News of Acton and the District

Special Service at St. Joseph's Church Mass will be held at St. Joseph's Church on Sunday, May 7, at 9.30 a. m. A mission, by Rev. Father Fleming, of the congregation of the Holy Redeemer will begin in St. Joseph's Church on Thursday morning, May 11, and close. Sunday night, May 14.

Brampton Mik to be Pasteurized In spite of determined opposition by Deputy Reeve W. A. Russell, who claimed that the bill was a discrimination against the smaller dealers. Brampton's milk by-law was amended at Tuesday night's regular session of Town Council. Milk and cream sold in the town mus be pasteurized, or produced by tuberculosis-free herds.

New Clerk of Trafalgar Township On Monday E. J. James assumed the clerkship of Trafalgar, taking the place of S. H. Albertson, who resigned early Canadian General Electric Co., in the year. Mr. Albertson was Glerk for seventeen years, during which time he gave faithful attention to all the arduous duties of the office. He informed himself thoroughly on municipal matters and his acquaintance with Trafalgar's civic affairs while assessor for twelve years before, was of great value to succeeding Councils and to the Township. All wish Mr. Albertson a happy appointment. He will make an efficient officer.—Oakville Star.

Black Creek Fishing Club

President-J. M. McDonald. 1st Vice-President-W. K. Graham 2nd Vice-President-Jos. Kentner. Secretary-Treasurer-G. A. Dills. Committee-W. D. Talbot. C. H. Harri-

son, Dr. E. J. Nelson. The club have secured fishing rights to practically all of the Tannery Creek from the second to the fourth lines, and it is their intention to place a certain amount of fry in the creek each year "Acton" organization.

Funeral of Mrs. Lloyd Kenney

John Kenney, Bower Avenue, last Women's Auxiliaries. Thursday afternoon, was largely attended by friends of the family here and very encouraging and optimistic, and get started in the season with necessary from other centres. Mrs. Kenney passed showed considerable, achievement made equipment. away in the General Hospital, Guelph, on during the past year. Tuesday of last week. The funeral Special features of the afternoon sesservice was conducted by Rev. H. L. sion included: An inspirational address Bennie, assisted by Rev. C. L. Poole. A on "The Challenge That Youth Brings to wealth of floral tributes bore testimony Us," by Mrs. J. H. Rush, of Tillsonburg, to the esteem in which the deceased was Y. W. Secretary of the Dominion Board; held and included offerings from the a memorial service, conducted by Mrs. following: Walker Lodge A. F. & A. M., M. A. VahNorman, assisted by Acton: Mr. W. R. Kenney and family. Adams, for 17 members, who had passed Acton: Miss Agnes Walker; Hamilton; away during the past year; a solo, by Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wilson, Toronto; Mrs. R. Rumley, and the President's Advertising Department, the Evening address. Also during the afternoon, the Telegram, Toronto; Mrs. Robt. Storey, installation of officers was conducted by Toronto; Mrs. Wm. Mills, Toronto; Miss Mrs. H. G. Arnott. Past President of the Ethel Poster, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. B. Hamilton Conference Branch. Misses Mildred Muggridge, Beatrice Trott, Jessie Kearns, Bertha Comet, Clare Cherry, by Mrs. Rush; a half-hour group of Boith Foley, Leila Colquhoun, of Canadi- music and other numbers by the Cedaran Pacific Railway, Montreal; Mr. Don vale Girls; greetings from the Presby-Forest, Miss Lois Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gibert, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Armstrong, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ford, Montreal; Mr. Grant Westoby, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Wm McDowell and family, Toronto; Misses P. and M. Norrie, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Swanson, Montreal; Capt. and Mrs. R. B. Hara, Montreal; The T. Eaton Co., Hamilton, (the Fourth Floor); Trustees. Evening Telegram, Toronto; Miss Evelyn Cunningham, Montreal; Mrs. Thos. Cook and family, Acton; Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Greene, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson, Montreal; Mr. H. E. J. Verner, Montreal; No. 2. Freeman. Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharpe and family St. Catharines: Miss Madeleine Taylor. Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wilson; Mr. Harold and Miss Laura Wiles, Acton; Passenger Traffic Department, Canadian P. Harrison, Milton; Mission Bands, Mrs. Pacific Railway, Montreal; the family. C. L. Poole, Acton; Associate Helpers, Mrs. Among the relatives and friends from a Chas, Readhead, R. R. No. 2, Milton; distance attending the funeral were the Supply, Mrs. F. McNiven, Campbellville; following: Miss Agnes Walker, Mr. R. N. Pringle, Mr. H. Hammill, Mrs. C. H. Arthstrong, all of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston. Misses F. and M. World Friends, Mrs. Freure, Georgetown; Norrie, Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Irving. Mrs. Ross Barber, of Guelph; Mr. T. N. Dwan, Mr. Albert Toppin, Mrs. R. Ross, Mrs. R. Storey, Mr. Hugh McDowell, Mrs. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Irving. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wilson, Mr. Lloyd Curran, of Toronto; Capt. R. B. Hara, Montreal; Mrs. (Dr.) G. Gollop, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Couch,

