

Notice of Birth, Marriage and Death are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, per line per line additional for poetry.

BORN

ROBERTSON—At the Toronto Western Hospital, on Monday, July 11th, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robertson, 90 Eglon Avenue, a son.

DEED

DUNN—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Quebec, on Friday, July 8th, 1938, Edmund J. Dunn, of 18 St. Joseph's Street, Toronto.

CRIPPS—At the home, Rockwood, Ontario, on Monday, July 11th, 1938, Katharine Moore Cripps, in her 70th year.

YOUNG—At the home, Main Street, Acton, Ontario, on Sunday, July 10th, 1938, Daniel H. Young, dearly beloved father of Myrtle (Mrs. H. E. Meyers), Margaret and Joseph, in his 75th year.

IN MEMORIAM

FISHER—In loving memory of our dear father and mother, who entered into rest July 10th, 1937, and July 18th, 1937.

"They will be done" seems hard to say. When one we loved has passed away; Some day, perhaps, we'll understand. When we meet again in that better land.

Sadly missed by SON ALVIN and FAMILY.

TYLER—In loving memory of my dear husband, Edward, who died July 17th, 1936.

Days of sadness still come o'er me. Tears in silence often flow; For memory keeps you ever near me. Though you died two years ago.

Sadly missed by his loving WIFE and FAMILY.

LOCALS

Civic Holiday will be the next summer holiday.

What is being out on nearby farms. The harvest is on.

Cherries are ripe and raspberries are on the market.

The bathing beach is a popular place for young and old these days.

Don't fuss over summer shopping. Consult the ads first and do it the easy way.

Acton Orangemen and True Blue Lodge celebrated the Glorious Twelfth in Georgetown.

Public bodies are taking holidays and Councils and various Boards are meeting only once a month.

The highway sign reading, "Blue Water Springs," early this year, has now been changed to "Blue Springs" again.

You can have Tax Free Passes mailed to your summer address. We'll gladly arrange it so you won't miss a single copy.

It cost Wm. Everist, of Kitchener, a fine \$5 and costs for speeding on Acton street in Police Court here this week.

Some of the finest hollyhock bloom about town is in the garden of Mr. R. J. Kerr. Just now they are a beautiful sight.

The Tax Free Pass has another new correspondent giving away items from Glen Williams. Readers will enjoy items of this district.

The street guide at Mill and Main Streets has been broken. To avoid accidents a painted strip should replace the guide immediately.

Those curve signs on the highway that denote the speed limit for the curves are quite helpful—especially to the stranger on the road.

Mason Knitting Company is installing several new machines in order to meet the demand for the splendid products manufactured there.

Wm. Woodward, of Bowmanville, paid a fine of \$10 and costs in Acton yesterday for failing to report a motor car accident on Dominion Day.

Seventy leaders from many centres in Ontario will be attending the camp at Blue Springs in the next few weeks. When they visit Acton, make them feel welcome.

Mr. W. J. O. Oakes, who has been residing in Quebec since retiring from the farm, has purchased the residence on Willow Street, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ramsden, and will remove to Acton shortly.

IT IS STRANGE

"This is a wonderful suit of clothes I'm wearing."

"It looks like an ordinary piece of goods to me."

"What I mean is, the wool was grown in Australia, the cloth woven in New England, the thread was made in Britain, the suit was made in New York, and the dealer I purchased it from has his store in Peoria, Illinois."

"What's strange about that?"

"Why, it's a wonder that so many people can make a living out of something that I've never paid for."

GOOD SHOES FOR YOUNG AND OLD "Curiously Fit" B. D. RACHLIN, Acton

Obituary

EDMUND I. DUNN

After a brief illness the death occurred on July 8th, 1938, in St. Joseph's Hospital, Quebec, Ontario, of Edmund I. Dunn, late of 18 St. Joseph's Street, Toronto, Ontario.

Born near Acton, on March 1st, 1871, son of the late James Dunn and Catharine Foley, Mr. Dunn spent most of his life in the employ of the Canadian Pacific Railway, from the service of which he retired two years ago. For many years he has been a member of the Toronto Council of the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by three brothers, John and Theodore, of Acton; and William, of Toronto.

