine points on how to build the ideal home, Canada evidently can tell him. At the Ideal Homes' Exhibition recently held at Edinburgh, Scotland the Canadian exhibit was awarded the gold medal for general excellence. This award was made in the face of keen competition from over 100 exhibits from all parts of the British Isles and some of the countries in the British Empire. The prize winning Canadian exhibit was the work of the Canadian Government Exhibition Commission.

**HIDES AND WOOL**  
Toronto wholesale dealers in hides and wool are quoting prices to country shippers as follows—City hides, green, 5¢ per lb.; bulls and grangs, 3½¢ per lb.; Country hides—green per lb., 4½¢-5¢ per lb.; Culkinhides, green, 10¢; Veal skins, 8¢ per lb.; Calakins, cured, 9½-10¢ per lb.; Horse hides, No. 1 and 2, \$2.00; No. 3, \$1.00; Sheep hair, 30¢ per lb.; Wool, flat rate, free of rejects, per lb.

**CHAIN QUOTATIONS**  
Grain dealers on the Toronto Board of Trade are making the following quotations for cut lots:

No. 1 Northern, 66¢.  
No. 2 Northern, 64¢.  
No. 3 Northern, 61¢.  
No. 4 Northern, nominal.  
No. 5 Northern, nominal.

**HAY AND STRAW**  
Extra No. 3 Timothy, in car loads, 15.50 to 20.00.

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Heavy hops, cwt., 15.00 to 16.00.

Light hops, cwt., 14.00 to 15.00.

Abattoir hops, cwt., 14.00 to 15.00.

Mutton, cwt., 14.00 to 15.00.

Spring lambs, 16.00 to 17.00.

**POTATOES**

Ontario potatoes in bulk, 70-75¢; in bags, 80-85¢. New Brunswick potatoes, in bulk, 85¢; bags, 85¢. Prince Edward Island potatoes, in bags, 85¢.

**MARKET REPORTS****DAIRY PRODUCTS****Quotations to Shippers**

These are Toronto quotations:

Butter—

Canadian No. 1 pasteurized 30¢ to 31¢

do second ..... 29½¢ to 30½¢

Churning cream, Lab. country points—

Special ..... 33¢ to 30¢

No. 1 ..... 32¢ to 30¢

No. 2 ..... 29¢ to 30¢

Poultry and Eggs

**Quotations to Retail Trade**

Butter—

Canadian No. 1 pasteurized 34¢ to 35¢

do second ..... 31¢ to 32¢

Churning cream, Lab. country points—

Special ..... 33¢ to 30¢

No. 1 ..... 32¢ to 30¢

No. 2 ..... 29¢ to 30¢

Poultry—

Quotations to Shippers

Alive, dressed—

Spring chickens— 10¢ to 15¢

3-½ lbs. ..... 18¢ to 20¢

Hens, chickens—

4½-5 lbs. ..... 16¢ to 22¢

Over 5 lbs. ..... 19¢ to 25¢

Fatted hens, over 6 lbs. ..... 17¢ to 20¢

do 4 to 5 lbs. ..... 14¢ to 18¢

3½ lbs. ..... 11¢ to 15¢

Young turkeys, over 12 lbs. ..... 32¢ to 40¢

do 10-12 lbs. ..... 30¢ to 35¢

do 8-10 lbs. ..... 26¢ to 30¢

Quotations above indicate the general market range in value in eggs and poultry on delivery basis.

**WHOLESALE VEGETABLES**

Vegetables at wholesale houses are quoted—

Domestic—

Potatoes, per bag ..... 1.15 to 1.25

Carrots, per dozen ..... 0.10 to 0.20

The above quotations are subject to change.

**DRESSED MEATS**

Wholesale dealers in dressed meats quote the following prices to the trade—

Beef, fourquarters, cwt. ..... 9.00 to 12.00

do hindquarters ..... 13.00 to 12.00

Oxen, choice, cwt. ..... 12.00 to 14.00

Calves, choice veal ..... 17.00 to 20.00

Heavy hogs, cwt. ..... 12.00 to 15.00

Light hogs, cwt. ..... 15.00 to 16.00

Abattoir hogs, cwt. ..... 14.00 to 15.00

Mutton, cwt. ..... 10.00 to 11.00

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Oats straw ..... 9.00 to 10.00.

Hay, per ton, 15.00 to 20.00.

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