Acton Leads the County Ball League

Defeated Oakville in Opening Local Game on Saturday by 10-6-Play in Oakville on Saturday

Acton opened the Halton League locally, on Saturday afternoon, with Oakville: as their opponents, and were victors by the score of 10-6, winning their second game and leading the Halton League. It was anything but good baseball weather, but quite a number of fans turned out, mostly decked in winter overcoats. The Acton Citizens' Band paraded to the park, and delighted the fans with several selections while there. The local boys drove two Oakville pitchers from the box, while Chalmers was complete master of ceremonies; striking out 13 batters and allowing only four hits. The weather was very bad for the pitchers and walks were numerous, there being no less than sixteen, evenly divided. Oakville had one earned run, while Acton had six, the rest coming on walks and errors. One error accounted for three Oakville runs. of Sandwich, an inmate who made his by Major Cousens. D. Wilson, for the visitors, had a home Waterhouse, for Acton, had a three- age, slipped away from the grounds unbagger, and Terry a double. The boys noticed, and it was some time before his and proceeded to Knox Church for the are hitting regularly now, with Chal- absence was discovered. He was serv- service. mers and Roy Leader having three hits ing a term of from six to 12 months, and each. Terry scored three runs on one had only a comparatively short time to filled on this occasion, when Honary hit, a walk and an error, and Berscht serve when he made the break. Chief Chaplain Rev. H. L. Bennie, of Acton scored two runs on two walks.

Oakville scored the first run of the in Acton, but was unable to find any church and the service. The choir, game, in the second inning, but Acton trace of him locally. scored two in their half and were never headed. They had the boys from the southern town at the score of 10-3, but an error, with two on bases, and a nice hit by Ramsay, brought the total to 6. The team is showing championship form now, and ought to be good for a few

more wins. The following is the box score:

OAKVILLE

Brown, 3b, p	. 3	1	U	U		
Horslin, 1b		1	0	11	0	
Rowe, p		0.	0	. 0	. 0	
Post, 2b	3	0	. 0	0	3	
Fletcher, rf		3	0	2	1	
Ramsay, c	1000	0	1	7	0	
Bannon, p, 3b		0	0	0	0	
	-	-	_	_	_	-
Total	32	.6	4	24	10	
ACTO						
*		R	н	P	A	
Terry, rf	4	3	1	1	-0	
Holloway, 1b	4	1	0	. 7	0.	
Carmichael, 2b	4	0	1	0	î	
R Tender C	_5_			13	_0_	_
P. Leader, If	.5	σ	0	1	0	
W. Waterhouse, cf		1	1	3	0	
Berscht, 3b		2	0	0	.1	
White, ss		1	1	2	0	
Chalmers, p		1	3	0	3	
Walters, 3b		0	0	0	1	
	-		_	_	_	
Total	34	10	10	27	6	
SUMMA	RY					
Home run. L. Wil			3	bas	e I	1

Waterhouse. 2 base hits, Terry, D. Wilson. Bacrifice hits, Holloway. Stolen bases, L. Brown, Terry, Carmichael (2), F. Leader, Waterhouse. Double play, Fietcher to Ramsay. Struck out, by Rowe, 3; Bannon, 2; Brown 1; Chalmers, 13. Walked by Rowe, 5; by Bannon, 2; by Brown, 1; by Chalmers, 8. Hit by pitcher, by Rowe, Waterhouse. Left on bases, Oakville, 4; Acton 8. Batteries-Rowe, Bannon, Brown and Ramsay: Chalmers and R. Leader. Umpire-"Rube" Horning, Hamilton.

R. H. E The score: .. / Oakville 010 000 023-6 4 4 Acton 021 023 20*-10 10 2 LEAGUE STANDING ...

.000 Games Next Saturday-Acton at Oak- picture. ville; Georgetown at Milton.

