

Section of Births, Marriages and Deaths... in this column without charge...

BORN - On Saturday, April 21st, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cropp a daughter...

DEATHS - At her home, Lansing, Ontario, on Friday, April 19th, 1934, Alice Speight, widow of the late F. O. Speight...

MARRIED - MURRAY - At Knox Church, St. Catharines, on Saturday, April 20th, 1934, by Rev. St. L. Bennett, M. A., Elva Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. Murray and the late Peter Murray...

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This and that

The Auditors' Reports for 1933 are now ready.

The spring rains have been fairly plentiful the past week.

Another spring-time snowstorm may be recorded for April 25 of this year.

Johnstone & Rumley have erected a nest sawing over their store front this week.

Some chaps are now beginning to wonder if fishworms will be available for May 1st.

Port Credit has reduced its tax rate by one mill. The rate there this year will be 53 mills.

We were reminded the other day that a year ago Tuesday a snowstorm was also experienced.

The warmer weather can make its advent any time now, for the satisfaction of most everyone.

The fall wheat and clover suffered from the severe winter and many farmers report these crops a total loss.

The annual convention of the Halton Liberal-Progressive Association is scheduled for Saturday evening in Milton.

Brampton Hydro had a net operating loss of \$2,601 during the past year. The previous year showed a surplus of \$1,529.

While at the dance in the Town Hall on Friday evening, Mrs. Donaldson, of Brampton, had the misfortune to fall and fracture her arm.

J. G. Gillies, of Esquewaugh Township, won first and Sweepstakes on his Clyde-dec stallion, "Prince of Fernside," at the recent Horse Show at Hillsburg.

The trout fishing season opens next Tuesday, but some chaps who term themselves sports are reported to have started well ahead of time. No one else has termed them sports.

The sale was announced last week of the store and service station at Speerside by Mr. John Cravshaw to Mr. George Douglas. The purchaser was Mr. Wm. Douglas. We regret this error.

The set of "Easy Way Books" giving the latest ideas in cake baking, marketing and party planning may be obtained, yet with new or renewal Free Press subscriptions while the present stock lasts.

Mrs. John Leslie, 70, suffered a fractured wrist and severe bruises to the neck and shoulder when she fell down the cellar stairs at the home of her brother, Marshall Thompson, Guelph road, Erin Township.

A complete driving outfit, horse, buggy and harness, sold for \$39 at the sale of chattels on the farm of Mrs. Ada Short. The horse, a thoroughbred, brought \$29, the buggy and harness, both in good repair, \$5 each.

A piece of cedar cut from a tree on Mr. R. N. Brown's farm shows some remarkable growing done by grubs of some sort. This work is unusual in the fact that the wood is solid and not in the least decayed and the grooves of considerable depth and fine finish. This piece of wood is on exhibition in Free Press window.

Miss Bessie Blinnie, of Toronto, spent the week-end at her home here.

Miss Sadie Barker, Mrs. E. J. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cuznie, of Toronto, were visitors on Saturday at the home of Mr. A. Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Lane and children, of Hillsburg, were callers on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alford Soper.

Rev. and Mrs. Alford spent a day last week with friends in Hamilton.

PLENTY OF HELP - Two burglars had experienced trouble in breaking open a safe. At last they succeeded.

First Burglar - Gee, Bill, it's full of copper.

Second Burglar (peeping through the window) - Yes, and so is the street.

Letters to the Editor

The Free Press welcomes letters to this column. Letters of general interest, and those which do not necessarily express opinion, are published. All letters are subject to a per centum if so desired and specified in the letter. Communications should not be over 50 words in length and must be received not later than Tuesday at noon to ensure publication in that week's issue.

Editor Free Press

Dear Sir: In the New Outlook of last week appears the notice of the death, in Call-foin, on February 21st, of Mrs. (Rev.) Joseph M. Hagar. Rev. Mr. Hagar will be remembered as pastor of the Methodist - now United - Church in Acton, 1900-02. I believe there is only one still living pastor of that church previous to Rev. Mr. Hagar, and that is Rev. Jas. A. McLaughlin, who immediately preceded him, 1897-1900. There are, I think, only three since who have passed away, Rev. A. E. Smith, Mr. Hagar's immediate successor, and Rev. Dr. Antler, whose active ministry of forty-nine years terminated with his two years in Acton, 1909-11, and Rev. Mr. Culp, recently. Some months ago, a Toronto business man with a Montreal branch, who was brought up almost under the shadow of that church, was conversing with me in this city, and was speaking of a suggestion he had privately made of the wisdom of making a collection of portraits of past pastors, while there were still some of the original families left, who could assist in such a compilation; which, when made, might be on display in the vestibule. The idea certainly was one of loyal remembrance, and, I think, might be put into effect.

