Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, soc and soc per line additional for poetry.

MARRIED

RAMSDEN-YOUNG-At the home of the bride's parent, on Saturday, March 11th, 1939, by Rev. J. E. Gamble, of Port Rowan, Jessie Mabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Young, Acton, to Mr. Harold Bingham Ramsden, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsden, of Muncie, Ind.

McDOUGALL-In Erin, on Thusday, March 9th, 1939, Mabel Mac Mc-Dougall, beloved daughter of Duncan. T. and Mabel McDougall, in her 21st

ELLIOT-At the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Watson, Acton, Ontario, on Thursday, March 10th, 1939, Mary Adelaide Lashy, widow of the late Thomas Elliot, in her 68th year.

PENSON-At the home of her daughter, 63 Balmoral Ave., Hamilton, on Friday March 10th, 1939, Emmaline Tombs Jeffrey, beloved wife of F. H. Penson, formerly of Glen Williams, in her 78th Mother of Mrs. George Fryer and Mrs. Hillyard Lasby, Acton.

IN MEMORIAM ROBSON-In loving memory of our dear daughter and sister Edna, who passed away March 21st, 1935.

Ever Remembered by FATHER, MOTHER and BROTHERS SMITH—In loving memory of W. 1 Smith, who passed away March 9th,

Ever remembered by his Wife and Family



-St. Patrick's Day tomorrow.

- Good Friday-just three weeks from

-The Shamrock will be much in exid-

-Spring is due next Tuesday. It's just the past week. We wonder how many around the corner.

-For the news of values and new goods, don't overlook the advertisiements --- each week.

> -Roads for miles around will lead to Acton Arena for the big game to-night

-The farm of G. T. Heslop, at Free- at the Armoury, Hamilton, commencing man, brought \$7,000 when offered by at 8.00 p.m. auction by R. J. Kerr, on Saturday.

-May we remind you to take a look at your FREE PRESS label. It tells the date to which your subscription is paid.

-Acton has a splendid hockey team but the main pavements and sidewalks have been nothing to be proud of this

-A trip to Brantford revealed the Acton streets were the most difficult to travel of any municipality passed through.

-Those fine new catch basins installed on Mill Street last year can scarcely be expected to function as long as they are buried under ice and snow.

-Ethel Franklin received word from the Toronto Conservatory of Music that she has passed her fifth examinations with honors. She is a pupil of Mrs. Win. Gowdy, Limehouse.

-Mr. W. Jones had the misfortune to damage his car badly on Saturday when the front wheel struck a hole in the roadway in Brampton and the car turned over. Fortunately no one was injured.

-William McDonald, veteran editor of the Chesley Enterprise, died at his home in Chesley yesterday aged 76, years, He suffered a stroke in February 1934 but has written for the paper regularly during his long illness.

-In the account last week of the Women's Institute meeting, Mr. Henry Fyfe was Postmaster in Halton rather than Past Master of the L.O.L., and Mrs. J. E. Gamble is District President of 'Halton County Women's Institute, rather than an officer of the LOL, as stated

Auctioneer Roy Hindley conducted a successful sale at Malcolm T. Smith's farm, on the Erm-Eramosa town line. A large crowd was present, and bidding was brisk. Oats prought 75c cwt., and barley, 95c a bushet. George Wallace, of Acton, has purchased the farm, and will? take possession at once.

### March Wedding of Popular Acton Young Couple

A quiet wedding took place in Acton on Saturday, March 11th, at three o'clock, when Rev. J. E. Gamble, of Port Rowan. united in marriage Jessie Mabelle Young. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Young. Church Street, and - Harold Bingham Ramsden, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ramsden, Muncie, Indiana. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floor length gown of forget-menot blue taffeta, with shirred bolero jacket. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and lily of the valley. The wedding music was played by the bride's sister, Miss Emily Young. The bride was attended by her youngest sister. Miss Mary Young, wearing shell pink taffeta and corsage of pink roses. The groomsman