NASSAGAWEYA COUNCIL

Only One Change Allowed by Court of Revision-All Other Appeals Dismissed

At the meeting of Nassagaweya Coun-

cil on Wednesday of last week, as	ccounts
were passed as follows:	
Relief	\$ 73.18
Wood for Hall	11.70
Municipal World	6.45
ACTON FREE PRESS	21.16
Weed Inspection	6.75
Roads and Bridges	703 80
. Council, as Court of Revision,	educed
Chas. Kingsbury's assessment from	\$3,600

to 3,400, and dismissed all the other Nichol, West Garafraxa and Eramosa

of the townline of Puslinch and Nassagaweya and sell the same. The Treasurer was authorized to pay found 21 chickens in the back of his car, the Hydro lighting accounts as they fell which, they state, he admitted having

Council adjourned, to meet July 4, at morning, Swanson pleaded guilty, but one o'clock.

caused your misfortune; it is only in- Kearns said. The penalty of two years

A Selection of News Items

Burglars at Guelph Breaking into the offices of the Guelph Lumber Company during Sunday night, burglars, ransacked the premises and carried off a valuable billing machine and a typewriter. There was no money in the office at the time, and so far as known nothing else of value was taken.

Found on Dundas Highway.

Missing a week from the Ontario Hos pital, Mimico, Andrew Kennedy, 50. was found dead in a bush on the farm of George Fox, half a mile north of the Dundas Highway He was found by Bill and Bruce Fox, sons of the owner of the farm, and John Holden. Death was attributed to exposure. Provincial Office. Cookman, of Milton, investigated, along with Coroner J. H. Stead, of Oakville.

Ontario Reformatory officials have stood at attention a wreath was placed

escape from the institution at Guelph

Oakville Treasurer Appointed

At the conclusion of a special Council meeting at Oakville, it was announced that Clarence Byers, of Oakville, had been appointed Town Clerk and Treasurer, at a salary of \$1,500. Eight applicants, chosen from 33 who sought the post, were called to appear before the meeting. Byers replaces A. E. Ryan, ABRHPOAE who had occupied the position since 1925. Max Wyndham, of Ralph Young and Co., auditors, who has been the office with Byers until the present audit is completed, at which time it 0 will be decided whether an assistant is

Ebenezer Centennial

The officials of Ebenezer Church Nassagaweya, which will observe its Centennial with services commencing June 19, are making extensive arrangements for this occasion. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Gandier, and his bevy of willing assistants will provide an occasion that will mark another outstanding event in the church's history. The historical booklet will be ready for distribution at that time, giving a brief but very comprehensive resume of the church's activities. It will contain a photograph of the splendid edifice that now occupies the site of the original church. It will have a gold cover and be of neat design. The special speaker on-Sunday will be Rev. Dr. T. A. Moore, of Toronto, who as a young man, preached his first sermon in Ebenezer Church.

Clue in Guelph Bombing Episode Possibility that there may be some

connection between the bombing of the home of Alex. Romaniw in East Windsor, and the bombing of the home of Tom Veroni, in Guelph, is suggested in a letter from the Guelph police, just received by East Windsor officials. Chief Constable J. A. Rae, of Guelph, indicates that a border resident is suspected in connection with the Guelph affair, and states that Veroni has received a letter bearing a Windsor postmark, demanding that he produce a sum of \$5,000. The Guelph chief also asked for a picture of a Detroit man, who was recently Played Won Lost P.C. questioned in connection with the East .500 Windsor explosion which seriously injured Mrs. Romaniw as she lay in bed. Veroni is reported anxious to see the

Two Years for Chicken Stealing

Arrested by Provincial Police after an all-night vigil, William Swanson, Eramosa Township, was sentenced in Police Court in Guelph, yesterday to two years in Portsmouth Penitentiary on a charge of stealing chickens. Swanson was taken into custody at 3.30 o'clock Wednesday morning by Sergeant Cousans and Constable Mennie, of the Provincial Police, and Officer Lamb, of Guelph, when he arrived home with 21 fowl in his car. He admitted having taken them from the farm of Sam Nurse, Erin Village. During the past six weeks there has been an epidemic of chicken stealing throughout the district, and numerous-complaints have been received from farmers in Townships. Provincial Police have been A by-law was passed to close a part investigating. They went to Swanston's home and spent the night waiting for him to return. When he arrived, they stolen. In Police Court the following some evidence regarding the circum-John Marshall, Clerk, stances of the arrest was entered by Crown Attorney J. M. Kearns, K. C. world is not interested in what Swanson has a fairly lengthy record, Mr. terested in what you are going to do with in penitentiary is the maximum under a

