

Wishes of Mrs. M. M. ...

WEDDINGS—In Terra ...

MARRIED—At Acton ...

DEED—At the home ...

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OGALS

—Civic Holiday—next Monday. Enjoy it.

—Three masked gunmen robbed a Mono Township farmer of \$300 on Monday night.

—Two or three power interruptions occurred during the electrical storm on Tuesday morning.

—A speed of 70 miles an hour on the highway brought a fine of \$30 and costs in Acton Police Court.

—Picnics and re-unions are still popular summer-time outings, and the occasional garden party is still popular.

—The masts at Lindsay's mill were burned out when lightning struck the wires leading into the mill on Friday.

—Three cases for violation of the Highway Traffic Act were heard in Police Court here yesterday morning.

—Prime Minister Mackenzie King has given definite assurance of no election in 1938, unless a national emergency arises.

—The lawn mowers came back into use again after the rains. It is just impossible to get a condition entirely satisfactory.

—Another smash at "Calamity Corner" occurred on Monday morning. The participants are reported to have paid off and drove away.

—Fifty yards of sand was placed on the beach in the Park, on Fairy Lake, this week, and have greatly improved the conditions there.

—The cars and folks in town last Saturday night made Acton resemble Fair Day. Every street in the main section was jammed with parked cars.

—During the electrical storm on Tuesday morning, lightning struck Mrs. Stanley Morrison, and affected others who were in the barn at the time of the storm.

—The Safety Lane, for testing the efficiency of motor cars, will be in Acton on Monday, August 8th, and on other days that week in towns of Halton County.

—A ploughshare and an iron fork are exhibited in The Pax Press window this week. They were secured by Mr. N. F. Moore in his search for articles of pioneer days.

—Lovers of choral music are going to have a rare treat this year at the Canadian National Exhibition. The Welsh Imperial Singers will be present and will present several concerts at the Coliseum.

—Mr. George Eald, who has been manager of the Acton Creamery for the past few years, has purchased a creamery near Atwood and will remove from Acton this week.

—The United Kingdom Pavilion at the Canadian National Exhibition will be opened by cable from London, England, on Thursday, August 25th, the day preceding the opening of the Exhibition, which this year will be held from Friday, August 26th, to Saturday, September 10th.

TAKE THAT CHIEF OFF YOUR SHOULDER

If you are one of the many to whom driving is no longer a pleasure, here is a hint that may be helpful. Next time you start out on a trip, take that chip off your shoulder! And take your sense of humor along. Promise yourself that you won't let little things disturb you, and see what happens. If someone attempts to steal your right of way, let him have it. Don't yell at him, but smile indulgent. Be indulgent, as you would be with the small boy who reaches for the largest piece of cake on the plate. A safe journey—and a surprisingly pleasant journey—will be your reward.

GOOD SHOES FOR YOUNG AND OLD

FOR YOUNG AND OLD "COUNTRY FITTER" R. D. RACHLIN, Acton

G. W. Masales Opens Modern Dairy Plant Here

Yesterday marked the opening of a modern dairy plant in Acton by Mr. G. W. Masales of the Jersey Dairy. The building was built two years ago, and is of most modern type, with built-in cooler room and stationary equipment for washing and sterilizing bottles and containers.

This week saw the completion of the installation of the pasteurizing plant. An upright boiler supplies the steam and hot water necessary for the work. A large pasteurizer of stainless steel, every part of which is easily accessible for cleaning, is now in operation. It is controlled by large thermometers. The cooling device is immediately adjoining and from here the milk goes direct to the bottling machines. It is kept until delivery time in the larger cooler which is maintained at the proper temperature by an automatic machine.

A drilled well on the premises, with automatic pump, provides an adequate supply of water for washing and keeping the premises in spotless condition. Numbers of citizens availed themselves of the opportunity to visit this modern plant yesterday—the opening day. We understand that those who could not attend yesterday are welcome at any time to inspect the premises.

THE SMITH-MABEY WEDDING IN GUELPH THIS WEEK

A very pretty wedding took place in St. George's Church, Guelph, when Ethel Susan Eleanor Mabey, third daughter of Mr. A. E. Mabey and the late Mrs. Mabey, of that city, became the bride of Wallace Gordon Smith, eldest son of Mrs. W. J. Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. D. Brown. The bride was lovely in Royal blue and white accessories and carrying a bouquet of sweet peas and baby's breath. After the ceremony a buffet luncheon was held at the home of the groom's mother, London Road, Guelph. Guests included only immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith will in the near future, make their home in Acton.

TO SURVEY SETTLEMENT AT YELLOWKNIFE

In order to accommodate the growing population of miners, settlers and traders in the Northwest Territories, the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, announces that a settlement will be laid out at Yellowknife Bay as soon as possible. Instructions are being issued by the Minister through the Surveyor General for the survey of an area of approximately forty acres to be subdivided into 128 lots.

