

Wishes of Birth, Marriage and Death...

BORN - BURROWS - At Eden Mills, on Friday, November 10, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burrows, a daughter.

MATCHES - At Eden Mills, on Wednesday, October 27th, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Mitchell, a daughter.

LAMBERT - On Wednesday, November 10th, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lambert, Acton, the gift of a daughter.

MACDONALD - At the Guelph General Hospital, on Monday, October 12th, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McDonald, a daughter - Dorothy Irene.

DIED - DENNIS - At the home, Rockwood, Ontario, on Sunday, November 7th, 1937, William J. Dennis, beloved husband of Emily Lamb, in his 75th year.

STOKES - At Toronto Western Hospital, on Wednesday, November 3rd, 1937, Miss O. Stokes, beloved wife of Dr. Fred H. Stokes, Rockwood, Ont.

REBEY - Suddenly, at Georgetown on Monday, November 8th, 1937, John William Rebey, his 72nd year, beloved husband of Annie Taylor.

DUNN - At St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, Ontario, on Monday, November 8th, 1937, Lawrence Dunn, of Acton, Ontario, beloved husband of Florence Burdett.

IN MEMORIAM - NICOL - In loving memory of Marion H. Nicol, who passed away November 13th, 1934.

As long as life our hearts shall hold Thy memory ever dear; And ever thy grave in loving grief Shall fall a silent tear.

Ever remembered by, HUBBARD AND FAMILY.

LOCALS

Remembrance Day. It's just nineteen years since the Armistice was signed.

Elliot Bros. are making extensive alterations in the interior of their store on Mill Street.

While Monday's winds and rain were quite heavy, no serious damage is reported in this district.

Arrange your Christmas shopping now. The advertisements will help you to solve many problems.

A motorist was fined for speeding on the Middle Road. It was found his speedometer was 12 miles slow.

"Blondy" Rutledge suffered a broken nose during a hockey game at Hershey, Pa., when Toronto Goodyears played there.

A crew of about a dozen men are drilling now at Seymour Valley property, a couple of miles west of Acton. The men are quartered in the buildings on the property and operating a diamond drill.

A willow shoot of remarkable growth was brought into The Free Press the other day by Mr. W. Douglas, of Speyside. It measured 8 feet 7 1/2 inches, which was about double the average year's growth.

The cement curbs and catch basins on three blocks of Mill Street were completed yesterday. No decision has yet been made whether the remaining block, from Wilbur Street to the C.N.R. tracks, will be included in the plan.

Mr. Robert Parkinson left this week to make his home in Oshawa, where he has secured a position in General Motors and also in an orchestra. Friends and musical circles especially will miss Bob in Acton but all wish him success in the new home.

A new feature is introduced in The Free Press this week which will continue for the next three months at least. It will be found this week on Pages Six and Seven, and headed "Books - The Matter." If readers like it, arrangements may be made to continue the review.

The window of Johnstone & Rumley, arranged by the Acton Branch of the Canadian Legion has been beautiful and has brought to many a significance of Remembrance Day not otherwise secured. The white crosses, row on row, with the names of the local boys who fell, has brought vivid memories to many.

THE BEST CURE - The best cure for make-believe troubles is real trouble. The son of a man who had made a great amount of money was unhappy because he felt he was not welcomed cordially by the set to which he belonged by virtue of his father's wealth. He grew bitter and morose, and his parents were alarmed for fear his mind would give way. Then came the slump. The father lost everything and thought himself lucky to secure a job paying twenty-five dollars a week. The son instead of sitting in his room gnawing his finger nails, and wondering why one of the debutants had failed to invite him to her coming-out party, put on his hat and went out to look for work. He found a job, and now when he brings home his pay envelope on Saturday night, he is all smiles.

The best cure for make-believe troubles is real trouble. If you are making your self miserable over trifles, take yourself in hand, for fear the great Physician may prescribe the real misfortune as a cure.