The Legion Zone Church Parade

Between Three and Four Hundred Veterans'Marched to Service in Knox Church Last

and four hundred Legionnaires from unable to attend the funeral. Brampton, Georgetown, Port Credit, Long respected by all who knew him.

seemed not to have been forgotten and, under President McDonald, of the Acton Post, and his helpers, the men were formed up and led by Acton Citizens' Band, and the newly-formed Bugle Band of D Company of the Lorne Rifles (Scot-

run on his only hit of the game, while Friday. Smith, a trusty, 19 years of of the local Bugle Band, sounded the "Last Post," and the parade reformed

> The auditorium of this edifice McPherson was on the look-out for him Branch, welcomed the veterans to the which led in the singing, was composed of Legionnaires and Legionnaire F. Salt presided at the organ. During the service a minute of silence was observed for those whose memory was commemorated by a stained glass window in the church, and all who had made the

supreme sacrifice. In his discourse Rev. Mr. Bennie tock his theme from Psalm 121: "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help." In a thoughtful and timely message the speaker urged all to look up for guidance. Optimism came from looking up and the grandeur and majesty of the hills was a guidance for

all people in time of difficulty. oined in by the veterans and congregation, and a service of great joy was experienced. An offering in aid-of- the Poppy Fund was received. The Legionnaires marched back to the Park again. where President J. M. McDonald, of the Acton Legion expressed on behalf of the Acton Post their appreciation of the splendid co-operation of the various branches in making this event so eminently successful.

Special Meeting of Acton Council

Reeve-Nominations for the Vacancies to be Held on Friday

A special meeting of the Council was held on Thursday evening, to meet with circumstances caused by the sudden lors were present.

George Cowle, that Mr John Nicol, the senior member of the Council, be appointed Acting Reeve for the municipality until the vacancy caused by the death of Reeve George Barber, has been permanently filled for the year 1932 .-Moved by George Cowie, seconded by

W. D. McArthur, that the Clerk be instructed to send to Misses Jean and Nellie Barber and to Mr. John Barber, a gary." letter expressing the deep sympathy of the members of the Council for their bereavement in the death of their esteemed father, the late Reeve Barber, whose passing is very greatly mourned. both by the members of the Council and by the community at large, which has thereby suffered a severe loss .- Carried Moved by W. D. McArthur, seconded by Evan Jones, that the meeting of electors for the nomination of a successor to the late Reeve Barber, be called on Friday evening, the third day of June, 1932, at the hour of 7.30 p. m.-Car-

The Council then adjourned.

EARLIER NEXT WEEK! PLEASE

In order to meet with the requirements of a Special Community Shopping Feature that will be announced in detail in The Free Press next week. The Free Press will be issued a day earlier-or. Wednesday, June 8. All correspendents and contributors to the News Columns are requested to mail their copy a day earlier than usual in order to insure it being including in that issue. All advertising copy must be in our hands on Friday, June 3, to be included in this issue. Copy that does not reach us before Friday evening (to-morrow) - cannot be including in any section of this issue. Please co-operate with us by having your copy in early!