Notwithstanding the developments which have made the laying out of an orderly settlement at Yellowknife desirable, the Department again warns against men going to the area in search of employment. The mining companies are making their own employment arrangements outside and taking into the region only those for whom they can assume full responsibility. Opportunities at Yellowknife or elsewhere in the Northwest Territories are practically limited to those who are properly outfitted and financed as prospectors or under actual contract with some responsible organization engaged in mining or other development.

Attracted by the prospects of new discoveries and the mining picture theories have been issued. A lawyer has opened an office in the settlement. The Yellowknife area is served by water and air transportation, the bay in front of the settlement providing a good aeroplane harbor for both winter and summer use. The Hudson's Bay Company and the Northern Transportation Company both operate boats to Yellowknife settlement and it has been reported that two smaller transportation companies will operate this summer.

Last year the major companies had to augment their transportation facilities in order to take care of increased freight resulting from mining activities in the Yellowknife area. Air transportation is provided by the Mackenzie Air Service and the Canadian Airways Limited, these companies keeping planes in the Yellowknife area over the fall freeze-up and the spring break-up periods.

HIS REPLY

The curate was preaching his first sermon in his new church. He was not flattered to notice that one or two of the congregation became rather sleepy. Later in the week he happened to call upon one of the offenders.

"Well, sir," said the parishioner, "I suppose you'll have made a few friends since coming here?"

"Oh, yes, thanks!" replied the curate. "Also a few poinding acquaintances."

TO SELL ANCESTRAL HOME

Setting sail from Southampton, after visiting England for several weeks, the Earl of Egmont, Alberta rancher, announced his intention of selling his ancestral home in Hampshire, Avon castle. The Earl also announced he would proceed with formalities to enable him to take his seat in the House of Lords.

GRAFF RE-UNION HELD AT PARK IN GRAVENHURST

On July 24th, the Graff re-union was held at Melior Park, Gravenhurst, and Ontario's beauty spots, when about seventy-five relatives and friends gathered to spend an enjoyable time together. Those from southern points were: Mr. and Mrs. John Graff, Misses Thelma, Anna and Toola, Messrs. Howard and Ward, of Echo Lodge Farm; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gordon, Jack, Freddie and Arlene, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman and Teddy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anthony and Eleanor, from Acton and vicinity; Mr. and Mrs. George Graff and Shirley, Miss Beatrice Graff, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graff, Brooklin, Ont.; Mr. Bert Robertson, of Eberton; Messrs. Ernie Worsley and Jim Turnbull, of Toronto; Miss Ella Murphy, of Princeton, New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Butler and Wilma, Mr. and Mrs. W. McInyre and Mr. Douglas McEachern, of Acton. Those from northern points were: Mrs. David Graff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graff and family, Mr. Wm. Graff and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Graff and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Frederick and family, and other friends from Fowansham; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson, Huntsville; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson, of New Liskeard, concluded the list.

WHITE WHEAT SURPLUS

According to the latest estimate by the Australian Government, the Australian wheat crop totalled 180,515,000 bushels, the largest crop since 1932. Australian wheat is brought comparatively lower prices in world markets this year than in the past, due to heavy shipments and to the abundance of white wheat in the world. In this connection a British expert writes:

"White wheat is a real drag on the market. Australia is holding close to 90 million bushels of surplus white wheat, compared with 75 millions at this time in 1937. The United States Pacific surplus of 35 to 40 million bushels is practically unusable at present prices and there is a new Indian crop rapidly nearing maturity, which promises to yield substantially more than that of 1937. Only in the United Kingdom is there a substantial demand for Australian, or any other description of, white wheat."

SAFETY GROUP WARNS AGAINST SUNSTROKE

Sunstroke is very different from heat prostration, the Industrial Accident Prevention Associations point out in a concise bulletin issued recently, which states the symptoms and recommends first aid treatments.

- Symptoms may be recognized by: 1. Hot dry skin and red face. 2. High fever, dizziness, shooting pains and headache. 3. Hard, loud breathing and convulsions. 4. Pulse quick and pounding. 5. Patient may become insensible. Recommended treatment is: 1. Remove to shady place and remove outer clothing to the waist. 2. Lay on back with head and shoulders raised. 3. Apply ice or cold water to head, cool body with water or wet cloth, but avoid shock. 4. When conscious and able to drink, give cool—not iced—water. Give no stimulants.