Obituary

LAWRENCE DUNN - After several years of ill health, Lawrence Dunn passed away on Monday at St. Joseph's Hospital, in Guelph. Born in Acton, a son of Mr. John Dunn, he had spent his entire life here. For a number of years he was employed with the Besenrode Co., but about ten years ago ill health forced him to relinquish his position there. He has, however, been the operator of the motion picture and sound machines at the Gregory Theatre and carried on this work until just a few days before his death. For twenty-two years he has filled this position, and during that time has never missed being on hand for his duties.

A quiet young man, and never complaining, all through his illness, he was liked by all, and a host of friends here joined in heart-felt sympathy with Mrs. Dunn and the little family of six children, the parents, brother and sisters, who are left to mourn the loss of a kindly and doting husband and father.

Twenty-two years ago he was joined in holy wedlock to Miss Florence Burdett, who remained with him, Dorothy, Jack, Loren, Juna and Freddie, at home. His father, Mr. John Dunn, and Mrs. Chas. Gibbons, of Oxbow, Sask.; James, of Kirkland Lake; Miss Anne, Acton; and Mrs. N. Harrop, of Toronto, also remain to mourn his early death.

The funeral was held on Wednesday morning, with Mass in St. Joseph's Church, with Rev. Father Kough, of Rockwood, officiating. Pall-bearers were Messrs. W. D. Talbot, J. R. Leishman, Theo. Papillon, Robert Wallace, Lloyd Massey and George Smith. Interment was made at Dublin cemetery.

Among the floral tributes were those from: The Teachers and Pupils of Acton Continuation School; Mrs. G. James and family; Beardmore's Employees' Association; Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wallace; Mr. W. J. Patterson; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leishman; the Family in Hamilton; Lovell Bros.; Lakeside Chapter K.O.D.E.; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gregory; Making Department, Storey Glover; Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn and James, Jr.

CAMPBELL HERD PRIZE WINNERS IN THE MARITIMES - Championship honors in the Maritime Winter Pair at Amherst, N.S., were won consistently Saturday, by the herd of Duncan A. Campbell, of Moffat, Ontario. Invading the Maritimes for the first time this season, the Ontario herd, regarded as one of the best in Canada, lifted all titles with the exception of the Grand Championship in the market class. This went to Edward P. Anderson, of Sackville, N.B. Campbell's bull, Mystic Prince, which won the Grand Championship of the Shorthorn class, has had similar honors at major fairs throughout the Dominion. The Campbell herd won Senior, Junior and Grand Championship in male and female classes.

JUDGMENT OF \$3,000 AGAINST MILTON FAIR - A case of interest to all Fall Fair Societies was heard in Milton, at the Fall Assizes. Ruling that the Halton Agricultural Society was negligent in failing to close an opening in the fence surrounding the race track during a track event, a jury awarded Mrs. Annie Hillson, 54, Milton Heights, \$3,000. Mrs. Hillson was seriously injured at the 1936 Halton County Fair, there, when Maacot, a horse owned by the late Dr. George McQuibban, threw his rider and bolted through an opening in the guardrail surrounding the track, knocking her down. Her suit against the George McQuibban estate was dismissed. The case started on Friday and concluded on Tuesday. Peter White, K.C., and George Elliott appeared for the Agricultural Society, and F. Rogan, K.C., for Mrs. Hillson.