Galt: Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharpe and

family and Miss Lynch, of St. Catha:-

Spring Property to be Repaired

Pumphouse and Pipe Line from Spring to Reservoir to be Renovated and Improved

At the meeting of the Public Utilities Commission on Monday afternoon, Commissioners R. J. Kerr, L. G. King and Reeve Thetford were present. Arrangements were made for securing additional help on the Hydro and waterworks usually undertaken during season, and the work outlined by the Superintendent, which is necessary to

maintain the system. The Becretary was, upon motion, authorized to pay the following accounts: Hydro Department Hydro-Electric Power Commis-

. \$2,119.83 sion, power A..... Jones & Moore Electric Co., N. R., express ... 3. C. Johnson & Son. supplies Sangamo Metre Co., supplies Jas. R. Keamey Corporation,

C. Matthews, postage

Bank of Montreal, revenue

\$2,205.04 Through Commissioner King a request was made for a reduction in the water service at the Bowling and Tennis Club grounds. It was requested that the pipe line and supply be reduced at this service. quainting himself with the work of the It was agreed to apply a smaller metre clerkship for about three months and if the Company would make the neceshas attended each Council meeting since sary fittings preparatory to putting in

the smaller service. The repairs at the pump house at the spring were to be undertaken. It was felt advisable to construct a new covered course for the water from the spring to At a meeting, held last Thursday, a the pump house and possibly the screens fishing club was formed in Acton, under will require replacing. The brickwork the name of the Black Creek Fishing also needs repairs and pointing. The Chib. The following officers were elect- Commission agreed to visit the property the following morning and outline the work that was deemed necessary.

HALTON PRESBYTERIAL W. M. S.

Splendid Gathering Held at Georgetown Last Thursday-Officers for the Year are Elected

The fourth annual meeting of the Wednesday. and regulate the fishing as much as Women's Missionary Society of the possible, so that the trout will not be- Halton Presbyterian was held in the come depleted. Identification tickets United Church, Georgetown, on Thurswill be issued to the members. It is day, April 27, 1933, with the President, intended that the club will be a purely Mrs. George Altken, in the chair, for the three sessions, commencing at 9.30 Tuesday night, and a splendid social a. m., 2.00 and 7.30 p. m. About 125 evening was provided. The prizes for representatives were present from the cards were won by Mrs. C. Cullen and various societies, which number 24 Aux- Mr. A. E. Ritchie. The lucky draw that Sammy Brunelle. The funeral of the late Mrs. Lloyd illaries. 7 Mission Circles, 14 Mission had a ham for the prize, donated by Mr. Kenney, from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bands, 8 Baby Bands and 2 Young W. J. Patterson, was won by Mrs. J.

The evening session was marked by an address on "The Stewardship of Life," tery, by the chairman, Rev. G. H Knighton, and musical selections by the

Georgetown choir. The elections resulted as follows: President-Mrs. G. Aitken.

