

Personals

Miss Shirley Gulliford visited in Galt this week.

Miss LaVerne Smith is visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. H. T. LePage, of Toronto, visited at "Moorecroft."

Miss Grace Lantz is holidaying with friends in Detroit.

Miss Dorothy Phillips is visiting with friends in Hamilton.

Miss Laura Scott, of Kitchener, is visiting Acton friends.

Mrs. James Ross and Mrs. Hinton are holidaying at Limerick Lodge, Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mann visited Mrs. Mrs. John Moffat at Richmond Hill on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell, of Orillia, visited with Acton relatives during the past week.

Master Clarence McDonald, of Oshawa, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vincent.

Miss Nora Kenney, R. N., of Guelph General Hospital staff was home for a visit this week.

Miss C. M. Fleming, of Elgin, Ontario, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clayton.

Mr. M. Pallant, Dorothy and Lorraine returned after spending a week's holiday at Burlington Beach.

Master James and Miss Kathleen Robertson, Hamilton are visiting their sister, Mrs. Stuart Lantz.

Mrs. Roy Johnston and Verna Rose are holidaying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Overholts, Toronto.

Mrs. Burton Wiggin, of Port Colborne, is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cox, Galt, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gordon and Nancy, spent the week-end at Mr. G. H. Lantz's.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell White and daughter Helen, of Columbus, Ohio, visited at Mr. A. T. Mann's during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith returned home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. W. Ochreane in Kitchener.

Mrs. James Cheyne, of Lakeland, Florida, and Mrs. John Eastbrook of Toronto, visited Acton friends this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Kennedy and babe, of Kitchener, are visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. J. R. Kennedy.

Mrs. R. H. Wanborough returned after spending at two weeks' holiday with friends at Lake Simcoe and Toronto.

Mr. Otto Clarke and Miss Corinne McDonald, of Hamilton, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vincent.

Mrs. Chas. Hyndes, of Toronto, is visiting at the home of her brother, Mr. R. J. McPherson and other Acton relatives and friends.

Mr. Charles Campbell, of Bruce Mines, and son, Mr. R. G. Campbell, of Sault Ste. Marie, are visiting at the home of Mrs. J. Symon.

Mrs. Wm. Landsborough and Mr. Charles Landsborough visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Levens, Welland, over the weekend.

Miss Alice Edwards and her nephew, William Merrill, of Los Angeles, Cal., visited with Mrs. J. R. Kennedy and Miss M. E. Nelson, during the week.

Mrs. D. D. Burk, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, and her daughter, Mrs. H. Hoffenberg, of Dearborn, Mich., called on Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Macdonald and Miss Margaret J. Macdonald left on Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. David McDonald at Bridgen.

Mr. T. Bell, Edmonton and Mrs. G. Spence Athabasca, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. McIninch, left Sunday evening for their homes in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burns and Allan, Mr. John Brown, Mr. Arnold McDonald and Clarence of Oshawa, visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bentton attended the reception of Miss Madeline Burns, sister of Mrs. Bentton, at Loretto Abbey, Armitage Heights, on Monday. Miss Burns is now Sister Mary St. Madeline.

Mr. Wm. Snyder, of Toronto, visited his mother, Mrs. A. McPherson and her sister, Mrs. J. Symon this week. Mrs. McPherson is ill and has been confined to bed at the home of Mrs. Symon this week. Many friends wish her a prompt recovery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Blake Vanmeter wishes to thank all her kind friends, neighbors and pall-bearers for their kindness, expressions of sympathy and condolence and for their beautiful floral offerings at the loss of her beloved husband.

George Wallace

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GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

"STOLEN HEAVEN"

The rapture of young romance, starring Gene Raymond. Comedy "That's the Spirit." Cartoon "Tall End." Chapter 6. "Flash Gordon."

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

GIFT NIGHT

"THE LIFE TIME"

Past, dizzy musical comedy, with Dorothy Lamour and Betty Grable.

Comedy "Whiner Take All." Disney cartoon "More Kittens." Fox News.

MONDAY, AUGUST 22

"GANGS OF NEW YORK"

A daring drama, with Charles Bokford and Ann Dvorak. Novelty, Comedy, Paragraphic, Scenic Popular Science.