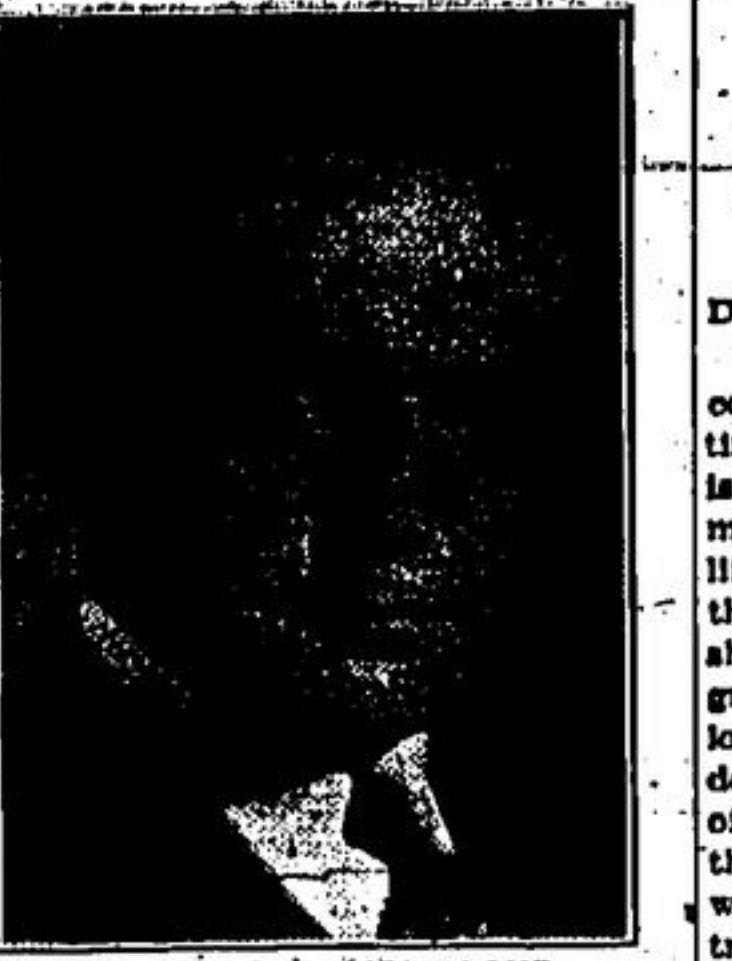
SUDDEN DEATH OF J. W. BESSEY IN ESQUEWING - John William Bessey, aged 77, died suddenly of heart failure while working in the barn of his farm, near Georgetown on Monday. His body was found by members of the family.

He was born, and had lived all his life, on the same farm, and was a son of the late John Smith Bessey.

Surviving are his wife, who was Miss Annie Taylor, four sons, Wilfred C. Ray and Harry, of Georgetown, and two in Toronto; three daughters, Mrs. (Dr.) Smith, Kitchener; Mrs. B. Morris, Toronto; and Miss Pearl, at home. He was a member of the Baptist Church and a Liberal in politics.

APPLE AND POTATO CROPS IN U.S. - The total 1937 apple crop of the United States, estimated at 204,310,000 bushels, is slightly larger than the estimate of August 1st, and compares with a total production of 117,806,000 bushels in 1936, and with a crop of 184,355,000 bushels in the 5-year average 1932-33.

The United States 1937 potato crop is estimated at 603,283,000 bushels compared with 529,997,000 harvested in 1936, and 372,115,000 bushels, the 5-year average 1932-33.



THEODORE G. MONTAGUE who has been elected president of The Besenrode Company, succeeding Arthur W. Milburn, who died last month. Mr. Montague has been vice-president in full charge of fluid milk and ice cream operations. It is also announced that George M. Waugh, Jr., has been elected executive vice-president.

White Crosses and Poppies and Remembrance (Continued from Page One)

which was eternal. Youth goes on forever and therefore bears the burden of the nation. He likened war to disease. Both must be stamped out. Many times it is a serious operation. We need in those days that quality of spirit to fight against war and disease—that perseverance that is typical of British people.

We are facing great tests in these times. The Legion stands for peace—but peace with honor. A quotation from "The Old Story" last public address to an assemblage of young people seemed appropriate and we need the faith that he has in the youth of today.