As far as I now can recall, the only living pastors are Revs. G. W. Barker, C. D. Draper, H. W. Avison, I. M. Moyer and C. I. Poole, six out of twenty-one in the present brick edifice, opened July 1st, 1876.

This present writer wishes to add personal gratification to that reported as expressed by press and pulpit on the stand taken by The Free Press in the matter of prospective revenue from liquor advertising. In this it is pleasant to note that it is not only a continuation of the paper's policy since he first began to read it in 1882, and understood to be so for the seven years of its previous existence, but as being the considered personal judgment of the present editor. Continued policy is good; considered judgment is one better.

J. S. C.

Notice to Creditors

In the Matter of the Estate and Effects of Clinton B. Swackhamer, of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that Clinton B. Swackhamer, of the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton, made an Assignment on the 21st day of April, 1934, and that the first meeting of Creditors will be held in the Official Receiver's Office, at the Court House, in the City of Hamilton, Ontario, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May, 1934, at the hour of 11.00 a. m. Standard Time.

To vote thereon, proofs of claims and proceeds must be filed with me prior thereto.

Those having claims against the estate must file the same with the custodian or the trustee when appointed before distribution is made, otherwise the proceeds of the estate will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, without regard to such claims.

Dated at Toronto this 25th day of April, 1934.

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Last Sunday night Mrs. William Grad very suddenly passed away. We all desire to sympathize with her husband and other relatives.

Mrs. Poulton is an energetic visitor. Last Friday without any assistance from the Captain, who was suffering from a cold, Mrs. Poulton visited most of the residents in the vicinity.

Miss Myrtle ... home from Toronto over the week-end.

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Notice to Tax Defaulters Notice is hereby given that to all arrears of taxes for 1933 outstanding on May 1st, 1934, there will be added an additional penalty of 5% in order to bring the total penalty up to 10%, and that to all arrears for previous years an additional penalty of 10% will be added as provided by statute; and also that in case of non-payment, collection will be made by distress. H. N. FARMER, Clerk. Dated at Acton, Ontario, April 9th, 1934

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MARKET REPORTS

DAIRY PRODUCTS These are Toronto quotations: Butter - Creamery solids, No. 1 21 to 00 do seconds 20 1/2 to 00 Above prices for goods delivered Toronto.

Quotations to Retail Trade Creamery prints, No. 1 24 1/2 to 00 do seconds 24 to 00 Churning cream, f.o.b. country points - Special 24 to 00 No. 1 23 to 00 No. 2 21 to 00

POULTRY AND EGGS Dealers are quoting country shippers for ungraded eggs, delivered, cases returned: Eggs - Grade A, large 16 to 00 Grade A, medium 14 to 00 Grade C 13 to 00

Quotations to Retail Trade Grade A, large, loose 20 to 00 Grade A, medium 19 to 00 Grade C 17 to 00

Quotations to Shippers "A" Grade 1933 Spring Chickens - Dressed Alive S. MP. 13 17 19 Over 6 lbs. each 12 17 19 Over 5 to 6 lbs. 11 16 18 Over 4 to 5 lbs. 11 16 18 Over 2 to 4 lbs. 10 14 16

Fatted Hens - Over 8 lbs. each 12 to 14 Over 4 to 5 lbs. 11 to 13 Over 3 to 4 lbs. 10 to 12 Black and red feathered hens, 20 lb. less.

Young Turkeys - Over 8 lbs. each 00 to 20 Old Roosters, over 5 lbs. 09 to 12

White Ducklings - Over 5 lbs. each 12 to 15 Over 4 to 5 lbs. each 11 to 14 Two cents less for colored ones.

Domestic Rabbits over 4 lbs. 08 to 12 Guinea Fowl, per pair, 75c.