Entered Into Rest

JOHN ALFRED WEADGE After two weeks' illness, from a severe stroke, Mr. John Alfred Weadge passed away, in his 54th year, on the morning of May 26, 1932, leaving a sorrowing The first Annual Church Parade of wife and three small children; also two W. The Annual Meeting of the Halton of Mrs. G. W. Masales, Main Street. Zone 13 of the Canadian Legion was brothers and four sisters. All were pre- County Public School Musical Festival held in Acton last. Sunday afternoon, sent at the time of his death except Mrs. Association was held in the Public By two o'clock between three hundred Glen Sample, of Hiran, Texas, who was School, Milton, on the evening of May Streetsville, Burlington, Oakville, Milton, Weadge was of a quiet disposition, and Branch and Acton and the district cov- funeral services were held in Ballinafad County-a group of persons who have ered by these Posts, had assembled in Church by Rev. Mr. Aikin, assisted by ambitions for the children and faith in Rev. Mr. Caldwell, of Limehouse. Inter- the teaching of music, the most cultural

MONTEITH C. HALL Kitchener

Monteith C. Hall, a native of Acton,

passed away on Friday at his home in Kitchener. Mr. Hall was, for many years, prominent in the lumber business failed to find any trace of Ray Smith, at the base of Acton's Soldiers' Memorial the Kitchener Chapter, R. A. M., the Royal City Lodge of - Perfection Sergeant Spellvogel, who has charge Moore Sovereign Consistory, of Hamilton, and the Mocha Temple, London, "He was widely known throughout this district. Two sons. Horace and Monteith. both of Kitchener, survive. In addition to one sister, Miss Catherine Hall, also ary. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon, from his late residence, 22 College Street, that city, and interment was made in Mount Hope Cemetery. Mr.

Hall was a cousin of Mrs. J. C. Nelson,

NORMAN G. HOLMES, Calgary, Alta. .From the Lethbridge Herald, the following obituary item is gleaned of the death of Mr. Norman G. Holmes, Claresholm district. Norman G. Holmes aged 64, died at the family residence in Calgary, on Tuesday afternoon. News of the late Mr. Holmes' death reached the Herald late Tuesday evening. Mr. Holmes was a leader in the business and community life of Southern Alberta since 1907, in which year he came to Clares-The singing of the hymns was heartily holm from McGregor, Manitoba. He was at one time Mayor of Claresholm, was for many years a member of the Town Council, had been President of the Alberta Union of Municipalities, and was for a time President of the Claresholm District Liberal Association. He was Claresholm representative on the South-

ern Alberta Associated Boards of Trade.

and was well known in Lethbridge

through his efforts on behalf of this association. Born in Georgetown, Ontario, Mr. Holmes came west to McGregor. Manitoba, in 1900, and to Claresholm in stitute, Daughters of the Empire, Coun-1907, conducting a general merchandis-He was also interested in businesses in ers, the Immediate Past President the Councillor Nicol Appointed Acting Nanton, Granum and High River. 1930, in which year he retired to Cal- the Executive in an advisory capacity. gary. Deceased was a member of the The officers elected for the coming year Masonic order at Claresholm, and a are: member of the congregation of Grace Presbyterian Church, of Calgary. He '!s survived by his widow, Elizabeth R .: death of Reeve Barber. All the Council- four daughters, Mrs. Harold Reiber, Berkeley, California; Mrs. Wilfred Gaetz Moved by Evan Jones, seconded by Raymond, Alta.; Mrs. Eugene Leppard, Morley, Alta., and Miss Kathleen Holmes, of Calgary. A sister, Mrs. H. Scott, of Winnipeg, also survives. Private funeral services were held at the family resid- Howard, Georgetown (School Board); ence in Calgary on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock. At three o'clock a service was held from the Leyden and Bruce Board); Rev. P. A. Sawyer, Acton (School funeral chapel. Rev. James McNeill Board); Mrs. G. Lush, (rural) Milton The Funeral of the Late Reeve Barber conducted the services. Interment was

> The Dominion Day Celebration Plans for the Dominion Day celebra- Moore, Acton; Miss Harriston, Georgetion, being sponsored by the Acton Base- town; Mrs. Russell, of Toronto, for Milball Club for July 1, are making good ton, Bronte, Burlington and Strathheadway. The garden party talent has cona Schools; Miss Newell, Miss Skoog been engaged and a company, headed by and Miss Hunt for Oakville Schools: Miss the famous Jimmie Reid, will supply the Osborne, of Bronte, for the rural schools. programme on this occasion. Another The very splendid work of these teachers feature will be two prizes for the best was demonstrated at the Festival this. decorated residences. The decorations year. It was a joy and inspiration to need not be elaborate, as neatness and listen to those choirs, trios, duetts and suitability to the home will be considered solos, which we believe are second to in the judging and the small home will none in the Province. have equal chance with the larger home in the contest. A real celebration of Acton this year.

