

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, 50c per line additional for poetry.

BORN
WOODS—At Acton, on Thursday, March 30th, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Woods (nee Lillian French) the gift of a daughter—Marilyn Alice.

COURT—At the Public General Hospital, Chatham, Ontario, on Sunday, April 2nd, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell Currie (nee Kathleen Savage), of Harvey Street, a son—James Lawrence.

DIED
HARRISON—In Milton, Ontario, on Saturday, April 1st, 1939, Robert E. Harrison, in his 79th year.

FIELD—In Milton, on Saturday, April 1st, 1939, Mary Bell, widow of the late James M. Field, and mother of Myrtle, of Milton, and Roy, of Edmonton, aged 90 years.

Open and Shut
—Good Friday—tomorrow.
—Hot Cross Buns in the morning.
—It gets more and more like spring.
—Easter, the joyous resurrection time of the year.
—Daylight Saving commences in Acton four weeks from Sunday.

—Another skiff of snow this morning, but the brooms will clear this one away.
—Schools close to-day for the Easter vacation of ten days.
—Eggs are a very reasonable price for Easter.
—The snow shovel is getting a rest, but the coal shovel is still in active service.
—Some delicious maple syrup is now being sold here by the farmers of the district.

—To-night's a critical night in Galt for the hockey fans and many Actonians will be there.
—Nassagaweya Council paid accounts of over \$1,200 for clearing snow from the roads this year.

—The sidewalks are nearly all clear again and the roads about town are gradually improving.
—Auctioneer R. J. Kerr held a very successful farm sale on Tuesday for George Cooper, near Elora.

—Send in a list of your Easteride visitors or your travelling. Folks like to hear about folks they know.
—Special Easter services will be held in all the churches on Sunday. You'll enjoy these services in your own church.

—The gravel roads are in bad condition now and the best advice is to stick to the highways if you don't want to be stuck.
—The sure way of getting advertising into the home is in THE FREE PRESS, where the local paper is welcomed for the local interest it contains.

—A splendid new lot of illustrations and suggestions for spring advertising to get the Acton and district trade are now available for FREE PRESS advertisers.
—The splendid picture of the Vimy Memorial, which is on view in the window of Barr's Grocery is to be unveiled on Vimy Night at Acton Legion Club Rooms.

—No. 25 Highway, between Acton and Milton, is in terrible condition. Few dare travel it now. The sooner it is paved the better, as the gravel can't stand the traffic it carries any longer.
—Stickers for your cars for the game can be had for the asking at THE FREE PRESS. It pays to advertise, especially when you have a good product. Let everyone know you're for the Acton Tanners.

—The flag on the Government Building in Acton was flown at half mast yesterday as a tribute to the memory of King Ghazi of Iraq. Flags on all government buildings throughout Canada were ordered so flown for this tribute.

Timmins Paper Plant Destroyed Sunday by Fire
Fire, which blazed from the basement shortly after 7.30 o'clock Sunday morning, gutted the Timmins Daily Press building and temporarily left Timmins without its daily newspaper and radio station, CKOB. The cause of the "undetermined" cause, did damage of about \$200,000, J. Nolan Sisson, General Manager of the newspaper, said.

Publication will be resumed in about a week, Mr. Sisson said, while it was expected broadcasting would be started the day after the fire with the aid of auxiliary transmitters. Radio station loss included two library services, transcriptions and recordings, totalling 16,000 selections. The radio station was on the second floor of the building.

The editor of the Timmins Press is Mr. Roy Thompson, who arranged the building in Acton a few years ago of the factory now owned and occupied by the Acton Machine Shops. Mr. Thompson at that time proposed to manufacture auto parts in Acton.

Baseball Officers Elected at Meeting in Owen Sound

Representatives of amateur baseball from all sections of Ontario met in Owen Sound on Saturday to discuss matters prior to the 1939 season and elect officers. Mr. E. Ryder, President of the Halton County League, represented that group at the meeting.

Liberalization of regulations regarding intermingling of professional players featured a heavy run of business which included the return to office of a majority of the previous executive.

Reinstated pros will no longer be forced from competition for a year, but may play with amateurs as soon as approved. Amateur aspirants who try out with paid teams and are turned down will be automatically reinstated when they return to their amateur club.