1st. Vice-President-Mrs. H. Inglehart 2nd Vice-President-Mrs. T. C. Dales

3rd Vice-President-Mrs. S. R. Bews. Recording and Press Secretary-Mrs. W. H. Cudmore, Bronte. Corresponding Secretary - Mrs. Earle Wilson, R. R. No. 2, Georgetown. Treasurer-Mrs. Ross Segsworth, R. R.

Secretaries of Departments-Christian Stewardship and Finance, Mrs. Roy Fish, R. R. No. 1; Oakville; Y. W. Auxiliaries and affiliated C. G. I. T. Groups, Miss Strangers, Miss A. Marshall, R. R. No. 1 Oakville; Literature, Mrs. E. Ford, R. R. No. 1. Milton; Missionary Monthly and Temperance, Mrs. H. Caldwell.

THE EVENING MEAL DIGESTEE

Suffragist-"I maintain that, woman St. Thomas, was serving 18 months has always been the prime Yactor in this definite and 24 months indeterminate for Heckler-"Oh, I don't know. In the scantily clothed and lacked shoes, but

A Selection of News Items

A Dance will be held at Eden Mills Hall on Wednesday, May 10, from 9 until 1. Admission, gents, 25c; ladies, 10c. Haymakers' Orchestra.

Presented Painting to School

The May meeting of the Lakeside evening at the home of Miss Lucy Edwards. The Chapter presented Continuation School with a Canadian painting, which was selected from the Art Exhibit held recently at the school. Following the business several tables of cards were enjoyed and lunch was served by the group hostesses:

Nonogenarian Robbed

Victim of a bold daylight robbery in his home near the village of Marden, Robert Beverly, well over 90 years of age, walked five miles into Guelph Tuesday to inform the police of his plight. Helpless owing to his advanced age, Beverly was unable to offer resistance when a party of women, believed to have been gypsies, entered his home rifled the pockets of his clothing, obtaining \$7 in cash.

The Funeral of Gordon F. Luening The funeral of the late Gordon F. Luening was held from his residence on Young Street, last Friday afternoon, with Rev. C. L. Poole officiating. Service was held at the Lutheran Church in Baden, and interment was made in the cemetery there. Bsides his widow, he leaves his mother, Mrs. G. Luening Kitchener: one sister, Mrs. R. Weber, Waterloo: and two brothers. Oscar. Waterloo; and Herbert, of Kitchener, to mourn his loss.

Canadian Chautauqua at Milton The Canadian Chautaugus open their programme at Milton on Saturday night Given by Public School Pupils to with an entertainment by "The Deep River Plantation Singers." Monday evening a play will be the feature and on Tuesday a lecture and entertainment by the Lumbard Entertainers will be Chautauqua play. There will be afternoon concerts on Monday, Tuesday and Musical Directress.

Baseball Social Night

A crowded house welcomed the Baseball Club euchre and dance event on Wilson. The financial returns were very The reports given by secretaries were satisfactory and will assist the Club to

> The Petty-Fines Wedding in Erin A quiet wedding took place at the home part. of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Pines, second line, Erin Township, when their only daughter, Marjorle Mae, was married to Clarence E. Petty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Petty, of Eramosa Township. Rev. O. W. Foreman, of Erin, officiated The Wedding March was played by Miss Annie Burrows. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore blue figured crepe, and carried snapdragon and Madonna lilies. Following a reception, the couple left for a wedding trip. They will reside on the groom's farm, seventh line, Eramosa,

Hydro Pays \$200 Damages in Streetsville

Caso Claiming that Streetsville did not have the right to sell electric power to Toronto Township users, because there had never been a vote of township ratepayers on the question, the Ontario Hydro Power Commission agreed to pay \$200 damages to the village for cutting lines to consumers outside the village. Last year the Commission took over several services on the edge of the village, cutting the Streetsville lines. Later it was learned that the village had a franchise to supply outside consumers in the township. The report was given as final by Gordon B. Jackson, village solicitor.