Canadian Honey Production Production of honey in Canada in 1931 totalled 27.867.397 pounds, valued at \$2. 058,094, compared with 29,549,386 Adjudicators and General Fespounds valued at \$2,584,474 in 1930. The tion of honey last year with 12,000,000 Balance on hand pounds, Manitoba was second with 7,-367,375 pounds, and Quebec third with 5,633,400 pounds. The average price of honey per pound in 1931 was seven cents compared with nine cents in 1930. Exports of honey from Canada last year amounted to 2,589,269 pounds, valued at \$225,643. The British Isles took the largest quantity with 1,801,243 pounds next with 579.982 pounds with a value of \$34,141, and Germany was the third best customer with 118,080 pounds valued at \$7,648. France, Belgium, Norway and "Yet you will support him?" the United States were the other prin-

Annual Meeting of **Festival Association**

Officers for the Year Were Elected at Meeting Last Week-Treasurer Reported

The military training of war days ment was made in Ballinafad Cemetery, and soul-inspiring subject of the school

There is one regrettable feature of the Festival, voiced by our very worthy Inspector, Mr. Denyes, that all of the training, especially Nassagaweya and held in Kitchener this week, a memorial rate necessary for the year's expendi-Esquesing. We sincerely hope that pre- service was held for the late H. every child in the County. Then it will be truly a Halton County Musical Fes- years was active in directing its ac-

The Association gratefully appreciated the generosity of the officials of Knox Church, Milton, in allowing them the use of the church and Sunday School room. The young ladies of the church also assisted in making the Festival success by catering throughout the day It was the wish of the meeting that their thanks and appreciation be tended to the donors of trophies and money, namely: Mountain Union men's Institute, the T. Eaton Company Limited, Toronto, Bell School Board, Halton Teachers' Institute, Acton School Board, Limestone School Board, the Robert Simpson Company, Toronto, Burlington, Milton Public School Board, native of this district: "A pioneer of the Thayendanagea Chapter, I. O. D. E. John Milton Chapter, I. O. D. E., Milton, Ellis Brothers, Toronto, the Oakville Board of Education. Heintzman Company, Toronto, Acton Women's Insti- from entering Canada to play. The new tute, Halton Women's Institute, Halton Home and School Clubs, the Georgetown coming into Canada to fulfil engage-Public School Board, and Some Citizens ments, even for one night, and was of Burlington (the silver cup for the enforced this week-end, practically for

> prepared during the past year, and for which Mrs. Cudmore, of Bronte, deserves tution the representation to the Annual play-there most of the time. Meeting of the Association, held the last Wednesday in May, is as follows: Each rural school may send one representative each town or incorporated village may send two representatives: and each separate organization, as Women's Incil of Women. Home and School Club may send one representative. The offic-In Public School Inspector, and nine others (appointed at the Annual Meeting) form until the Executive, the Supervisors acting on

Vice-President - Mrs. G. Atkins;

Secretary-Mrs. D. Hartley, Milton. Treasurer-Mr. J. A. Lockhart, Bur-

The nine members appointed to the Executive are Mrs. W. H. Cudmore Bronte (Home and School Club): Mrs Mrs. W. A. Chisholm, Oakville (I. O. D. E.); Mr. E. Donkin, Burlington (School (Women's Institute); Mrs. G. R. Agnew. made in Burnsland Cemetery, at Cal- Acton (Women's Institute); Mrs. M. E. Nixon, Milton (Home and School Club): Mrs. Whittaker, Oakville (School Board)

The present Supervisors are: Mrs.

TREASURER'S REPORT Receipts

Disbursements -tival Expenses.

