

The Community's Social Side of Life

Visitors To and From Town during the Past Week, as Gleaned by The Free Press

Mr. Lloyd Robertson and Miss Frances Jennings, of Acton, visited over Sunday with Mrs. G. G. Robertson, of Everton.

Mr. E. J. Moore of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending the Christmas holidays at his home here.

Friends are pleased to learn that Mrs. Elizabeth Huffman, who has been ill the last few weeks with pneumonia, is now improving nicely.

Mrs. W. J. Hall spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Lane, Limehouse, and attended the wedding of Miss Nellie Lane.

General sympathy is felt here for Mr. and Mrs. R. Arnold in the death of St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Monday—of Mrs. Arnold's mother, Mrs. John A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson, Orton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Fern E., to Mr. S. Roy Laughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Laughlin, Oshawa, the marriage to take place the latter part of December.

The engagement is announced of Margaret Esther Leslie, only daughter of Mr. Harvey Leslie, of Aylmer, to Mr. James Seymour Adam, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Adam, of Dundee, Scotland. The marriage to take place the latter part of December.

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Final Session of Esqueuing Township

Accounts and By-laws Passed and Year End Business Transacted at Meeting Friday

The Esqueuing Council met on Friday last, with Deputy Reeve W. G. Appelbe and Councilors L. L. Mullin, G. W. Murray and N. A. Robinson present, with Reeve George Currie in the chair.

The Treasurer was, by motions, instructed to pay the following accounts: Eimer C. Thompson, premium on Township building, \$25.00; Municipal World, supplies, 3.38; J. Sanford, repairs and receipt books and Relief Officer account for 3 months, 23.03; Corporation of Acton, half Clerk and Bailiff fees and rent of Town Hall, 39.00; Municipality of Georgetown, half Clerk and Bailiff fees and rent of Town Hall, 39.00; Town of Milton, quarter of Division Court and Bailiff fees, 16.90; Acton Public Utilities Commission, Crescent street lights, 15.00; S. H. Lindsay, postage and exchange, 5.67; William Bowman, weed inspecting account, 19.25; Relief accounts—D. T. Galloway—Meat supplied to M. McLaughlin, 1.25; Meat supplied to J. Sharp, 1.15; J. G. Farlow—Goods supplied to J. Sharp, 5.00; Goods supplied to E. Cassidy, 7.99; Goods supplied to G. Basso, 7.42; Goods supplied to W. Gallagher, 8.53; E. Grespan—Goods supplied to M. McLaughlin, 12.44; Goods supplied to L. Serafini, 9.54; Goods supplied to J. Hillson, 12.48; Wm. Schenk, goods supplied to E. Vivian, 4.48; E. H. Barnhill, goods supplied to R. J. Sims, 4.28; A. L. MacNabb—Boots supplied to Jas. Stevens, 3.00; Boots supplied to L. Serafini, 7.43; Rubbers supplied to M. McLaughlin, .95; Boots supplied to G. Basso, 3.70; James H. Wilson, 1 cord wood delivered to J. Hillson, 4.50; R. S. Adams, flour supplied to Jas. Stevens, .75; Walter Lawson, 24 lbs. flour supplied to Wm. Dickinson, .55; I. M. Bennett, goods supplied to Wm. Dickinson, 6.74; R. W. Robb, surgical dressings for Ruby Tennant, 1.01; R. L. Parsons, milk supplied to J. Hillson, 4.80; H. P. Lawson—Milk supplied to Wm. Dickinson, 2.72; Milk supplied to S. Tennant, 4.80; W. Gillman, milk supplied to E. Vivian, .84; Ezra B. Hill, milk supplied to J. Sharp, 2.55; Walter Nelson, milk supplied to E. Gallagher, 2.40; Thos. Brownridge, milk supplied to J. Henderson, 1.28; H. Robertson, goods supplied to J. Henderson, 2.30; William B. Moore, 1 sheep killed and 1 sheep injured by dogs, 5.50; John K. Moore, 1 sheep injured by dogs, 1.50; George Jennings, 2 sheep killed by dogs, 9.00; Peter McGibbon, valuator, 4 trips, 8.00; H. A. McCullough, 1 sheep killed by dogs, 5.00; K. C. Lindsay, valuator, 2.00; Fred Thompson, refund of taxes on property, wrongly assessed, 4.50; George Currie, interviewing Municipal Board and relief work Board of Health Accounts—Dr. J. J. Paul, attending Mrs. Willett, 15.25; Peter M. McGibbon, moving, 2.40; Ed. Cassidy, 3.70; J. Sanford, account to date, 3.40; E. Y. Barraclough, meetings, \$16.00; mileage, \$1.60; total, 17.60; George Currie, meetings, \$20.00; mileage, \$2.00; total, 22.00; I. M. Bennett, meetings, 20.00; Dr. R. T. Paul, meetings, \$20.00; mileage, \$1.00; total, 21.00