was Mr. Arthur E. Gamble. Pollowing the wedding supper, bridal couple left for a h to Muncie, Indiana, the bride travel ling in a fuschia and gray crepe dress. HEADS AIR FLEET

national airlines department of the Rus-

sian Soviet civil air fleet. Last year she

commanded an all-woman crew on a

3,177-mile non-stop flight from Moscow

All groups have been very active during

people realize the number of persons who

use the Y, in one month? During Feb-

ruary the total attendance for regular

classes, special events and visitors, was

For those interested in track and field

events, there will be a real treat at

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18th. The indoor games are to be held

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nto the Far East.

The

Column

### Acton Eliiminates Bolton---Win First 1 4 Game from Simcoe (Continued from Page Five)

Ferris and Wood, wings; Davidson, Nobes, Hause, Essettine and Habermell, alternates. \* Referee-Johnny Jones, Quelph, ..

IN ROUND TWO

trimmed with red.

And, strange as it may seem, the name "Simeoe" does not appear on them any place. Just the name of a "China Shop." That's strange, too. China and the slam bang of hockey just don't seem to go together, either.

That was Simcoe's first game out that-well-

Simcoe hasn't the speed of either the Fergus or Bolton teams, but when comes to ganging around the goal, the

Valentina Steponova Grizodubova, 28, Terry had to wear a nose guard Above, has been named chief of the inter- protect the broken 'nose he sustained in Fire Was Not the Bolton game.

> The Tunners are sure out to take revenge for the trimming Simcoe banded them two: years ago. · To-night's game will tell the story.

Well the Clippers got tanned.

Woodstock are now matched in playing off which leaves--

To-night will see a couple more out and he end of the week will see the ranarrowed down to just six teams.

Simcoe's the job tonight, and the best of luck to Vic Rumley and the Tanners.

Let my old friends be my newes friends.-Jack Miner.

HEMSELVES FROM ATTACK'-

THE CLANGING OF A METAL RING AGAINST



### New Rifle Fires 100 Shots a Minute-



As the gun's youthful inventor, Captain Melvin E. Johnson, stands by, Major-General J. C. Breckinridge, of the United States -Marine Corps, examines the new Johnson recoil-operated semi-automatic rifle which was tested at the ranges of the marine base in Quantito, Virginia. This new arm, which fires 100 shots a minute, is said to be superior to the milliondollar Garand rifle recently developed by the Ordinance Department of the U.S. Army. Johnson plans to sail for France and England to offer his sensational new rifle for sale to those governments.

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appointed to the long vacant post of Monday afternoon, following the service the group. The second is tonight. After United States Ambassador to Soviel Rus- at two o'clock, at the L. G. Wallace sia. Should be be appointed, Mr. Stein- | tuneral chapel. hardt would succeed Joseph Davis, who was transferred from Moscow . to the umbassadorship in Belgium.

### Early Morning a Serious One

The Fire Brigade had a run on Tuesday morning to a fire in the double dwelling house on Main Street opposite the Presbyterian Church. The tenants are Mr. They are known as the China Clippers and Mrs. Morris Gordon and family and found smoke coming through the floor on the second storey; about eight o'clock. Left in the Intermediate B group are and turned in an alarm. Damage was Acton, Simcoe, Whitby, Clinton, Owen only slight and the blaze was soon ex-Sound, Powassan, Woodstock and Ome- tinguished. It is believed the blaze was mee. Whithy and Omemee; Clinton and caused by mice and but for a timely discovery the building would have soon been in flames.

> PROMINENT STOCK BUYER ANDREW McLEAN DIED, IN 48th YEAR

Andrew McLean, prominent livestock buyer, died at his home, Church Street, Weston, on Friday last, after a short illness. He was in his 48th year.