We are gathered in a brotherhood of remembrance. It is our duty to find a cure for war and disease. Let us remember what the cost has been. It is our duty to remember those who have made the sacrifice. The poem of Robert W. Service, in which he tells of meeting three men, disabled in the Great War, one who had lost his legs, one who had lost his arms, and one who had lost his face. Living, yet dead. Not a picture of the glamour and glory of war, but of the sacrifice. A word story of the anguish of soul, living among those who loved, but loved so well that he refused to own. Remembrance Day is not a sentiment. It is a brotherhood, a duty.

A brief prayer, the National Anthem and the benediction. Acton's service concluded by twelve o'clock. The Legionnaires this afternoon are conducting similar services in Rockwood and Nasagawaya. It's Remembrance Day.

THE OLD STORY

Wilkins—What you ought to do for your old is to take quinine. Murton—I'm sorry, but there are one hundred and forty-seven cures I've promised to try before yours.

MYSTERY OF DAGGER

A curious bronze dagger, with a rib running down the blade and a hook at the end of the handle has come to light in North Yorkshire. It is said that no other weapon of its kind has been found in England, and it is thought this one may have been made in Cyprus 3000 years before Christ. How it came into the hands of an Ancient Briton and was lost on the Yorkshire moors remains a mystery. At any rate, it is believed to be nearly 40 centuries old, and to have been made south of the Alps.

THE SCOTCH OF IT

Overheard between a tailor and a Scotman who stood five feet ten: "Would you charge the same L.I. stood six feet six?" asked the customer. "Why, certainly, sir." "How much more cloth would you need?" "Roughly about a yard." "Then I'll have the suit and the extra yard, too. It will make a pair of trousers for my wee son."

R. E. BOWLES RETURNING

Those who heard, and heard talked about, the organ recital given by Mr. R. E. Bowles, the prominent Toronto organist, last Spring, will be interested to know that Mr. Bowles is returning for another recital in the United Church, on the evening of Monday, November 29th. This time, in addition Mr. Bowles is bringing with him his Toronto Male Chorus, one of the finest glee clubs in Canada, which will do a variety of songs, from the rickety, joyous choruses only a male chorus can do right-ly, to dignified numbers. The program promises to be a most unusual one and will afford the folk of Acton and the countryside surrounding a splendid opportunity to hear the best in that type of music.

The LETTER BOX

ALBERTA MUSINGS - Dear Free Press: The suggestion for an exhibition of a collection of cutlery in the way of old-time usages and implements of use, etc., is well worthy of adoption. It would make an interesting event in community life. For instance, the writer could, if there, furnish for exhibition a "last" for shoe-making, brought from Ireland by grandfather, about 1840, but which had long been in use. It has gradually come into three generations, and is inclined to "think it would be a "quare kind of foot" would fit a shoe made thereon. Better try the experiment.

On Saturday evening, November 30th, it was with a shock of surprise to learn of the death, in High River, of T. H. Harding, once well known in Acton's commercial and public life. The writer had an unexpected interview with him on the street in High River, on Armistice Day, last November. Some Acton reminiscences were hurriedly scribbled in each hand, and could call some time he is over in "the Valley." But how he has gone!

Almost equally surprising was the word on Monday of the death of Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) known for many years either by his books or names of new ones, he has been of interest. Added to this was hearing him preach Montreal. A lady called here over a year ago, who when she said she had been from Ontario, brought out the inevitable question, "What part?" When she said, "Glenary," that brought up Ralph Connor, and she said she was a Glenary schoolmate of Dr. Gordon, and had been one of his Winnipeg congregation, although now living here. Moreover, in one of his books, the preacher depicted as leading congregational singing had been, as the basis therefor, her own father. There would be many an explanation of surprise and regret over the Dominion on November 1st, "Ralph Connor dead!" as the news would come by morning paper, then radio, then more fully, by evening papers.

According to yesterday's Calgary Herald (November 1st) oil producers are alarmed over disposal of crude tanks, nearing overflow. So rapidly have new spouters been struck, although much over a mile down, that the potential daily capacity of crude is approximately seven million barrels a year. Another big pipe line is being laid over the hill, to have its contents pumped to the top, to go from there to Calgary by gravity.