PRESENTATION

To Mr. and Mrs. Arnold McEnery by Their Friends in Bannockburn District

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Dr. R. T. Paul, attending M. O. H. Convention, 5.00; Council's Salary, etc., \$22,800.00; Moved by G. W. Murray, seconded by W. G. Appelbe, that the reports of the Weed Inspector and Medical Officer of Health be filed.—Carried.

GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22 "THE FLYING SQUAD"

An all-British detective story, by Edgar Wallace. Comedy, "Static." Novelty, "Bone Grinders."

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23 "GOODBYE AGAIN"

Happy and mischievous farce, starring Joan Blondell and Warren William. Comedy, "Blue of the Night," Bing Crosby. Cartoon, "Pick-Necking." Fox News.

CHRISTMAS DAY Matinee at 3.00 "THE WAY TO LOVE"

A guide who knows his streets of Paris, starring Maurice Chevalier and Ann Kyrak. Comedy, "Midnight Patrol." Silly Disney, "Pied Piper of Hamelin." Dinnerware will be given away on Friday, December 29, not on Christmas Day.

News of Acton and the District

An Editor's Christmas Parcel

Among the editor's Christmas parcels this week was one from the Kellogg Company in London. It was a neatly packed box containing a liberal supply of individual servings of the well-known brands of food stuffs they manufacture, and a large tin of their "Coffee Hag," which is free from caffeine. The Kellogg Company have been consistent users of the advertising columns of The Free Press and this tangible expression of their good-will in the business relationships which have been so mutually congenial is appreciated and will be remembered at breakfast for a good many weeks as a result of their thoughtfulness.

Acton L. O. L. Elects Officers

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of Acton L. O. L. No. 467:

- I. P. M.—W. Allan. W. M.—R. Dunbar. D. M.—W. Frankum. Chaplain—J. P. Scarrow. 2nd Lecturer—B. W. B. Barbour. 1st Lecturer—W. Cassidy. Committee—W. Allan, F. Roney, R. Scott, C. K. Browne. Marshal—Carrite. Tyler—W. Hall. Recording Secretary—W. H. Masales. Financial Secretary—F. Kennedy. The officers were installed by James Fox, Master of Hornby District.

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have played several games. The locals are far from mid-season stride. The additions to the locals in Bus Morton and Dave Ainslie put up a good showing in the first encounter with Terry at centre. Joe Kentner is back again and, with Arbie and Chew on the wings, showed they have lost nothing from their hockey ability. Walters and Gibbons were on the defence, and, of course, put in a good game, while Holloway, in goal, was up to standard. We're satisfied for the group this year and will be disappointed if Acton's net will up in the play-offs. Might even hope for a championship this year, and with the addition of Jack Kentner, who has just received his amateur card again, and has been rounding into shape, the championship flag may yet float from Acton Arena at the close of the season.

Drinking in Armories is Alleged at Guelph

The alleged refusal of Guelph military officers to give the Red Cross Society the use of the armory for distribution of goods to needy families of the city had an echo at the City Council meeting when Alderman Harry Mahoney, acting City Relief Officer, made a strong protest to Council in which he charged that drinking was going on in the armory. Alderman Mahoney submitted a resolution asking Council to take the matter up with the Minister of National Defence, but his motion was lost and only one other Alderman supported the suggestion. A second motion by Alderman Mahoney that Mayor Robson call for an investigation by Ottawa into the alleged "drinking" was also defeated. The discussion in connection with Alderman Mahoney's charges was one of the liveliest witnessed at a Council meeting in Guelph in some time.