Mr. McLean was a member of Kilwin-'ning Lodge, A.F. and A.M., West Toron- of Townsend, Montana; Oliver Lasby, of to, and the funeral on Monday was under | Wilmar, Minii; and one sister, Mrs. S. J. Masonic auspices. He was born in Fergus Oram, of St. Catharines, also remain. and lived in Rockwood for many years. Sympathy of many friends here goes out He had been in Weston in the livestock to the bereaved. business for 22 years.

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MRS. FRANK PENSON Following a lengthy illness, Mrs. Frank Penson passed away Friday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Beatty, 63 Balmoral Avenue North, Hamilton, in her 78th year, Born in England, Mrs. Penson came to Canada 35 years ago, and had resided in Hamilton for the last eight years. She was an adherent of St. James' Anglican Church. Besides her husband, six daughters and one son survive, as follows: Mrs. Ernest Dage; Mrs. Thomas Hickey, and Mrs. Harold Beatty, all of Hamilton; Mrs. Hillyard Lasby and Mrs. George Fryer, of Acton; Mrs. Thomas Hatch, of Toronto; and Frank Pensoh, Jr., Georgetown: also she leaves to mourn her loss, besides her family, four brothers and Lawrence Steinardt, now the U.S. En- two sisters, all of England. The remains voy to Peru and who is expected to be were interred in Hamilton cemetery, on

> MRS. THOS. ELLIOT Although she has never enjoyed robust the passing of Mrs. Thos. Elliot last Friday was quite sudden. She had been about as usual until Wednesday, when she suffered a stroke of paralysis from which she falled to rally and passed away early Friday. She was in her sixty-eighth year.

Mrs. Elliot was before marriage, Mary Adelaide Lasby, a daughter of the late Oliver Lusby. She was born in Acton and spent her entire life-in Halton-County. Her birthplace was the home now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Brown, on Mill Street. Following her marriage, Mr. and Mrs. Elliot resided in Nelson Township. Her husband predeceased her twenty-five years ago. In February, 1913, Mrs. Elliot and her only daughter, now Mrs. It. P. Watson, came to Acton and have resided here ever

Mrs. Elliot was a quiet woman, and her long period of Ill. health has made her unable to attend to more than the duties of the home or take an active interest outside. She was a kindly neighbor and enjoyed the esteem of all with whom she came in contact. Only-one daughter remains, and for years she has given steadfast devotion to the care and comfort of a mother beloved. Three brothers, S. M. Lisby, Acton; William Lasby,

The funeral was held on Monday after-He is survived by his widow, one son, noon, with a private service at the home. Neil; a brother, Sims, and a sister, Miss conducted by her minister, Rev. H. L. Jean McLean, both of Rockwood. He Bennie Interment was in Fairview Cemewas a member of the Presbyterian tery, Acton. The pullbearers were Messrs. Arch., Daniel and Peter McGibbon and John Elliot, of Milton; and Robert Shaw and Wallace A. Lasby, of Acton.

### Prize Winners at Meeting of Bloomsbury Literary

On Tuesday evening, Bloomsbury Literary held their regular meeting in the school, with the President, Mac Mc-Laughlin, in the chair. The roll call was answered by your "pet hobby,"

With Eusiness in conclusion, Mrs. Mac McLaughlin rresided while the following numbers were presented: Reading, by Mrs. vanGoozen; recitation, Mrs. Dennis; contest, -conducted by Jack vanGoozen, the ladies winning; fouth organ selection. by Archie McPherson; reading, Mansell Nellis; quartette, Mesdames Coultier, Watson, Near and Lasby; reading, Mrs. Synott. The concluding number, a contest; conducted by Alex. Near, was won by Mrs. vanGoozen, with highest number of points.

The meeting then closed with the National Anthem. Progressive euchre was played, prizes going to Mrs. Mac Mc Laughlin, and Elwood Allen. A lovely lunch was served by the host and hostess. Elizabeth Anderson and Will Dodds. "

I am a deadly enemy against intoxirating liquous and always will be, but I know I am just as warm a friend to the reor fellow whose uncontrolable appetite for it disgraces him and his family, for what have I to boast - Jack Miner



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