J. S. COLEMAN, Turner Valley, Alta.

Dear Free Press: Once again I feel I must drop a few lines to all my friends in the south. Just two years ago, November 1st, we landed here, to make a new home. Hal- lowe'en night was spent with relatives at Palermo, and it was rather an exciting night. Not with ghosts and earthquakes. The beds shook, window panes and dishes rattled, and a peculiar rumbling sound for some few minutes.

The short story in last week's press reminded me of that night's experience. But, in spite of the excitement, we got up early, and drove all day long, landing here about 6:30 p.m., averaging about 40 miles per hour for the 10 hours of driving time. We had hoped to be able to get back for a short visit before this, but farm life finds so many occupations, and so many places for the limited income, that there seems no place for visiting so far away.

The weather this fall has been a terrible drawback, so wet, week after week, that outside work has been terribly held up. Those who were not able to thresh early have had a terrible time saving crops, and some will never be harvested. The wet weather commenced just in root digging time, and thousands of bags of potatoes have never been dug, but there is no scarcity, and plenty were taken up for home use.

I have been fortunate with mine. We got them up in good shape and by going to market regularly, they have found a ready sale each week, for two, three or four bags, by the basket, at 15c and 25c for 6 and 11-quart size; beets and carrots also at 25c per 6 quarts.

Kirkland Lake continues to boom. No expense is spared in modernizing both living conditions or business facilities. Its stores are comparable with any in the cities in the south, and are increasing every month. Larder Lake is booming, too, and growing very fast. Its mines have proved up far beyond expectations and development now is trying to keep pace. Matachewan is also booming again. Three new mines have commenced operations this fall, and the extra employment makes demand for extra commodities of all kinds.

Our immediate locality will soon be on the map as an important place. The Dominion Government, after numerous tests, has chosen Earleton as the most favorable location for their radio station and building has already commenced. In connection with this, a flying field has been located and considerable preliminary work has been commenced, and no doubt will be completed next year.

Highway construction has gone ahead, but weather conditions have interfered with this work, too, and as a consequence some of the road under construction is in very bad shape, but the contractors are doing all in their power to make them at least passable, by surfacing with crushed rock and gravel. Graders are still at work, in spite of November 1st being the time set to cease. But we've

had no freeze up yet, so I presume till that occurs the graders will continue to work.

Hunting season is on again, and those interested in this sport are having great success. Both ducks and geese were very plentiful, and, according to accounts, big game is too.

Coming home from Thornloe one day recently, we passed a car with two beautiful moose heads fastened to back and front, as evidence of a successful hunt.

Harold was home from camp last weekend and tells great stories of their life in the bush. Plenty of evidence of game they don't just see any, except rabbits and partridge, and he says they kill them with attacks when they want them. And any amount of wonderful fish—pike, pickerel, bass and trout—just for a bit of time spent. Their camp is right on the lakeshore, so even though some 20 miles from the nearest town, they enjoy the life.

At home here we've been having a siege of measles; first Evelyn took them, and of course one of us had to go and nurse her for a few days, and when she was about better, Lillian developed them. So I suppose I'll have to go the rounds, but with reasonable care there's nothing serious, just being tied in. Rest all well so far.

Now, for this time, Cordially yours, R. W. JOHNSON, R. R. No. 1, Thornloe.

TOURIST TRADE IN CANADA APPROACHES HIGH MARK IN 1939

That visitors are very much impressed with the wonderful territory Canada offers for tourist travel is indicated by the fact that during the past season tourists spent approximately \$300,000,000 in Canada for goods and services, indicating an increase of fifteen per cent. over last year, according to C. K. Howard, Manager, Tourist and Convention Bureau of the Canadian National Railways. This figure nearly approaches the high mark of 1929 when tourists spent \$309,000,000 in the Dominion.