The funeral was held from the home of his brother, John Dunn, Acton, to St. Joseph's Church, where Requiem Mass was celebrated by the Reverend J. L. MacBride. The pall-bearers were Joseph Flynn, John Letshman, John Kennedy, Lawrence Gibbons, E. Harrop and Geo. Mulholland.

D. H. YOUNG

A highly respected citizen of Acton for the past sixteen years, and a native of Erin Township, Daniel H. Young passed away on Sunday at his home on Main Street, Acton, in his 75th year. He had been in failing health for some few weeks, but throughout his illness was always cheerful and bore his suffering with Christian fortitude.

Daniel H. Young was a son of Thos. Young, and was born in Erin Township. He spent his life farming in that Township until sixteen years ago, when he and Mrs. Young and family came to Acton and purchased the pretty farm, part of which is within the Corporation limits. Four years after coming to Acton, he sustained a great loss when the beloved partner, who was before marriage Annie Binnie, was called home.

Three children remain to revere his memory, Mrs. H. E. Meyers, Marengo, Ill.; Miss Margaret, at home; and Miss Jessie, of Toronto. It was a great joy to him that all of them were able to be at home during many weeks of his illness and minister to his comfort. Two grandchildren, Elaine Margaret and Audrey Ferns Meyers, also hold very happy memories of their grandparent.

Four sisters and two brothers also remain. They are: Mrs. J. D. Torrie, Orangeville; Mrs. Robt. Kincardine; Misses Margaret and Helen Young, and Thomas Young, of Georgetown; and W. J. Young, of Erin. To all who have been showing sympathy of many friends here goes out.

The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon, with a service at the home, conducted by Mr. Robert McCrory, of Hamilton. Mr. Young was in fellowship with Christians gathered in the name of the Lord Jesus.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Alex. Orr, Acton; Arthur Torrie, Toronto; Kenneth Kirkwood, Douglas Young and George Binnie, Erin; and Ross Letch, Vainfield. Flower bearers were Messrs. G. W. Massias, Walter Couke, John McQueen, Howard Switzer, Lloyd McKeown, Jack Sinclair, Norman Wright and R. B. Kirkwood. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

WILFORD ALEXANDER BUCHANAN

Wilford Alexander Buchanan, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buchanan, Grand Valley, and beloved husband of Hilda Mair, passed away in the Galt General Hospital on Tuesday evening, July 5th, following an illness of three months.

The late Mr. Buchanan was in his 45th year, thirty years of which were spent in the employ of the C.P.R. Born in Grand Valley, February 25th, 1891, he received his early education in the local schools. At the age of 15 he became assistant agent with his father at the Grand Valley C.P.R. station. During the next few years he worked at Bobcaygeon, Bowmanville and Myrtle.

On July 12th, 1916 he married Hilda Mair at Hamora, Manitoba, and settled in Oshawa. Early in 1917 he came back to relieve on the Briaux Division of the C.P.R. and was sent to Baxter in 1918 as agent, where he remained until March, 1919, when Camp Borden was closed. He moved to Owen Sound as day operator and resided there until August, 1928, when he became agent at Eady station.

When Eady station was closed on November 1st, 1932, he worked as third-hour operator at MacTier until in August, 1933, when he moved to Galt as third-hour operator.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Allan and Charles, of Galt; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buchanan, of Grand Valley, and one brother, Dr. Allan, of Acton. His sister, Lulu Mae, predeceased him on November 2nd, 1918, in her 22nd year.

The funeral service, from his parents' home, on Friday, July 8th, was conducted by Rev. C. Graham Jones, assisted by Rev. A. L. Atton, of Orion. During the service Mrs. Jones sang "Gathering Home."

Many friends attended the funeral from Grand Valley and the following outside points: Toronto, Tottenham, Hockley, Orangeville, Owen Sound, Orton, Fergus, Brampton, Teeswater, Acton, Meaford, Fonthill, Stratford.

The remains were laid to rest in the family plot in the Union Cemetery, Grand Valley—Grand Valley Star and Vidette.

The Queen's Rangers, under Governor Simcoe, in 1794, constructed the Yonge Street road from Toronto north to Lake Simcoe.

HIS ASSISTANCE SOUGHT.