Considered a boon to small clubs, legislation was passed that makes it no longer necessary for all players on a team to be similarly uniformed. However, they must all be completely uniformed.

Officers elected were: J. W. Scott, of Kitchener, President; J. O. McDonald, Chesley, First Vice-President; W. G. Ward, Niagara Falls, Second Vice-President; W. J. Snyder, Hamilton, Secretary; A. Hillmer, Oakville, Treasurer; Bert Smith, Toronto, Representative Ontario Sports Federation.

Turned down were proposals that all meetings be held within 50 miles of Toronto in future; that the Province be divided into "zones" for legislative purposes and that neutral umpires be employed, who have not officiated in the leagues of either competing team.

Meeting of 1940 will be held in Welland. More than twenty applications for change of residence were considered, but all applications were left over for disposal by a sub-committee.

Credit to Farming Over Manufacturing in Literary Debate

An enjoyable evening was spent last Friday when Greenock Literary Society visited with the Bannockburn Literary Society. With Elliott Patterson acting as chairman, an excellent program was presented by Greenock.

A saxophone and piano duet was rendered by Leslie and Isabel Swackhamer, followed by reading by Jean Mann; songs by Gordon McKeown; current events were given by Ross Swackhamer; vocal duets by Helen McCaig and Evelyn Pearen.

A very interesting part of the program was a debate, "Resolved, that farming has done more and is doing more for Canada than manufacturing." Elwood Johnston and Wallace Swackhamer upheld the affirmative side and Evelyn Pearen and Gordon Leslie the negative.

Mr. R. N. Brown gave the decision, in favor of the affirmative. Mr. Charles McKeown gave a speech on the history of Greenock Literary Society. The meeting was brought to a close by the National Anthem.

Lunch was served and a social evening spent in dancing.

BUSINESSLIKE
"I know what's passing in your mind" said a girl to a nervous young man who had been paying her marked attention. "I know why you are calling here night after night, appropriating my time to yourself and keeping other young men away. You want me to marry you, don't you?"

"—I do," the young man stammered. "I thought so. Very well, I will."

SILVER JUBILEE OF PRESBYTERIAN W. M. SOCIETIES

The silver jubilee of the Ontario Provincial Society of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church of Canada is to be held in St. Paul's Church, Hamilton, on April 18th, 19th and 20th.

On Tuesday, April 18th, at the a. m. session, greetings will be extended and Miss Grace Leitch is giving a talk on "Why I Like to Belong to Girls' Organizations," and Miss Jean England will speak on "What It Means to Belong to Young Women's Auxiliaries." At the evening meeting, Mrs. G. H. Thomson is giving the history of the W.M.S. and this is to be followed by "The Message of the Years," by Mrs. J. A. Milne, Mrs. Win Rochester, Mrs. W. A. McLennan and Mrs. J. A. Hillz.

On Wednesday morning, Mrs. W. G. Davis, of Manthura, is to be the speaker; in the afternoon, Miss Lily McArthur will give her recollections as a Deaconess and in the evening, Miss Violet Tennant, recently returned from Madras, and Miss Laura Felton will give addresses. A number from Knox Church, W.M.S., will attend these very interesting sessions.

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Greater Service is Aim of Weeklies

"Ever greater community service through ever better weekly newspapers," is the slogan of the annual convention of the Ontario-Quebec division of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, to be held this year in Ottawa, on Friday and Saturday, April 28th and 29th, according to the President, A. E. Dobbie, Smiths Falls.

A new trophy is being offered this year, the Joseph T. Clark Memorial Trophy, commemorating the former editor of the Toronto Star, for the best all-around newspaper published in a town or village of 1,500 or less population. The late Mr. Clark never lost his delight in the incidents of town and country life. The donor of this trophy is J. E. Atkinson, President of the Toronto Star, who was for some years Secretary-Treasurer of the one-time Canadian Press Association, when it included both dailies and weeklies in its membership. Mr. Atkinson has never lost his interest in the weekly press.

The publisher is to choose any one issue of his newspaper during the month of January and submit it for the competition. All members of the Ontario-Quebec division are invited to enter the annual competition for the George Pearce Editorial Trophy, emblematic of the best editorial page among member newspapers. The trophy is now held by the Canadian Statesman, Bowmanville. Issues of February 9th and March 9th will be submitted for this competition.