Splendid Balance

The represented so many organizations in the

lington.

Dominion Day is being anticipated by Balance on hand from 1931 \$177.76 Donations for Cups. Shields, etc. 108.25 Festival Fees and Receipts

> THE EVENING MEAL DIGESTER

valued at \$175,699, the Netherlands came political worker in Niagara Falls, N. Y.,

Various Interesting Items of News

Monthly Meeting

The Duke of Devonshire Chapter, 1 O. D. E., will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, June 7, at the home

Fire in Nassagaweya

About 11.30 o'clock Tuesday, fire, unknown ofigin, completely destroyed bank barn on Samuel Heatherington's farm, in Nassagaweya Township. livestock was in the fields, but the poultry and other contents were burned. The loss is estimated at \$5,000, partly covered by insurance.

Memorial Service for Late H. P. Moore At the meeting of the Laymen's Asrural pupils are not yet receiving this sociation of the United Church, being rive at an estimate for striking the tax Mr. Moore was a Past President tivities in the work of the church.

Band Concert Sunday. Evening

Following the I. O. O. F. Church-Service and Parade on Sunday evening, Acton Citizens' Band will give their first band concert of the present season from the band stand at the Park. The programme will commence about 8.30 p. m. Sunday will be rather a busy day for the band members. In the afternoon they will play for the I: O. O. F. Decoration Service and in the evening for a church parade and then .. the concert

Ban on American Dance Bands Immigration officers at the border at Fort Erie, acting under the new regulations issued from Ottawa, have barred half a dozen American dance bands order forbids American orchestras from school obtaining the highest number of the first time. Crystal Beach officials; left in the lurch by the new regulations, The meeting adopted a form of consti- were forced to cancel the bookings of a tution which the Festival Committee Buffalo orchestra at the last minute, and secured one from Hamilton. The beach

Rev. Father McBride Guest of Honor Mr and Mrs. Muir, where a few of his in their sad bereavement.—Carried. parishioners gathered to wish him well and bid him God speed on his journey to the Eucharistic Congress, to be held in Dublin, Ireland. The home was beautiwhen the guests had gathered around the attractively spread tables. Mr. Cummins made an address of appreciation of Father-MoBride's work in his parish also surance was left over until the next expressing best good wishes for a happy meeting. Two tenders for this insurance journey and safe return. At the conclu- were received. sion of the address, Mr. Jas. Boyle presented Father McBride with a purse, account of the Ontario Memorial Co. had Father McBride was deeply touched by been paid in full by the Trustee. this expression of love and good-will. and when thanking them he told of his replied that the Council was desirous of love for his people, especially the poor the Commission dealing with arrears of and the children. It was a memorable water service as they saw fit. occasion and will not soon be forgotten by the members of Holy Cross Church. who were privileged to be present .-Georgetown Herald.