Guelph Reformatory Inmates Escape

Squeezing through a small aperture n the ceiling of a cell. W. Thebaudeau and Raymon Mimee, two French-Canadian inmates, made their escape from the "tower" of the Ontario Reformatory at an early hour Sunday morning. Under cover of darkness, the two prisoners ripped the heavy wire screening from one of the windows . After freeing themselves from the cell, they dropped a considerable distance to a roof, and made a further drop of 18 feet to the ground below. Thebaudeau, sentenced in Hamilton, was serving 12 months definite and 24 months indeterminate for assaulting a peace officer. Mimee, who came from house-breaking, and theft. They were very beginning, according to the Bible. are believed to have been wearing slip-

Regular Meeting of School Board

Arrangements Made for Musical Festival — Copies of Paintings Presented — Special Meeting May 22

The regular monthly meeting of th School Board was held on Tuesday evening, with Trustees Rev. P. A. Sawyer, W. K. Graham, J. P. Scorrow, W. R. Norton, and Dr. A. J. Buchanan Chapter I. O. D. E. was held Wednesday present and Chairman J. M. McDonald

> The details in connection with the transportation of the pupils to the Musical Festival at Milton were ar-

following accounts: Dominion Loose Leaf Co. Ltd.. D. A. Henderson, fuel McDonald, insurance

Dominion of Canada: General Co.,

premium 4 75.00

The fifth report of the Finance Com-

mittee recommended payment of the

\$94.95 A letter was read from the editor of THE FREE PRESS, accompanying a couple of dozen prints of Canadian paintings. which were presented to the schools; through the Board. The appreciation of the Board was expressed for this gift his home, 142 Water Street, on Tuesday, Albert Louttit, 447; Kenneth Blow, 433. to the schools. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. G. A. Dills, who was present at the meeting, with the assurance that the copies of these paintings

would be appreciated at the school. furnished the Board with copies of the Musical Festival programme and results of the meeting of the executive. The usual routine item of business of E. Colling, Lowville, survive. The funthe May meeting in the re-engagement eral was held to-day. of teachers and officials for the year was deferred until a special meeting of the Board, to be held on Monday, May 22.

PRE-FESTIVAL REHEARSAL

Crowded Hall Last Friday Evening On the evening of Friday, April 28,

rehearsal was held in the Town Hall, of the attraction. The final night. Wed- all the music to be given at the Halton nesday, will be featured by another County Public School Musical Festival, under the direction of Mrs. M. R. Moore. There was a crowded house of parent

> The programme was as follows: "Early One Morning"-Junior Choir "The Robin's Song." 7 years and under girl's solo-Ethel Franklin, Dora Hansen. "There Stands a Little Man," 7 years

and interested friends.

and under, boy's solo-Jackie Bruce, "Strawberry Fair." 10 years and under girl's solo-Marie Brunelle, Bertha Bristow. Beatrice Taylor. Jean Evans.

"Dreams," 10 years and under, boy's are left to mourn his loss. To all the solo—Gordon Gibbens, Melvin Harold Simpson, Robert Loutett, Paul goes out in this time of sorrow. Bert

solo, 9 years and under-Ethel Franklin. Dorothy Footitt.

"Fairy Pipers." 14 years and under. girl's solo-Jessie Coles, Dorothy Dunn, "Rising of Lark," boys' duett-Vernon Cemetery. Agnew. Charlie Tyler. "The Streamlet," girls' double trio-

Holmes, Dorothy Dunn, Hazel Wilson, Bella Roszell. "Passing By." 14 years and under, boy's. solo-Bruce Pargeter. Victor Bris-

Doris Wilson, Frances Chisholm, Annie

"Cherry Ripe"-Boys' Choir, unison. "Second Minuet, open solo, girls -Margaret Franklin.