Prizes are also being offered for the best printing exhibit and the best composing-room "gadgets." The publishers will spend Friday, April 28th, in business discussions and educational forums, conducted by their own members, while their ladies will be royally entertained by the Ottawa branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club.

Guest speakers at luncheon and dinner will be Gratton O'Leary, editor of the Ottawa Journal, and Sir Gerald Campbell, British High Commissioner. On the following day the publishers and their ladies will visit a paper mill in Hull, P.Q., for luncheon at the Seigneurial Club.

ULTRA-FASHIONABLE
He—That new party frock of yours looks quite decent.
She—I was afraid it would.

ROCKALONG INSTITUTE HEAR REPORT OF DIRECTORS' MEETING

The Rockalong Institute held its April meeting at the home of Mrs. Bayne. There was a splendid attendance of members and several visitors. Mrs. D. McNabb presided.

Several business matters were discussed. A letter of appreciation and thanks from Mrs. J. Mayde and family for kindness shown them in their recent bereavement, was read.

Mrs. J. Dennis, District Director, gave a splendid report of the Directors' Meeting, which she had attended in Guelph. The members voted in favor of holding a convention in Guelph, instead of having to attend the Toronto convention.

Miss Doris Watson took charge of the meeting for the following program: A sing-song, with Miss Clara Harris at the piano; the motto, "April Showers Bring May Flowers," by Miss Shultis; Current Events by Miss Enid McPhay; a solo by Mrs. Black; an Easter poem was read by Miss Watson, who also conducted a quiz contest.

Miss Bayne gave an interesting talk on "Opera," and a sketch of the opera "Lohengrin," which she had the pleasure of hearing in Toronto recently. Mrs. Black's playing of the wedding march from Lohengrin was much enjoyed.

The meeting was closed with the National Anthem and lunch was served by the hostess and the Lunch Committee.

Acton Tanners Win from Woodstock Series Leaders

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only result. The Morton brothers both missed on the open net.

Woodstock was making some sweet passed and Grant just missed the corner of the net. Rennieck was close, but Woods saved. Russ-Brush was close for Acton on a scramble, and Johnny Brush was the same on a pass from Terry. Then E. Marzo went off for boarding. Smith was close, but Woods saved the score. Woodstock sure knew how to use the advantage. Johnny Brush missed on Terry's pass and Acton held.

Woodstock was sure pushing for counters. Woods made a lovely stop on Grant's threat and again on another close one. At 15:30 Acton went up another when Bus Morton got the tally on an assist from brother Norm. It was a nice work-in on Murdoch. Russ Brush was close and Murdoch saved. Terry was also close but Murdoch blocked it with his skates.

I. Marzo and J. Brush made a nice rush but missed. Dolson drew a penalty for boarding. E. Marzo got right through with only Murdoch to beat, and missed.

With a man short, Hawson, at 16:30, made a nice solo rush, and scored for Woodstock. At the 18:20, Dolson got one from Kennedy, in a scramble in the Acton end and netted another for Woodstock. The Red Devils were just one goal from tying up the score again, and how the fans roared. Then Kennedy took a heavy body-check from Bayliss and suffered a shoulder injury that took him out of the game. Woodstock certainly went down fighting every inch of the way, but the Tanners won by 5-4, and gave them their first tanning of the series.

The line-up: Acton—Woods, goal; E. Marzo and Kenner, defence; Terry, centre; I. Marzo and J. Brush, wings; N. Morton, B. Morton, R. Brush, Walters and Bayliss, alternates.

Woodstock—Murdoch, goal; Wray and Smith, defence; Kennedy, centre; Grant and Dolson, wings; Hawson, Weller, Rockett, Rennieck and Thrower, alternates. Referee—Charlie Talbot, Preston.

THE LEADERS FALL

Well, the Tanners did what no other team in the group have done to date. They fanned Woodstock.

Acas and Trappers can't, of course, do what tanners do.

But those Red Devils from Woodstock are sure in there to the last gong, and are a real fighting team.

The casualties were Norm Morton and Kennedy. It's to be hoped neither is serious, as they are mighty valuable to their teams and are both centre men.

Oh yes, every game has its funny ones among the spectators, and the Woodstock one did too. You know sometimes the suspense is terrible. We saw one chap from Acton pacing the seats in the last few minutes.