The assistance of A. J. B. Gray, above, Supervisor of Ontario Municipalities, has been secured by the Manitoba government, which is appointing a committee to investigate the financial affairs of the city of Winnipeg. Mr. Gray will be one of a committee of three for the investigation.

Halton and Peel Best Jersey District on the Continent

Halton and Peel Jersey Picnic, which was held at Lindsay Brothers, Trafalgar Township, on Saturday last, attracted a crowd of approximately 200 Jersey enthusiasts. Jersey breeders were also present from York and Ontario Clubs. Following the picnic lunch a few words of welcome were extended by President Ward Ruddle, of Georgetown, after which the gathering was addressed by C. M. Meek, Chairman of the Ontario Milk Control Board. Mr. Meek briefly summarized the activities of the Board, following which the speaker emphasized the need for an effective educational program to bring about a clearer conception of the value of milk as a food. In this connection reference was made to the work of the Ontario Milk Foundation and also to results secured from similar efforts in Great Britain and the United States.

The program also included judging competitions for men, women and Junior Farmers, which were conducted under the direction of Agricultural Representatives J. E. Whitlock and C. D. Graham, of Halton and Peel Counties. The official judge was Jas. Brenner, the Secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club, and the prize winners are as follows:

Ladies—Mrs. Peter Dick, Georgetown, Junior Farmers—Don Baag, Unionville.

Men—Douglas Warman, Brampton. A sports program, which was run off under the direction of John Pawley, Vice-President of the Club, and Wm. Cockburn, of York County, brought the event to a conclusion.

FANNED BY THE FIRE

Wife—I'm afraid, George, you don't love me as much as you used to. You always let me get up and light the fire now!

Hubby—Nonsense, dear! You're getting up to light the fire makes me love you all the more.

TRUMPING ACES, TOO?

"Look here, dear, you must have asked what are trumping in the middle of practically every hand to-night. I wish you wouldn't it look bad."

"I'm so sorry, darling. I only did it to show I was taking an interest in the game."

Site for Fire Hall Arranged at Rockwood

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receiving the County requisition to be made as per Sheet A.

By-law No. 6, assessing the Township for the various rates, was given first and second readings, on motion of Messrs. Kelly and Gray; and third reading, on motion of Messrs. Pinkney and Kelly.

Mr. Warden Edna McLean waited on the Council, seeking support for the movement to make the County of Wellington a tested area for T.B. The Council assured Mr. McLean of their support.

Accounts amounting to \$1,340.55 were passed for payment and Council adjourned to meet Monday, August 8th, at 7.30 p.m.

HEADS KIWANIS



H. G. Hatfield, of Oklahoma City, was elected President of Kiwanis International at the annual Convention, held in San Francisco. He succeeds P. Trafford Taylor, of St. Boniface, Man.

Family of Five Hitch-hiked from Nova Scotia

Friday was one of the hottest days of this year, and James Humphrey and his wife and family of three made the twenty mile trip from Brampton to Acton and recorded seven blow-outs. But that, in not by any means a small part of Humphrey's journey or his method of travelling half way across the continent.

He started out this summer from Stollarton, Nova Scotia, bound to visit his brother in London, Ontario, and then go north to work in the mines. Humphrey has worked in the Nova Scotia mines for 16 years, but lack of work prompted him to try somewhere else for employment.

With his wife and Arthur, 7, Gordon, 6, and Jean, 3 years, he started west. For 1,600 miles he hitch-hiked, but he says the going was hard in Quebec, where it was difficult to be understood. Not many motorists were able to carry five extra passengers.

At Brampton two weeks' work was secured with a farmer, and the funds secured combined with Mrs. Humphrey's watch, bought a car of ancient type, but still running. At any rate, travel was a change. Walking was replaced by tire patching. The family parked Friday night at Banockburn School, just outside Acton.

Hereafter Humphrey avowed he was going to do his travelling at night. They left Acton Saturday bound for London. The youngsters were healthy and the whole party seemed to be thriving on the trip even if his progress was a bit doubtful and meals not too regular.

Freud Reaches English Sanctuary



Dr. Sigmund Freud, internationally famous pioneer of psycho-analysis, who gave us such, some commonly used words as "complex," "fixation," "introvert," etc., is pictured in London shortly after his arrival from Austria. With the professor is his daughter, Mrs. Hollitschek. They are pictured outside Dr. Freud's new home in Easworthy Road, Hampstead, where the scientist plans to carry on the work interrupted by Germany's conquest of Austria and his subsequent exile from the homeland.