COMING "THREE BLIND MICE"

MORTGAGE SALE

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF the power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of sale there will be offered for sale by

R. J. KEER, Auctioneer

AT PUBLIC AUCTION

on Tuesday, the Sixth day of September, 1938, at the hour of One O'clock Standard Time, in the afternoon at the farm of EDWARD FREDERICK PAIT, near Rockwood, Ontario, the following property, namely:

ALL AND SINGULAR those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate and lying in the Township of Nassauway, in the County of Halton being composed of parts of lots 23 and 24, concession 5, and part lot 24, concession 4, containing in all 270 acres, or less, being more particularly described in the above mentioned mortgage, number 8188.

At the same time and place, under the authority of a Distress Warrant, there will be offered for sale the following goods and chattels:

Bal. Mar., general purpose, 17 years. Chestnut Mar., general purpose, 20 years. Bay Mar., general purpose, 23 years.

Black Cow, 8 years. Red and White Cow, 8 years. 3 Black and White Cow, 10 years. 4 Black and White Heifer, 2 years. 4 Heifers, 1 year.

Yorkshire Brood Sow, 8 Yorkshire Pig, 12 weeks old. 8 Yorkshire Pigs, 13 weeks old.

Binder, 6 foot. Massey-Harris, Mower, 3 foot. Massey-Harris, Steel Rake, 10 foot. Perimeter Drill, 13 spout. Cultivator, 13 tooth. 14 disc. 16 disc. 18 disc. 20 disc. Draw Harrows, 4 sections, 2.

Walking Plow, Massey-Harris. Corn Stepper, 2 row. Wagon, 2½ inch tire. Wagon, set of Sleighs. Cutter, Cream Separator. Double Engine, 1 H.P. Hay Fork and rakes, 2 sets Double Harness. Set Single Harness.

10 Acres Hay, 8 Acres Fall Wheat, 20 Acres Mixed Grain, 3 Acres Barley, 17 Acres Oats, 6 Acres Hay Crop.

On one side land there is said to be crevices a dwelling house with suitable farm buildings.

The lands will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

TERMS OF SALE OF LAND, 25% of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of the sale, the balance to be secured by a mortgage with interest at 4% per annum.

TERMS OF SALE OF CHATTELS

FOR FURTHER PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE, apply to:

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Dated at Toronto this Twelfth day of August, 1938.

TURNABOUT

The travelling salesman becomes more and more puzzled as to how the store kept alive. Finally he asked:

"How in the world do you make a go of things at all?"

Indicating the clerk, who was at the far end of the counter, the storekeeper replied:

"You see that fellow there? Well, he works for me, and I can't pay him. In two years he gets the store. Then I work for him till I get it back."

"CHARLIE CHAN" PASSES



The Eightieth Anniversary of St. Joseph's Church

First Church Was Opened at Dublin in 1858 — Special Service to Mark the Occasion

The congregation of St. Joseph's Church, Acton, have been preparing during the year for the celebration of the first Catholic Church built in this district 80 years ago. Before that time Mass was said in the houses of the people and all would attend there. The Jesuit Fathers of Guelph had charge of this district.

On March 18, 1858, the Eve of the feast of St. Joseph, the first church was started to be built where the Cemetery now is at Little Dublin. The church according to the parish records, was built upon two acres of land given to the Roman Catholic Corporation of the Diocese of Hamilton by Mathew McCann and John Mullolland.

Among those who contributed towards its erection are the names of Thomas Gibson, Charles Gibson, Angus Keay, John O'Callaghan, John O'Leary, James O'Brien, Edward O'Brien, Nicholas Dalton, David McMillan, Hugh McPhee, John Mullhall, T. Foley, James Fahey, Martin Flynn, James O'Gorman, M. Patrick, P. O'Grady, William Donnelly, Michael Kelly, John Donahue, Pat McNamee, John Fortune, Matthew McCann, John Mullolland, Patrick Lamb, Michael McCarthy, Michael McHugh, Daniel McHugh, O'Curry, Davie Malone, Peter Len, Mr. Martin, Patrick Hughes, John Connell, Martin Kinella, Christopher Clancy, James Monahan, Mary Anne McGuire, James Hoban, John Lamb, Peter McGinn, M. Kaley. The donations were then paid in pounds, shillings and pence.

On January 2, 1860 the church was completely paid for and all the furnishings. The Sacrament of Confirmation was administered on August 31st, 1860 for the first time in the church by the Right Rev. John Farrell, first Bishop of Hamilton. In the early days burials took place around the church and thus was started the burial grounds which is now the resting place of the old pioneers who labored so hard and for many of our loved ones who have passed away during the past 80 years. The priest who had charge of the erection of the new church was Rev. Father Dunlop, S. J., whose memory still lives with love and respect with the parishioners of Acton parish, also Fathers Francis Marshall, John McQuaid, Wm. O'Connell, C. Peck, Thos. Willott, Joe Delahay, R. Gaetzter, J. B. Nolin, P. Hagedorn, J. A. McDonald, D. Phelan, J. Kiely, Louis Cole, J. B. O'Toole, John Munigan, O. Devlin, Henry Kavanaugh.