"Nympths and Shepherds," open solo,

boys-Vernon Agnew. "From Oberon in Fairyland", girls' duett-Frances Chisholm, Hazel Wilson. "Shepherds' Song."-60 Voice Choir. at the top.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. ANDREW HENDERSON Nelson Township

Mary Ann McMaster, widow of Andrew Henderson, died Monday at the home her son-in-law, George Agnew, in Nelson Township, in her eighty-first Deceased was a member of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, husband died several years ago. viving is a daughter, Mrs. George Angew. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon to Evergreen Cemetery, Milton.

ANDREW McCLURE, Norval

Andrew McClure, son of the late Thos McClure, died at his home in Norval on Sunday night, in his 87th year, following a long Winess. Born on the fourth line west, he lived in and near the village of Norval all his life. His wife predeceased him 20 years ago and he was the last surviving member of a family of 13 children. He leaves one daughter. Miss May McClure, Norval. Mr. McClure was a member of the United Church and Conservative.

CHARLES S. DYNES-Burlington Charles Stanley Dynes, Secretary-Treasurer of the Burlington Agricultural Society for 31 years, died suddenly at He was a native of Nelson Township. Total 600. was Secretary-Treasurer Nelson Protective Society and of the Government Short Loan Society. Deceased was a member of Trinity United Church, Bur-Mrs. M. R. Moore was present and lington Mason Lodge, and the Order of the Maccabees. Besides his wife, a son, Vernon, of Oakville; and two daughters, Mrs. M. Watson, of Tansley; and Mrs.

BERTRAM D. HOLMES

The many friends of the family in Acton and district were shocked to learn of the death of "Bert" Holmes, at his home, 42 Nairn Avenue Toronto, on Saturday last. He had been ill for the past five months and unable to assume his regular duties with the C. N. R. Bertram Daniel Holmes was born in Acton fortyfive years ago, and lived here until reaching young manhood. His father, Mr. H. S. Holmes. who still resides in Acton. was station master here for nearly fifty years, and twenty-seven years ago Bert. as we familiarly knew him in Acton, followed his father's footsteps and entered the employ of the C. N. R., assuming a position in the offices in Toronto. Twenty years ago he married Miss Ina Doughe:ty, of Hagersville. Six children came to bless the home and now Leo, Mary, Margaret, Willie, Basil and Eddie are left with the bereaved wife to mourn the loss of a devoted husband and kind father. Besides his father, Mr. H. S Holmes. Acton, two brothers, Charles, of Toronto; and Harry, of Bobcaygeon, bereaved the sympathy of friends here Holmes was a chap well known and "Music-Everywhere"-40 voice choir, 2 popular among the young people of this "Three and Twenty Pirates." plane He was a member of the Catholic Church and the funeral service was held on Tuesday morning, with Mass at St Clare's Church, Toronto at nine o'clock. Interment was made in Mount Hope

Shields for Musical Festival The shields presented by Acton societies for competition in the Halton County Musical Festival are on exhibition THE FREE PRESS windows. The Acton Women's Institute shield is for second prize for the boys' choir. The shield presented by the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I. O. D. E. is second prize for the forty-voice choir, prized by the winners. The latter shield has the crest of the I. O. D. E. mounted girls, under 7 years, and 10 years.

The School Report For Month of April

Pupils of Public School Who Took High Standing in the Various Classes

> Marion Nicol. 334; Hazel Wilson, 308; Martin Hassard, 299; Ethel Pargeter, 293. social event. Total 400.

Senior Fourth

M. Z. Bennett, Principal. Junior Fourth

Beatrice Taylor, 464; Jack Hollinger, 459; Helen Mooney, 456; Mary Cripps, 452; Jessie Coles, 427; Billy Blanch, 412. He was holding the block of wood when Total 600. D. Folster, Teacher.

Francis Papillon, 378; George Williams, 374; Rino Braido, 370; Mae Roney, 356; Helen Withers, 347; Percy Elliott, 336.

M. Orr. Teacher.

Junior Third Mina Cripps, 466; Beverley Arnold 434: Gordon Marshall, 407: Tommy Wat-

I. Anderson, Teacher. Second Class Helen Mann. 501; Eleanor Jocque, 478; Lorne Masters, 464: Billie Fields, 447:

Molozzie, 400. Total 550.