Whitby used Woodstock pretty rough. Henderson is in the hospital since the game and Smith had a badly bruised face and two black eyes.

Among the former Actonians who still follow the team is H. I. G. Fraser, and on Tuesday he was there from Tilsonburg, and the boys were all glad to see him.

A game between the Tanners and Red Devils is a game any old day in the week, and it's easy to be seen why they are leading the group.

Hawson and Dolson were the scorers for Woodstock, with a pair each.

Tanners had it better divided, with a different scorer on every goal—E. Marzo, N. Morton, I. Marzo, Terry, B. Morton.

Here's the way they stand now:

	P	W	L	Pts
Woodstock	4	3	1	6
Acton	4	2	2	4
Whitby	4	2	2	4
Owen Sound	4	1	3	2

Now, if Acton does what we hope, and the others don't, it will be — and for the play-offs.

Your guess is as good as ours. But, your faith isn't any stronger, and we're with the Tanners to the finish.

We'll see you in Galt to-night, and we hope it's not too nerve wrecking.

Weston Band Coming Here Medals for Acton

The Weston Silver Band, under direction of Mr. George Salisbury, will give a band concert in the Acton Town Hall on Sunday evening, April 16th, at 8.15. This band has won many prizes at both Waterloo and C.N.E. contests—and is known around the Province as one of the best. During the program, Mr. Salisbury will present to the members of the Acton Citizens' Band the gold medals won at Aurora Festival last October. All citizens should be present to bear this splendid band, and to encourage our local band by attending the presentation.

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For Thursday Tea — Friday
Breakfast and All Day
Saturday
We are baking Very Extra Special
Delicious Cakes to make your Easter
dinner a festive occasion, with thick
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Our Men's Wear Department is refreshing with attractive suggestions for the men and boys. New Spring Ready-to-Wear, Belts, Braces, Garters, Dress Shirts, Caps, Socks, Shorts or Shirts, Combinations, Ties, etc.
Easter Candies
Here is a Department bursting with Good Things for Gifts from Peter Rabbit.
Cellophane Candy Baskets — All sizes—2 for 15c; 10c; 15c up to 75c
Boxed Chocolates, Easter wrapped, 25c and 29c
Easter Chocolate Novelties— 2 for 5c, 5c, 10c up
1 dozen Easter Eggs in egg crate, for 10c
Easter Eggs in egg cup—5c and 10c
Novelty Eggs, etc.—5 for 5c
Easter Jelly Beans—15c lb.
Easter Eggs, large — 15c lb.
Easter Chocolate Shapes—20c lb.
Log Cabin Chocolates assorted, per lb. **20c**
NOTE—We expect a last minute rush for Easter Candy. Don't be disappointed. Our stocks are already moving fast, so be wise and Shop Early.
When You Think of Easter, Think of Hinton's — When Hinton's Think of Easter, They Think of You
Hinton's 5c to \$1 Store


Proclamation!
re Daylight Saving Time
Whereas a number of major industries in the Municipality will adopt Daylight Saving Time during the present summer, and whereas in order to avoid confusion which would necessarily result through there being two systems of time in force in the Municipality, notice is hereby given that the Council of the Corporation of Acton has decided by-law to adopt Daylight Saving Time for Acton, commencing at midnight on
Sunday, April 30, 1939
—TO—
Mon., September 4, 1939
AT MIDNIGHT
Citizens are requested to comply with this by-law and adopt this time from the dates specified.
F. J. McCUTCHEON, Reeve
Dated at Acton: April 6th, 1939

After Fifth Successful "Fast-Unto-Death"

Looking thinner than ever, Mahatma Gandhi was pictured leaving his Delhi residence to visit the British Viceroy, the Marquess of Linlithgow, a few days after Gandhi had successfully ended his fifth "fast-unto-death" for political purposes. This fast was conducted in the tiny state of Rajkot, where Gandhi fasted for more than 58 hours until the populace was given a voice in the government of the state.

A Royal Mother and Her Royal Babe

Her Majesty, Queen Farida of Egypt, is just like any other mother the world over in this appealing picture of the proud mother-queen and her five-months-old daughter. Baby looks too overwhelmed by curiosity of the cameraman to show her prettiest smile.