"While this tourist trade is encouraging, it yet reveals the immense potentialities yet to be developed along this line in Canada and should make every citizen interested in supporting the work that is being done by Federal and Provincial Governments, civic organizations, transportation companies, tourist bureaus, etc., stated Mr. Howard.

Indicative of the work that is being done by Provincial Government for attracting tourists, it is pointed out that continuous highway improvement is being made in Ontario, while Quebec has a splendid highway encircling the Gaspé Peninsula and plans are under way to improve highways in other areas. Nova Scotia will have all main highways hard-surfaced by next year and New Brunswick is doing good work in this direction, while Prince Edward Island is also improving the roads.

The increase in tourist traffic during the past season indicates a greater spending capacity on the part of visitors and Mr. Howard points out that every phase of industry is affected by this influx of tourists, transportation companies, hotels, restaurants, manufacturers, retail stores, agriculture and many other benefitting from our tourist trade. "The tourist dollar is spread over a larger proportion of our population than any other dollar and it is essential that we maintain or improve our position in this highly competitive industry by accentuating our appeal to our friends in other countries who not only desire, but must be encouraged, to visit us."

"There is still a great deal to be accomplished in making every citizen of Canada tourist-conscious so that they will support in every way possible the work of those charged with the responsibility of the developing, soliciting and directing of visitors to the many pleasurable areas Canada has to offer," concluded Mr. Howard.

JUST IMAGINE

A woman had gone to Scotland for the first time in her life. On her return to London she expressed herself as quite surprised at the comparative civilization of the North.

"Our English customs are spreading rapidly," she said; "even in a little town like St. Andrews they have a nice golf course."

ROYAL Guelph's Modern Theatre

NOW UNTIL FRIDAY JOAN CRAWFORD Franchot Tone - Robert Young

The Bride Wore Red Shows at 2.15, 7 and 9 p.m.

Starting Saturday—For 3 Days ERROL FLYNN

The Perfect Specimen With Joan Blondell Hugh Herbert

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Week-end Specials

- Chocolate Coated Dates, special, per lb. 15c
- Assorted Chocolates—Hard and Soft Centres, lb. 19c
- Society Whirls, wrapped Kisses, 8 oz. for 10c
- Planter's Roasted Peanuts, per lb. 14c
- Men's Tweed Pants, sizes 32 to 44, \$1.50 value, for 98c
- Men's All-wool Work Socks 25c
- Men's Fancy Broadcloth Shirts—Plain, Striped or Checked fused collars, for 89c
- Boys' All-wool Gloves regular 25c, special 19c
- Men's Mulekin Leather Mitts, Reg. 35c, special 25c
- Men's Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, special 69c
- Men's Fleece-lined Combinations, Special \$1.29
- Boys' Fleece-lined Combinations, Special 86c
- Boys' Fleece-lined Pullover Sweaters, Special 59c
- Ladies' Short and Long Sleeve Flannelette Night Gowns, at 49c, 89c
- Ladies' Fleece-lined Chamousette Gloves, pair 39c
- Misses' Colored Woolen Gloves, large cuffs, pair 49c
- Children's Fleece-lined Waists 35c
- Girls' Flannelette Pyjamas 89c
- Children's Plum Bloomers 35c
- Ladies' Print House Dresses 79c
- Hawes' Floor Wax, 1 lb. tin 35c
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- 1/2 Feet by 6 Feet per piece

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No. 1 Netminder of New York Amerks



KARL ROBERTSON Since diminutive Roy Worters, former New York American goalie, is definitely out of the game, due to an injury he suffered last season, Earl Robertson, spare goalie for Detroit Red Wings last season, has finally landed himself a No. 1 net minder position. Manager Mervin "Red" Dutton, of the star-spangled Amerks, has signed Earl on a contract and if his playing for the Red Wings during the Stanley Cup series, when Normie Smith was injured last year, is any indication of his ability, he should have a splendid season this year, and greatly bolster the Amerks' defensive powers.

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