

THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1937

The Community's Social Side of Life

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

Mr. George Soper, of Galt, was home for the week-end. Mrs. Ruby Clark was home from Toronto for the week-end.

Here and There

Captain L. D. Douglas, R.N.R., recently named commander of the Pacific speed Queen, the Empress of Japan, largest of Canadian Pacific liners on the Pacific, recently brought his 26,000-ton charge alongside Pier B, Vancouver within 44 minutes of the Pacific record.

His Excellency Rana Phagat Chandra Bahadur, Rajah of Jubbal, was a traveller on the Empress of Japan from the Far East, recently for any business man but for the presence of his wife, daughter of the Maharajah of Kathlaad, India, who was attired in Indian garb.

Crop conditions in western Canada are most encouraging and, given normal weather conditions, the quantity and quality of harvest will be a long way towards restoring confidence and prosperity.

Final figures of butter production in Alberta for 1937 amount to 2,287,922 pounds, which is more than 600,000 pounds above the previous highest year's record for the province.

Major "Bill" McGehean, one of America's best known columnists, and Lionel Hitchman, veteran defence man of Boston Bruins, landed in Acton on Monday.

John Cudaby, of Milwaukee, hunting across the Great Divide near Banff, and faced by a furiously charging wounded grizzly almost within striking distance and with but one cartridge left in his rifle, dropped the monster at his feet.

Success of the bargain trips over week-ends and holidays which the Canadian Pacific has put into effect this year was further attested by the great popularity enjoyed during the recent Victoria Day holiday and in week-ends following.

Brother officers of the Canadian Pacific Railway, representatives of transportation systems in Canada and the United States, members of the Masonic Order and of Rotary and sorority friends from virtually all walks of life united in an impressive tribute to the late George A. Walton, general passenger agent of the railway at his funeral in Montreal recently.

Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Stewart and family visited Acton friends on Tuesday, while en route to their summer cottage at Bruce Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Killie and family, Mrs. Blanche Brooks, and Messrs. W. Murray and Frank Cook called on Acton friends on Sunday.

Misses Margaret J. Macdonald and Helen McDonald left on Monday morning on a ten-day motor trip to the Adirondacks and Boston.

Mr. John Harvey, who has been seriously ill in the Hospital in Guelph the past month or more, returned home today, but is still very ill.

Mr. Roland Gordon, of Maldstone, Sask., who has been on a trip to Scotland, spent a couple of days visiting Mr. Wm. McDonald last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Platt, of Toronto, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown, before leaving to spend some time at Vancouver, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Platt and Master Glen, of Toronto, spent part of Wednesday at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. H. Messer, and Miss Eva Rintoul, of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Murray during the week.

Mr. M. R. Moore left this morning on a motor trip to New Jersey with Mrs. C. H. Winn, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. Thos. Watkins. Mrs. Moore will spend a couple of weeks holidaying there.

Acton Again Leads Halton County League

(Continued from Page One) less than ten hits in any game this year. An evening's practice at base running wouldn't hurt the boys any.

ACTON BATTING AVERAGES table with columns for player name and statistics.

THE KNOW IT ALLS

One of the most serious effects of success on certain temperaments, is the sudden development of conceit. Some young persons are led by their success to think that they know it all.

ROSE CONTEST

- 1. What rose is never seen on a rolling stone? Moss rose
- 2. What rose blooms in a girl's cheek? Maiden's blush.
- 3. What rose can you drink? Tea rose.
- 4. What is the aspiring rose? Climber.
- 5. What is the wandering rose? Rambler.
- 6. What rose is like a popular book? Red.
- 7. What rose would you mention should you burn your fingers? Yellow.
- 8. Which rose is the principal feature of weddings? Bride-rose.
- 9. Which rose is the vegetable? Cabbage.
- 10. Which two roses were famed in history? Red rose and white rose.
- 11. Which rose bears the name of a spice? Cinnamon.
- 12. Which rose is a perfume? Musk rose.
- 13. Which rose is a beautiful linen? Damask rose.
- 14. Which rose bears the name of a country? La France rose.