A. W. MacMillan, Teacher.

Second Class Lois Dawkins, 554; Polly Porty, 536 Jean Fraser, 483; Leonard Lambert, 454; Frances Lamb, 450; Kenneth Hassard,

446. Total 600. First Class Mary Marzo, 318; Mickey MacMillan, guest speaker. 294; Bobby Pearen, 276; Winnifred Daw-

kins, 262; Joe Taylor, 257; Ethel Franklin. 254. Total 350.

First Class Fern Fryer, 325; Dora Wood, 320; Olga Dyriw, 319; Austin Gibbens, 319; Margaret Somerville, 319; Sammy Brunelle, 303. Total 360.

Primer Class

Betty Sawyer, 204; Eveleen Braida 201; Wanda Stachniak, 192; Enoch Marcak, 192; Donald Evans, 189. Total 210 M. A. Odbert, Teacher.

Primary Class Edward Arnold, Jack Mainprize, Aileen Fryer, Lloyd Robertson, Roy Woods

Shirley Duval. M. R. Moore, Teacher.

HALTON COUNTY MUSICAL FESTIVAL --

Judging Will Take Place on Saturday, May 6 and Friday, May 12 - Acton School Has Entries in Sixteen Classes

There is much activity these days about the schools in preparation for the in the Rockwood district took place at County Musical Festival. The first events the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Allan n the schedule this year will be held when the mortal remains of their little on Saturday morning. The Festival has son, Murray Alexander, were laid to rest grown to such proportions that it is now in Johnston's Cemetery. Services at the necessary to conduct it on two days.

The entries and events for Saturday, the family pastor, Rev. John Robertson, May 6, are as following: Commencing at Barrie Hill, assisted by Rev. J. Little, nine o'clock, Rural Choirs, 1 room, 8 Rockwood, and Rev. Dr. Spencer, Orton. entries; piano solos, 9 years and under, Mr. Roy Brooks, Barrie Hill, rendered a with 12 entries; rural solos, girls, 7 years solo, "Some Day We'll Understand." In and under, 7 entries; rural solos, boys, addition to the floral offerings from 7 years and under, 7 entries; rural solos, immediate relatives, sprays and wreaths girls, 10 years and under, 11 entries; were sent by Mrs. E. Doughty's class, rural solos, boys, 10 years and under, 5 Dublin Street Church, Guelph; the entries; rural solos, girls, 14 years and Eramosa Women's Institute; the Mcunder, 7 entries; rural solos, boys, 14 Parlane family; Al. G. Daymond and years and under, 3 entries.

commences at one o'clock, with the plane syth, Arthur Denyer and Stanley Harper, solos for 12 years and under. 20 entries: junior choir, 8 entries; and 18 entries in each class for urban solos for boys and Lush. Many heartfelt expressions of

the other events started at nine o'clock ally bereft of their little son who was The following Friday, May 12, will see in the morning. There are 11 entries for girls' open solo; 5 entries for boys, open solo: 10 entries for boys' duetts; and 12 entries for girls' duetts.

The first item on Friday afternoon is the girls' double trio, with seven entries: followed by twenty-five voice choir, for 2 to 4 room schools, with 4 entries; urban solos, for boys 14 years and under, 18 entries; sixty-voice choir, three-part, with 3 entries; 15 voice boys' choir, for 1 to 4 rooms, has 4 entries; plano solos. 15 years and under, 2 entries: 40-voice urban choir, two part, 4 entries; boys' choir, 35 voices, unison, 3 entries; urban solos, girls, 14 years and under, 13 entries.