Quiet simplicity marked the funeral services of the late Reeve George Barber, to the memory of a friend who has passof Acton, which were held last Friday ed on. afternoon. A brief private service was George Barber has ended his journey. held at the home. Friends from a wide How utterly inadequate mere words are district assembled in Knox Church for upon an occasion of this kind. "Geordie" the service there, which was conducted was not one of the sort who would wish by Rev. H. L. Bennie, M. A. Among any mourning to be done on his acthe county and municipal officials at- count. Rather would he have us deal tending were: County Clerk H. M. Pettit; in rejoicing where rejoicing is possible. Deputy-Reeve Appelby, of Esquesing; And I know that the present occasion Mayor J. B. Mackenzie and Reeve H. is not one for grief on his account. Cleave, of Georgetown; County Engineer If ever a man deserved reward he did-Roy Smith, of Oakville: Warden Read- and if I felt as certain of my reward head, of Nelson, and ex-Warden E. M. after this life as George Barber must be Readhead; ex-Warden Irwin, of Milton; certain, I would have no cause for any Mr. D. R. Hutcheon, former County speculation in that direction .. Treasurer, of Milton: Councillor L. L. Mullin, of Esquesing: Reeve Duncan defled every form of fraud, hypocrisy Campbell, of Nassagaweya; Reeve Cur- and deceit. But with a his uncomrie, of Esquesing; County Registrar Geo. promising hatred of shams there beat Hillmer, of Milton. The pallbearers were in the bosom of George Barber a warmCouncillors J. Nicol, W. D. McArthur, and generous heart for the world at George Cowle, and E. Jones, Clerk H. N. large. Farmer, and Mr. J. R. Anderson. Among the floral tributes were offerings from believed to be right, and to defy the the Family; the Acton Council and wrong though it should be found par-Province of Ontario led in the produc- Cups, Shields, Medals, etc. 113.50 Clerk; Halton County Council; Acton ading in the garb and livery of righteous-215.79 Public - School Board: Acton Public ness. Utilities Commission: Acton Retail \$450.86 Businessmen's Association: the C. N. R. in all the wide, wide world, his home Boys; the Boys of Acton Baseball Club; life was the most sacred object of his 'Acton Citizens' Band; and Mr. and Mrs. devotion, and when prosperity gave him A. H. Bishop and family. Among the the means to do so, he found great defriends of the family from out-of-town light in making it beautiful and pleasant. who attended the funeral were: Mr. and He was fond of his friends, but the love "What do you know about this man Mrs. J. L. McCaig, Mr. and Mrs. Frank he bore his children was sublimely beauyou say you are going to vote for?" the Barber, Miss Betty Barber, Mr. Donald tiful, tender and affectionate. Barber, Mr. Wm. Leachman, Toronto; His death came as a shock to his asked of a citizen in connection with the Mr. and Mrs. Halton Leishman, Hamil- immediate friends. It struck dumb with ton; Mr. and Mrs. Amos Newell, Milton; awe the writer, who had learned to love Mrs. John Wooding, Mr. and Mrs. Wed- him with an affection accorded to few derburn, Milton; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. men. "Yes. You see, I know the other fel- Hewitt, Stratford; Mrs. Haggarty,

Rate 49 Mills For This Year

School Board Cuts Estimates \$1,000, and Council Maintains the Same Rate as Last Year

At a special meeting of the School Board, held prior to the Council meeting last evening, the estimates for the year were considered and the Board was enabled to reduce their requirements, this year by \$1,000, or aproximately 1.8-mills. The This estimate was submitted to the Council to enable them to arrive at the tax rate for 1932 at the meeting that im-

mediately followed. Another special session of the Council was held last evening, with all the Councillors present and Acting Reeve Nicol presiding. The purpose of this meeting was to deal with the estimates and ar-

timating, the rate was finally decided upon at 49 mills, the same as last year/ This rate was unanimously decided upon by the Council and the Clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law to be adopted at the next meeting.

The school rate was approximately 11.5

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMIS

Passes Resolution of Sympathy to Family of Late Reeve George Barber-Routine Business Session

At the meeting of the Public Utilities Commission on Tuesday evening, Com-

sioners King and Kerr were present. Upon motion, the Secretary was instructed to pay the following accounts: George Edwards, spur pads \$ 2.00 N. DeForest, labor C. N. R. and Goodale and Guelph Transports, express Benson-Wilcox Electric Co., Standard Underground Cable

J. C. Matthews, postage Hydro-Electric Power Commission, power, etc. . P. McCutcheon, freight ..

Perranti Electric Ltd., repairs_

\$2,537.57 Moved by R. J. Kerr, seconded by L. G. King that we, the members of the Acton Public 'Utilities Commission, wish to express our deepest sympathy to the family of the late Reeve George Barber.

secure the necessary help that would be required in transferring the power line and other construction work. The list of arrears were checked and instructions issued to the Superintendent

The Superintendent was instructed to

The matter of the Public Liability In-

The Secretary reported that the entire A letter from the Municipal Council

A-TRIBUTE TO THE LATE REEVE GEORGE BARBER

It is my desire to bring a little wreath

Mr. Barber was a hater of shams and

His religion was to do whatever he

Mr. Barber was fond of nature, but