PASS THE COUGH DROPS

"You are very hoarse to-day!" "Yes, my husband came home late last night."

GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, JULY 1 "EMMA" With Marie Dressler, in her greatest character portrayal. Comedy, "Moonlight & Cactus." "Mickey Mouse cartoon, "Fishin' Around." Novelty, "Sharks and Swordfish."

SATURDAY, JULY 2 "DEVIL'S LOTTERY" Romantic drama, starring Elissa Landi. Boy Friend comedy, "Love Palms." Fox News. Silverware Night.

MONDAY, JULY 4 "MOUTHPIECE" The latest story of New York's most notorious criminal lawyer, starring William Collier, Jr. Comedy. Chapter 8 of "The Lightning Warrior." Dinnerware Night.

MARKET REPORTS

DAIRY PRODUCTS - Quotations to Shippers - These are Toronto quotations: Butter - Creamery, No. 1 pasteurized 16 1/2 to 17 1/2 do second 15 1/2 to 16 1/2 Above prices for goods delivered Toronto.

Quotations to Retail Trade - Butter - Creamery, No. 1 pasteurized 16 1/2 to 19 do second 17 1/2 to 18 1/2 Churning cream, f.o.b. country points - Special 16 to 17 No. 1 15 to 16 No. 2 12 to 13

POULTRY AND EGGS - Quotations to country shippers delivered - Fresh extras 17 to 18 do firsts 15 to 16 do seconds 13 to 14

Quotations to Retail Trade - Carton, fresh extras 23 to 24 Fresh extras, loose 21 to 22 Fresh firsts, loose 19 to 20 Fresh seconds 16 to 17

Quotations to Shippers - Poultry - Spring Broilers - Over 3 lbs. each 14 to 20 Rocks, over 2 1/2 to 3 lbs. 12 to 16

DRESSED MEATS - Wholesale dealers in dressed meats quote the following prices to the trade: Beef, forequarters 7.00 to 8.00 Carcasses, choice 11.00 to 12.00 do medium 10.00 to 10.50

HAY AND STRAW - Toronto dealers in hide and wool quoting the following prices to shippers: City hides, green, 1 1/2c; bulls and brands, 3/4c; country hides, green, 1c; do cured, 1 1/2c to 2c; calf, green, 2c; country calf, 1 1/2c; horsehides, No. 1, 75c; No. 2, 60c; No. 3, 50c; No. 4, 40c; No. 5, 30c; No. 6, 20c; No. 7, 10c; No. 8, 5c; No. 9, 2c; No. 10, 1c; No. 11, 1/2c; No. 12, 1/4c; No. 13, 1/8c; No. 14, 1/16c; No. 15, 1/32c; No. 16, 1/64c; No. 17, 1/128c; No. 18, 1/256c; No. 19, 1/512c; No. 20, 1/1024c; No. 21, 1/2048c; No. 22, 1/4096c; No. 23, 1/8192c; No. 24, 1/16384c; No. 25, 1/32768c; No. 26, 1/65536c; No. 27, 1/131072c; No. 28, 1/262144c; No. 29, 1/524288c; No. 30, 1/1048576c; No. 31, 1/2097152c; No. 32, 1/4194304c; No. 33, 1/8388608c; No. 34, 1/16777216c; No. 35, 1/33554432c; No. 36, 1/67108864c; No. 37, 1/134217728c; No. 38, 1/268435456c; No. 39, 1/536870912c; No. 40, 1/1073741824c; No. 41, 1/2147483648c; No. 42, 1/4294967296c; No. 43, 1/8589934592c; No. 44, 1/17179869184c; No. 45, 1/34359738368c; No. 46, 1/68719476736c; No. 47, 1/137438953472c; No. 48, 1/274877906944c; No. 49, 1/549755813888c; No. 50, 1/1099511627776c; No. 51, 1/2199023255552c; No. 52, 1/4398046511104c; No. 53, 1/8796093022208c; No. 54, 1/1759218044416c; No. 55, 1/3518436088832c; No. 56, 1/7036872177664c; No. 57, 1/14073744355328c; No. 58, 1/28147488710656c; No. 59, 1/56294977421312c; No. 60, 1/112589954842624c; No. 61, 1/225179909685248c; No. 62, 1/450359819370496c; No. 63, 1/900719638740992c; No. 64, 1/1801439277481984c; No. 65, 1/3602878554963968c; No. 66, 1/7205757109927936c; No. 67, 1/14411514219855872c; No. 68, 1/28823028439711744c; No. 69, 1/57646056879423488c; No. 70, 1/115292113758846976c; No. 71, 1/230584227517693952c; No. 72, 1/461168455035387904c; No. 73, 1/922336910070775808c; No. 74, 1/1844673820141551616c; No. 75, 1/3689347640283103232c; No. 76, 1/7378695280566206464c; No. 77, 1/1475739056113324928c; No. 78, 1/2951478112226649856c; No. 79, 1/5902956224453299712c; No. 80, 1/11805912448906599424c; No. 81, 1/23611824897813198848c; No. 82, 1/47223649795626397696c; No. 83, 1/94447299591252795392c; No. 84, 1/18889459918250550784c; No. 85, 1/37778919836501101568c; No. 86, 1/75557839673002203136c; No. 87, 1/15111567934600440272c; No. 88, 1/30223135869200880544c; No. 89, 1/60446271738401761088c; No. 90, 1/120892543476803522176c; No. 91, 1/241785086953607044352c; No. 92, 1/483570173907214088704c; No. 93, 1/967140347814428177408c; No. 94, 1/193428069562885754816c; No. 95, 1/386856139125771509632c; No. 96, 1/773712278251543019264c; No. 97, 1/1547424556503086038528c; No. 98, 1/3094849113006172077056c; No. 99, 1/6189698226012344154112c; No. 100, 1/12379396452024688308224c