CUT FLOWER SALES

Sales of cut flowers and greens grown indoors in Canada during the year ended 31st March, 1937, are reported as \$1,136,619, valued at \$1,952,128. Among the largest individual items in 32 kinds listed in the report, were 14,232,530 roses, sold at a value of \$758,091; carnations, 4,321,028, value \$201,344; bunch-flowered chrysanthemums, 4,017,518, value \$79,398; tulips, 2,411,215, value \$102,196; dahlias, 2,364,871, value \$62,514; and sweet peas, 2,199,254, value \$102,196. Miscellaneous kinds numbered 11,498,468 with a value of \$222,636. Orchids, with an average value per hundred of \$66.35, were the most costly, followed by gardenias, at \$19.41, lilies at 12.31, and calla at \$11.04 per hundred. Under the heading, Out Flowers Outdoor Grown, the sales reported were 2,841,243 valued at \$47,151. Gladioli were the largest single item, numbering 715,757.

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SIX ONTARIO CENTRES GET BASEBALL SCHOOLS

Toronto City Officials Will Assist Amateur Clubs Throughout Province

"Continuing the effort made last year to assist in the instruction and development of young baseball players in Ontario, the Toronto Baseball Club has announced that it will conduct baseball schools this year at St. Catharines, London, Kitchener, Owen Sound, Barrie and Peterboro.

Last year, the Club held a school at Maple Leaf Stadium, in Toronto, but owing to the fact that a great many players were unable to make the trip to the Queen City, it was deemed advisable to go out into the Province this summer and reach as many points as possible. The places selected are regarded as central points embracing the Ontario Baseball Association. It is planned to spend days in each place. The dates selected are St. Catharines, August 18th, 19; London, August 17th, 18th; Kitchener, August 19-20th; Owen Sound, August 22-23rd; Barrie, August 24th, 25th; and Peterboro, August 26th, 27th.

Clyde Engle, Dan Towley and Bert Perry, of the Toronto Club, will assist the amateur club officials in the instruction of the players and the operation of the school. The various amateur clubs in Ontario are co-operating in every way to make the tour a success, and it is expected that a large number of amateur players will take advantage of the opportunity to improve their knowledge of the game.

There will be no tuition fee and players of all classes are eligible to attend. Preference will be given, of course, to those players already registered with the O.B.A. It is planned to hold the school sessions from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day.

Still within striking distance of a play-off berth in the International League campaign, the Maple Leafs are making great efforts to improve their position in the standing and launch a winning streak that will carry them out of the second division. They have a large number of important dates at home during the month of August, starting with the doubleheader on Civic Holiday, August 1st, against Syracuse. The clubs in the southern end of the circuit all have to make another visit to Maple Leaf Stadium, and many doubleheaders will be played. The Leafs will make their final swing around the southern end, starting August 4th, and will be away from home until Monday, August 15th, when they play hosts to the Newark Bears. They will remain home until the end of the month, with the exception of August 28th, which is an open-date in the schedule, and Sunday engagements in Syracuse and Montreal on August 21st and 28th, respectively.

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Both Upper and Lower Canada began an "active policy" of road building after the War of 1812, and over \$2,000,000 was voted in the next thirty years.

The LETTER BOX

Dear Fair Press:

My intention to write a letter last week was sincere, but when the time came to do it, company from Limestone, a whole car load, landed in. Then, of course, with visiting and going to see things and places, there was no time. But oh my, we did enjoy seeing Mr. and Mrs. Hill and the children, and hear all the news. They are almost as familiar with Acton as folk in Acton, so could answer all our questions, and there surely were—lots of questions.

The young folk all grew up together, so were no strangers either, and had such a good time. Saturday evening they took the car, with Harold as chauffeur, and the whole bunch, six of them went off to New Liskeard and spent the evening, giving the town the once over, visiting the beach, and then the theatre. On Sunday, 27, all counted, drove to a lovely sandy beach on Mountain Lake, a few miles west of us, and enjoyed a picnic lunch. Then the bathing all afternoon, and all agreed they couldn't have had a better time anywhere.

That day, July 17th, Lake Shore Mines of Kirkland Lake treated their employees to a free trip to New Liskeard Beach, and a monster picnic, and it was suggested we go there too, but after talking it over, the majority decided we could enjoy our own company best if alone, which proved best, because it rained in New Liskeard, but not where we were.

The success of Lake Shore picnic, however, was assured, something over 6,000 people came by car, truck and two special trains. It took 500 railway coaches to make up the trains. Each family were provided with return railway tickets, and each member with 10 coupons for free ice cream, pop, chocolate bars, gum, or hot dogs. So there was no end of refreshment and good times for everyone. But we enjoyed our good time, even though it wasn't free.

Monday, the older folks had the car to themselves, and visited the construction camp above Earlton, and saw the machinery in operation, and such a busy spot it is. They have the largest stone crusher in America in operation, with four big Mack trucks trying to keep it filled. It takes half a load to fill it at a time. The two big flywheels weigh over 15 tons each, and it takes a 250 h.p. motor to drive it. To start it, they have to wind a cable on the flywheel and pull it with a truck.