In the evening of Friday, May 12, the winner of first place in each event will furnish the programme for a concert. over which Mr. P. W. Cooke. President of the County organization, will preside. Inspector J. M. Denyes will present the prizes which will include silver cups and shields and gold and silver medals. The Festival and concert will be held in St. Paul's United Church, Milton. Mr. Peter C. Kennedy, of Toronto, is the adjudica-

The Festival Association officers in by Miss Fern Brown. Rev. C. L. Poole charge are: Mr. P. W. Cooke, President, spoke a few words, thanking the speaker Milton; Mrs. G. Atkins, Vice-President, for his message and all those who took Bronte; Mrs. D. Hartley, Secretary, part in the programme. This delightful Milton; and Mr. J. A. Lockhart, Trea- evening came to a close with singing

Various Interesting Items of News

Parkview Athletic Club

Preparations are being made to make the club euchre and dance a real event. During the week the team Captains will let each member know just what he Jim Collins, 303; Uerlen Thompson, 303; is expected to do in preparing for this

Cut Off Thumb

While splitting kindling last Thursday, Mr. Roy Denny had the misfortune to sever his left thumb at the first joint. the axe handle caught in his sweater and deflected the blow. The end of the thumb was completely cut off.

I. O? D. E. Presents Shield

The monthly meeting of the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I. O. D. 1 was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. (Dr.) P. W. Pearen. There was a good attendance. A splendid report the Provincial Convention son, 406; Frances Chisholm, 402; Annie given by Mrs. W. M. Cooper. A shield was presented by the Chapter for a prize for the forty voice choir in the County Musical Festival.

Addressed Knox Women's Misionary Society

Miss Lamont, the Field Secretary o the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church in Canada addressed a largely attended meeting yesterday in Knox Church. Her message was very impressive, touching principally on the conditions in the West. At the close of the meeting a dainty lunch was served, and a social half hour spent with the

Knox Young People's Banquet

The closing meeting of Knox Young F. Ball, Teacher. People's Guild, which was held on Monday evening, was in the form of a banquet. After all had partaken of a bountiful supper a varied programme was presented. The toast to the King was followed by selections from the male quartette, composed of Messrs. A. Mann, G. Musselle, P. Salt and W. Burton, The items which followed on the programme were a recitation by Margaret Somerville; a violin solo by Freddie Turner; and a vocal solo by Miss Lois Atkinson. Toasts to the Church, Young People's Guild and the Ladies were proposed by H. Hassard, Mr. Brown and Wm. Burton, to which Mrs. Mainprize, Mr. Brownlow and Mrs. Buchanan responded Other enjoyable numbers were musical selections by Mr. Jack Tanton: a vocal duett by the Misses Bracken; a reading by Mr. Jos. Hurst: and a solo by Miss Edna Hinton. The prizes for the membership contest, which were won by Misses Isabel Bruce and Laura Hall, were presented, and the meeting closed with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Funeral of Eramosa Lad

One of the largest funerals ever seen home and graveside were conducted by Mr. and Mrs. D. Adsett, Walkerville. The The afternoon judging on the first-day pallbearers were Harold Allan, Max Forand the flower bearers, Elmer Allan, Jack McDougall, Jim Brydon and Kenneth sympathy were extended to the bereaved parents, who were so suddenly and tragic-

United Church Young People's Closing Banquet

nearly three years old.

On Tuesday evening about seventyfive young people rallied at the United Church for the closing meeting of the season of the Young People's League. This meeting took the form of a banquet and the long tables were placed to form a triangle and prettily decorated and well laden with good things. Mr. Arthur McKeown, the President, was toastmaster. The first toast was to "the King," followed by the toast to the Church, proposed by Miss K. Savage, and responded to by Rev. C. L. Pools. The toast to the Young People was proposed by Mr. D. N. McTavish, and responded to by Miss S. Nelson; and the toast to the Guest was proposed by Miss M. Stephenson. The guest speaker was Rev. Mr. Erwin, of St. Paul's United Church, Milton, who gave a very forceful address. The McLaughlin Brothers gave musical numbers during the supper, accompanied by Miss Margaret Waldle, and Mrs. H. F. Mowat and Miss Ruth Gibson rendered a duett, accompanied

Who is He? What is His Weight?

Answers Will Be Given Next Week

\$10 IN CASH AND TWO FREE PRESS SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE AWARDED.