GRAIN QUOTATIONS - Grain dealers on the Toronto Board of Trade are making the following quotations: Manitoba Wheat - No. 1 hard, 61c; No. 1 Northern, 58c; No. 2 Northern, 54c; No. 3, 50 1/2c; No. 4, 49 1/4c; C.I.F. Bay ports, 45c; No. 1 soft, 1 1/2c; No. 2 soft, 1 1/4c; Ontario Grain - Wheat, 40c to 44c; barley, 35c to 40c; oats, 29c to 33c; rye, 45c; buckwheat, 45c; corn, 42c to 45c.

CURRENT LIVE STOCK PRICES - Heavy beef steers 4.50 to 6.50 Butcher steers, choice 5.60 to 8.00 do fair to good 5.00 to 5.50 do common 4.75 to 5.25

JUDGING BY RESULTS - Recently in an eastern city a man who was driving his car while under the influence of liquor, drove up on a sidewalk and missed by a few inches a woman leading a little child by the hand. He was arrested and fined. In that same city a man is serving a penitentiary term because while drunk he ran down some people just alighting from a street car and killed them. He was more to blame than the man mentioned who missed killing two people by chance.

Recently several college boys met in the room of one of their number. In spite of the law of the land, liquor was in evidence. In the scrimmage which followed after the young men had ceased to be reasoning beings, one of them had his back broken. Plenty of people are horrified by the outcome who affect an attitude of amused leniency toward drinking among college students.

The man who drinks liquor and then goes out to drive a car deserves a prison sentence, for it is only a fortunate chance if he fails to injure somebody. One who puts an enemy into his mouth to steal away his brains, who renders himself a temporary maniac or imbecile, is equally responsible whether or not disaster results from his surrender of self-control. Humanity is too prone to judge by results which are powerless to alter responsibility.

A tablet of welcome makes scarce one dainty dish - Shakespeare.

Letters to the Editor

The Free Press welcomes letters to this column on matters of general interest to its readers, but does not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed. All letters must be signed, but may be published over the name of the writer if desired and specified in the letter. Communications should not be over 500 words in length and must be received not later than Tuesday at noon to ensure publication in that week's issue.