Macadam surfacing has commenced, and an excellent job is being made. About 6 miles, just north of Liskeard, has been completed, and they are moving to do Earlton next.

The airport, one of a chain through the north for commercial planes, is nearing completion, and the radio station and towers are complete with apparatus for both sending and receiving, electrically equipped. The towers are about 5 miles across country from us, the distance between a big valley, but the red lights on the four towers are plainly visible at night and look so nice in the distance. In the afternoon we drove to Liskeard, and looked the town over in daylight, then came back and had tea at Evelyn's home.

Tuesday, off to the blue berry rocks, and got a picking for the folks to take home. Rain interfered—before we finished, but they seemed satisfied with even one basket.

After spending five days away from home, they decided they must start back south, so we got up about 4 a.m. Wednesday and they got off to a good start. Letters and cards since tell of a real good trip home. Stopped and saw the Quints and other things of interest and arrived safely, all in one piece, and resolved to make a return visit some time soon again.

I've attended market twice in Kirkland, and such an abundance of wonderful products! Competition is keen, but prices are fair for both buyer and seller, so few have any complaint. Raspberries were plentiful at 20c to 25c quart, red, white and black currants brought good prices. Blueberries at 15c quart, 75c 6 quart basket, or \$1.50 11 quart; green peas, 35c to 50c for 6 quart, green cabbage, 20c a head; cauliflower, 10c and 15c each; new potatoes, 30c for 6 quart; fresh eggs, 35c to 45c per dozen; new beans, 15c lb. Young lamb was plentiful at 12c to 25c lb.; veal, 12c to 20c; and beef, 8c to 20c.

All the stores are abundantly stocked with all kinds of fresh fruits, cherries, peaches, tomatoes, etc., so there's no scarcity of foods.

The weather the past two weeks has been ideal for growing crops of all kinds. The rain occasionally has interfered somewhat with haying, but farmers are taking every advantage of the dry weather and a great deal has been harvested.

A pest of army worms has invaded a great many sections and are taking their toll. Farmers are taking advantage of the Department of Agriculture's solution of bran, molasses and Paris green, and find it beneficial. We're fortunate so far, not to have them. We have a few potato bugs for the first time, but I have a kind of potato with such rapid growth that almost beats them, so we have only picked them so far, and the tops have suffered very little.

I must mention about seeing the result of some real fishing last Sunday. Two men came into shore where we were having our picnic, who had fished from a small motor-propelled boat for about six hours, using casting rods, with spinning hooks, and had over 40 pike and perch, from 14 to 28 inches long, nearly filling a big bag. Starting is believing.

R. W. JOHNSON

Clark's Pork & Beans 2 Large Tins for 17c. Libby's Tomato Juice 2 Large Tins for 22c. New Crop PEAS 10c Tin. Libby's SPAGHETTI 9c Tin. White FLY FUME Regular 45c Bottle. 35c. Jar Rings 23c. Jar Rubbers 2 dozen 13c. Giffels Best FLOUR 3 lb. Bag 12c. BARR'S Black and Red Cherries Fresh Corn Cucumbers Beans and Lettuce Tomatoes. PHONE 16 — WE DELIVER

July Clearance Sale of Super Values. Aprons, grandly trimmed 14c. White Bleached Cotton, 34 inches wide, Good quality 12c. BARR'S BONNETS Regular 20c. To clear 16c. INFANTS' DRESSES Regular 60c. To clear 75c. Boys' Cotton Golf Hose Sizes 6 to 10. Regular 20c pair. To clear, pair 13c. Ladies' Ankle Socks. Only a few. Reg. 20c. To clear 9c. Children's Ankle Socks. Regular 15c. For, per pair 6c. Ladies' Blouses. Reg. 80c. To clear 69c. Girls' Print Dresses—8 to 14 years Regular 40c. To clear 35c. Girls' Blouses—8 to 12 years Only a few left. Regular 70c. To clear, pair 65c. Ladies' Blouses Cellulose and Rayon. Reg. 40c. This is real value 39c. Mosquito Netting, 3 yards green or white 21c. Curtain Berlin to clear, per yard 9c. Factory Cotton, medium weight (not light weight) 34 inches wide, per yard 9c. White Flannel 27 inch width, per yard 12c. 35 inch width, per yard 15c. Broadcloth—assorted colors, Special, yard 15c. Children's Overall Overalls Reg. 40c. To clear 39c. Wooden Window Screens 36x10 inches. Reg. 40c. 37c. Many Flowers Soap—super value. 5 for 15c. Maple Leaf Matches 3 for 21c. CORN BROOMS 5 string Corn Brooms Regular 20c. Super value 19c. GREATLY REDUCED PRICES ON WALLPAPERS. CANDIES — Always Fresh HALTED PEANUTS 13c per lb. MOLASSES' KISSES 13c per lb. JELLY BEANS 15c per lb.

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