The LITTLE BOX

Dear Free Press:

It is indeed an honor to have attained 63 years of successful publication. And the improvement in the first issue in the 64th year is indeed noticeable.

Improvements of any kind are always an effort on someone's part, and need encouragement and mention.

In one of the editorial articles, a suggestion was made for farmers to have their names legibly printed and placed at their gate entrance.

I had that idea this spring and, having a can of new paint, I went out and painted our large blue mail box, which is right at the lane entrance. When the paint dried sufficiently, I lettered it on both sides and ends.

It looked very nice for a few days. Then, one morning I went out to post a letter, and, to my disgust, noticed that some mischievous villain had, with either a stone or knife, scratched three long marks across my new paint. So you see, some folks don't value improvements.

You hear folk say their nose has been kept to the grindstone. Ours has been kept to the ground, and oh my! it's been thinned. But really we accomplished a lot. We have a big garden, something over two acres, and rows of carrots, beets, parsnips, onions, etc., about 125 yards long, and about 14 inches apart. Seems almost an endless job to hand weed and thin, but it's a satisfaction to see it clean.

Folk in Acton can't boast too much. We have green peas and strawberries on our menu too, and will have new potatoes in a few days. Blueberries are ripening. The children got enough for a pie, so they won't be long.

Haying has started in earnest and the boys say will be a fine crop. Early grain is coming out in head, so harvest will be in good time. Just in this locality we haven't near enough moisture. There's been plenty of rain all around us, but just here it's very dry.

The construction camp is a place of activity these days. A large number of hired trucks, in addition to their own fleet, are all busy, hauling to both road and airport. During the past week the towers, about 150 feet high, have been erected for the radio station.

The machinery and material is being prepared for the lava surface, which will soon be under way. About 12 miles of the cross-country cut-off has culverts under construction. When this work is completed, ditching and grading will be rushed along, which doesn't take long with the modern machinery they have.

Road building is a tremendous expense, but seems necessary in this age of motor travel.

Foreign cars are becoming more numerous, and great care in driving is necessary, with so much construction under way. Accidents destroy the pleasure.

Cordially,
R. W. JOHNSON

R. R. No. 1, Thornloe

Charles Ruddy Gave Tip for Thieves' Arrest

A three-week search for \$40,000 worth of gold concentrates, stolen from the Dome Mine, at South Porcupine, ended last week with the capture of Otto Pabro in a tourist cabin at Lowell Lake in the Timagami forest reserve. Another man, Nick West, surrendered to police officers.

It was a tip from Mr. Charles Ruddy which first put police on the trail of the men, and after a search of the cabin the concentrates were found. Mr. Ruddy has already filed claim for the \$5,000 reward which was offered for the recovery of the gold.

Because both Pabro and West had considerable money on them at the time of their arrest with the gold concentrates, police have expressed the opinion the men were merely the "tools" of an organized gang and that West and Pabro were financially backed by the ring. Police are conducting an intensive search for other participants in the robbery and the officers expect that within a short while the mystery will be cleared up. The stolen gold concentrates were discovered inside the seat cushions and in the roof of the car used by the accused men.

The Sudbury Star of July 8th carried the above item, also pictures of Lowell Camp, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ruddy, formerly of Acton.

JUNE TRAVELS "SOLO" AND LIKED HER TRIP

A little red-head, six-year-old ocean traveller arrived in Vancouver recently on the Continental Limited train of the Canadian National Railways. She is June Bryan, an orphan, who came alone all the way from Leeds, Yorkshire, England, to live with her uncle and aunt in the Pacific Coast city. June is one of many children who travel "solo" on trains of the Canadian National System where they receive every attention while en route.

"I had a fine time on the way," said June who will be seven years old July 30th. "Everybody was good to me." She became a little homesick when the S. S. "Antonia" docked at Montreal and she was told the remainder of the trip would be by train, where she would see new sights all along the way through the West. But everything was all right when she found her shipboard friends, a Vancouver Island man and wife, would be with her all the way to Vancouver.

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Mickey Mouse Creator Receives Degree

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