Mr. G. Ariof Dills, Editor Acton Free Press Dear Sir: On behalf of the Acton Baseball Club I would like you to explain, through your valued columns, exactly what developments have taken place regarding the transferring of the Guelph players to Acton.

Previous to the opening of the regular ball season we were tipped off to try and get "Turk" Beucomb, a pitcher, and Roy Leder, from Guelph, as at that time there was not any Intermediate grouping in Guelph. In order to avoid any trouble, Cam. Leshman and myself went to Hamilton and saw Mr. Snyder, the Secretary of the O. B. A. A. and he told us that the ruling was that if Ferguson they could play with Acton. We then took these players certificates to Milton, previous to the opening game, and Mr. Rankie, President of the Halton League, assured us that he would not stand in our way.

Following our win at Milton, Mr. Rankie saw Mr. Snyder and agitated for an O. B. A. A. ruling. We were called to an O. B. A. A. meeting, but the executive were in a quandary, and nothing definite was done, except to keep the players out until their final decision was arrived at. The Halton League was also asked to express an opinion about allowing these players in the league, and at a meeting, held in Milton, the clubs were in favor of allowing them to continue, subject to the ruling of the O. B. A. A.

According to Mr. Rankie and the Secretary, Mr. Huston, a dispute arose as to exactly what transpired at this meeting, with the result the matter was again referred to the O. B. A. A., who were willing to let the Guelph players play in Acton, provided the Halton League were agreeable. If not, the players would go back to Guelph.

At a special meeting, held in Milton last Thursday, Georgetown representative made a motion to allow them to play, and after a vote was taken, with Georgetown and Acton in favor, with Milton and Oakville objecting the matter had to be decided by the President, Mr. Rankie, of Milton, who naturally voted, according to his own statement which he made, which was "That he would do all he could to keep the players out of baseball in Acton."

The final result being that the Guelph players are not allowed to continue playing ball in Acton this year. J. H. McCOMB

WON BY HIS WIT - The persistency of a street urchin who wishes to earn money is sometimes annoying, but generally excusable. Now and then it becomes amusing and almost irresistible.

"Say, mister, do you want your bag carried?" asked a boy, running after a man who was hurrying along the street, evidently bound for the railway station. "No, I don't," answered the man a little sharply.

"I'll carry it all the way for a penny," persisted the boy. "I tell you, I don't want it carried," said the man, quickening his pace. "Don't you?" said the boy, breaking into a trot to keep abreast of his victim.

"No, I don't," said the man, glancing fiercely at his small tormentor. "Well, then, mister," said the urchin, with an expression of anxious and innocent inquiry on his round dirty face, "what are you carrying it for? Why don't you set it down?"

In spite of himself the man's mouth twitched and with a "There, take it," he passed over the bag to his persistent companion, who staggered rapidly along without another word, until the station was reached, where he received two-pence with a beaming smile.

LIFE'S JUST MESS OF CONTACTS - We arise in the morning, contact a cake of soap briefly, a shaving brush more extensively. We contact a pair of eggs a street car conductor, and finally the office. There is an unpleasant contact with a bill collector. He says he must contact some money. Later, perhaps, we contact a customer or two. When the shades of night have contacted the earth, we contact dinner, and pass the evening contacting poor bridge hands.

And so to bed. Our fathers had all these experiences but they didn't know how to describe them.

MONEY-MAKING GLASSES

A short-sighted friend of mine, writes Peter Simple in the Morning Post, recently a pair of more powerful spectacles. After he had been wearing them for a few days he discovered, on counting the money in his pocket, that he had seven shillings to the good. The following day he asked the hall porter of his club to change a pound note. To his amazement, when he counted the silver he found that he had been given twenty-five shillings worth. Later in the day he met his oculist in Fiacodally and related his strange run of luck. The oculist smiled. "You are not the first of my patients to tell me that story," he said. "Ever since you took to wearing your new spectacles you have been under the impression that your spectacles are shillings and your notes half crowns."

NO NEED TO WORRY - Woman - Stop that man, officer; he's a bootlegger. Cop - Don't get excited lady. Another one will be along in just a minute.

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