In the year 1887, the present church was purchased and the first church was torn down. Many improvements have been made after the church in Acton was purchased. The first resident parish priest was Rev. Father Haley, who took charge in 1893. He lived on Church Street, about three blocks from the church. He was stationed here until the end of 1897. In 1898 Rev. Father Peaty was pastor and during his time the present Rectory was obtained. He remained here till 1908. In 1908 Rev. Father Arnold came and was pastor for 10 years. In 1918 Rev. Father Walsh came to the parish till 1919, who died a few years ago. Rev. Father Arnold came back to the parish for six months. He is now stationed at Elmira, Ontario.

Rev. Father Traynor came in 1911 and remained till 1914. He is now pastor at Arthur, Ontario. Rev. Father Phelan was pastor of St. Lawrence Church, Hamilton was pastor for two months. Then Rev. Father Doyle, now pastor at Mount Forest, came in 1915 and remained till 1919. Father Goodrow, now pastor at Dunnville, came in 1919 and remained till 1922. He was followed by Rev. Father McDevitt, now pastor at Paris, Ontario, who remained till 1929. In September 1929, the present pastor, Rev. J. La McBride was appointed pastor with the faithful co-operation of all the parishioners, many improvements have been made and the parish has increased. The most outstanding improvement has been the Cemetery, where the first church was built. The Cemetery has been levelled and new pillars and fence erected. A monument to the memory of the first church and the early pioneers has been erected on the site of the first church.

Six beautiful stained glass windows, made by the Earhart Studio have been installed in the church and through the generosity of the people, it is hoped that all new windows will be in the church.

In the seventh Milton went down as they came up one two three. Two fanned out and a fly ball featured Acton's half was just three out.

In the eighth Milton went down as he scored one on a hit by Toletzka to centre field. Lyle and W. Clements and Ryder went in to pitch for Acton.

Lyle scored on A. Clements hit over third, Johnnie Brush walked to load the bases and Naylor flied-out. Toletzka was caught off third when he came in on the fly ball.

Dick Clements hit to centre to score another. Lyle hit to centre and a walk to W. Clements filled the bases.

Bud Morton went in to pitch and Bayles to shortstop. Fly ball hit bunted out. Umpire Thresher then called the game on account of darkness. It will be replayed in Acton Saturday in spite of the wordy arguments pro and con that followed on the field.

ON AIR STUDY TOUR



It's a Long One To Solve for This Week

By W. COLEMAN

My first is in peace so, of course, not in war,
My next not in two, but always in twain,
My third is in mood yet never in star,
My fourth in all rodents, but not seen in a lair.
My fifth not in navy, it's on every sea,
And my sixth is something the same,
For it's never in you, yet always in me,
And present in everyone's name.
My seventh will find in each evening's fare,
My eighth of course is in eight,
My ninth is in through, but never in across,
My tenth not in province, but states,
My eleventh not in false, it's always true,
My twelfth in each thought or motion,
My next one appears in a quart of home brew.

And my last is in away, not in motion,
My whole should be easy. Don't make a wild guess.

But read every week for Acton's Press
— news, reviews, editorials, etc.

About Mill Street, or Main or the Bowery.

— H. COLEMAN

One of the members of the British air mission now touring Canada seeking prospective sites for the production of British airplanes is P. Handley Page, noted airplane builder and designer. The aeronomical experts are now in Ontario.

in union with the former pastors of the church 7:30 p.m. Rosary and sermon by one of the former pastors and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The former pastor will have charge of the devotions.

Tuesday, September 6th 7:30 a.m. Special Mass for the present parishioners and the children 7:30 p.m. Solemn Closing of the three days of Thanks giving by the priests of the diocese.

The Catholic Legionnaires of Acton and Georgetown will act as Guard of Honor to the Bishop of Hamilton during his stay in Acton. Everyone is invited to attend.

HIGHER MATHEMATICS

Two workers were engaged upon an intricate job.

I say, Bill," said one, "it's bloomin' wonderful what they can make nowadays. Do you know they can make measurements to the thousandth of an inch?"

"Blimy," said the other, awed, "how many thousandths are there in an inch?"

"Oh, I dunno," answered Bill. "but there must be millions."

KNEW THE SOUTH</h