Shopping in Acton

Many shoppers have found that their shopping can be done in Acton to their own advantage. One shopper told us of pricing an article locally at 98c. The same article was displayed in a city store, of exactly the same brand, at \$1.59. That is just one example and we have heard of many others where the buyer came back to Acton to complete the shopping list. A comparison was made last week between advertised prices in Acton on standard articles in all lines and the same articles in the city advertisements. The buying was easily in favor of Acton stores. You can save yourself a lot of time and trouble by shopping right at home. Another instance was on a standard article purchased in Acton for \$1.00. We showed the purchase and were told the same article was \$1.25 in a nearby city catalogue store. We could go on and cite a number of cases but no doubt shoppers have had the same experience.

Appointed to High Position

Miss Jessie Macpherson, B. A., has been chosen to succeed Miss Margaret E. T. Addison, B. L. D., as dean of women, the appointment being made at the recent executive meeting of the Board of Regents of Victoria University. Miss Macpherson received her education in the Toronto Public Schools, Oakwood Collegiate Institute and in the University of Toronto, graduating in the honor course of philosophy, English and history in 1923. After a year in the Ontario College of Education she was appointed Girls' Work Secretary of the Ontario Religious Council and has remained with that organization until the present time. Since 1932 she has also carried on the work of the Girls' Secretary of the Religious Education Council of Canada. Post-graduate work in the field of psychology and her studies at the London School of Economics will enable Miss Macpherson to enter upon her new position with an intimate knowledge of educational policy and of the problems which the youth of to-day have to face. The new dean of women is the daughter of the late Rev. Hugh A. Macpherson, who was minister at Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Toronto, from 1903 until the time of his death, in 1914, and who was for many years previous the esteemed pastor of Knox Church, Acton. Miss Macpherson was born in Acton and friends here join in congratulating her on her promotion. She will assume her new duties at the beginning of the next academic year and will have charge of the residential life of the women students of Victoria College. Miss Addison, the former dean of women, resigned in 1931 after 28 years' service in that position, and since that time Dr. Norma Ford, Assistant Professor of Biology, has been Acting Dean. Dr. Ford now returns to give full time to her work of teaching and research.

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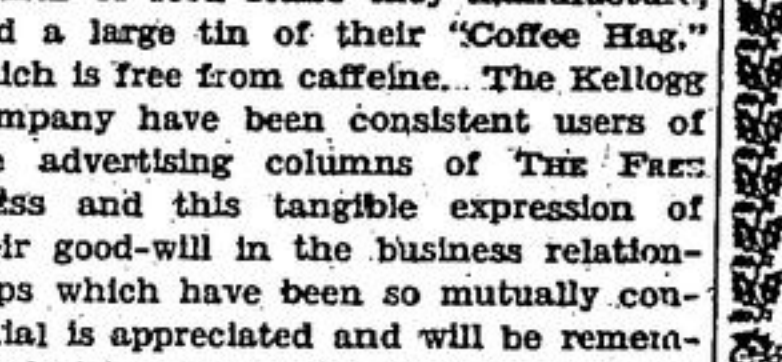
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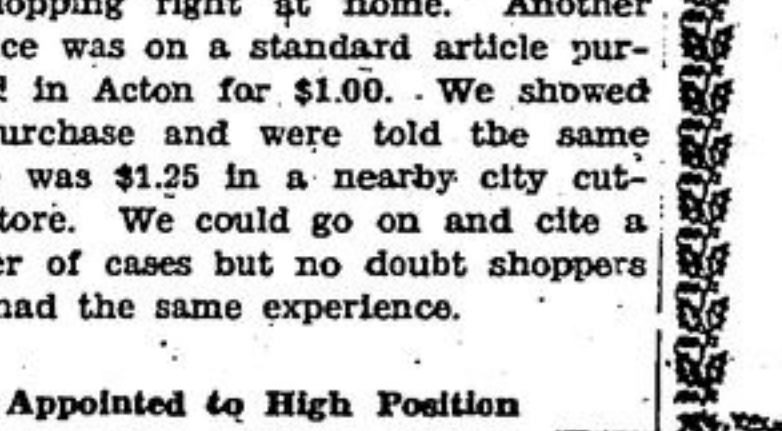
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