DRESSED MEATS Wholesale dealers in dressed meats quote the following prices to the trade - Beef, forequarters 7.00 to 9.00 do hindquarters 10.00 to 14.00 Carcasses, choice 10.00 to 13.00 do medium 9.00 to 10.00 Calves, choice, veal 11.00 to 12.00 do medium 9.00 to 10.00 Heavy hogs, cwt. 9.00 to 10.00 Abattoir hogs, cwt. 11.00 to 12.00 Lamb, cwt. 15.00 to 17.00 Mutton 9.00 to 8.00

CARLOT POTATOES QUOTED Wholesale prices on carlot Ontario potatoes in Toronto were \$1 per bag. Dealers were quoting in carlots New Brunswick potatoes at \$1.10 and at \$1.25 to \$1.30 to the trade, with Prince Edward Island potatoes at \$1.15 and \$1.30 to \$1.35 to the trade.

GRAIN QUOTATIONS Grain dealers on the Toronto Board of Trade are making the following quotations - Manitoba wheat - No. 1 Northern, 69 1/2c. No. 2 Northern, 67c.

Ontario Grain, approximate price track shipping points - Wheat, carlots, 77c to 79c.

CURRENT LIVE STOCK PRICES Steers up to 1,050 lbs. - Good and choice 5.00 5.40 Medium 4.50 4.85 Common 4.00 4.25

Steers, over 1,050 lbs. - Good and choice 5.75 6.25 Medium 5.25 5.50 Common 4.75 5.25

Hellens - Good and choice 5.00 5.40 Medium 4.50 4.85 Common 4.00 4.25

Fed Calves - Good and choice 6.50 7.00 Medium 5.00 6.00

Cows - Good 3.75 4.25 Medium 3.25 3.50 Common 2.50 3.00

Canners and cutters 1.25 2.25

Bulls - Good 3.25 3.75 Common 2.50 3.00

Stockers and Feeders - Good 4.25 4.50 Common 3.50 4.00

Milkers and springers 25.00 45.00

Veal Calves - Good and choice 6.50 7.00 Common and medium 4.00 6.00 Grassers 2.50 3.50

Hogs - Bacon, Y. O. B. 7.75 do off trucks 6.10 do off cars 8.50

Ewe and wether lambs - Good 9.00 Medium 8.00 8.50 Culls 6.00 7.50

Light Sheep - Good 3.50 4.00 Heavies 2.50 3.25 Culls 1.50 2.25

MILTON Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson and family and Mrs. McBride, of Toronto, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Oswald Stover on Sunday.

Harold "Red" Holmes, who has been attending the O. A. C. at Guelph, has completed his first year's term, and returned to his home here last week.

Unaware that valuable antiques and coins lay within his reach, a thief, who broke into the home of A. G. McNabb, seventh line, Trafalgar Township, on Saturday last, entered the room of Miss Mary Peddie, school teacher of the Coyne school, seventh line, who boards at the McNabb home, and stole \$20 in cash.

Provincial police are investigating.

John Carson, who, on Saturday afternoon last, was sentenced by Justice McEvoy, at the Assizes here, to six years in Kingston penitentiary for robbing the Bank of Montreal, Bronte, was taken to Kingston penitentiary on Tuesday by Sheriff Brown and Deputy Sheriff E. E. Yates.

Harold Cunningham, Carleton place, in the same crime, who received a sentence of three years and five months, was not taken along, as it is understood he will enter an appeal through his counsel, Mr. Murphy - Champion.

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THESE CHICKS PAY BRAY Chickens are money-makers. Let them speak for themselves. John Dew, King, Ont., reports only 8 chicks lost out of 204, fourteen weeks old, and pullets weighing 3 1/2 lbs. John Palmer, Newtonbrook, reports 4 lost out of 300, twelve weeks old, and pullets weighing 2 3/4 lbs. J. A. Leslie, Georgetown, reports a lost out of 395, five weeks old, and cockerels weighing 10 ounces. For complete information about BRAY CHICKS - or for assistance with any Poultry Problems - see the Manager of your Nearest BRAY Hatchery. Or write us direct for booklet and prices. BRAY CHICK HATCHERY 48 CLAYBURN AVENUE ST. CATHARINES, ONT. BRAY HATCHERY AT BRAMPTON Eight Breeds - Eight Years Blood-Testing - Sixth Year Government Approval Local Agent - GEO. C. BROWN, Norval - Phone, Georgetown, 382-21

LIBERAL-PROGRESSIVE Convention! TO BE HELD IN MILTON AT 8.00 P. M. Satur., April 28th For the Purpose of Selecting a Candidate for the Forthcoming Provincial Election SPEAKERS Mitchell F. Hepburn, M. P. Hon. Harry Nixon, M. P. P. Dr. L. J. Simpson, M. P. P. -AND OTHERS- EVERYBODY WELCOME