

AS THE POETS SAY—

Ode to the boys who carried the puck; We made the noise, While they did the work. We never missed a game From way back in season; 'Twas always the same, We'd come home awestruck.

Twenty Years Ago

From the issue of The Free Press of Thursday, May 1st, 1919

In five weeks special trains have conveyed 40,000 returned soldiers to different parts of the Dominion. Miss Garrett, Toronto, a talented speaker, gave eloquent sermons on the Woman's Missionary Day in the Methodist Church last Sunday.

When people arose from their slumbers on Saturday morning, they found a covering of snow. The mercury registered twelve degrees of frost the day before.

Mr. Roy Arnold has leased the Crawford house, at the corner of Mill and Frederick Streets, and has moved here from Georgetown.

A meeting is called for next week to organize a Great War Veterans' Association in Acton.

Mr. John Kennedy has sold his house and lot at the corner of Elgin and Agnes Streets to Mr. R. Laing.

Mr. D. H. Lindsay has purchased the John Walters' house, on Park Avenue, from Mr. Ambrose McCann.

J. B. Hamner, the 25-year-old dairyman of North Norwich, has been offered \$30,000 for his world's champion butter cow, Rollo Mercedes DeKol. The offer was refused.

Plac. Joe Kennedy reached home from France last Thursday, after four years' strenuous service.

Sergt. Ralph Swackhamer, the third son of ex-Reeve Swackhamer to reach home from overseas, arrived last week. He, James Robertson, who went overseas early in the war, also arrived home last week.

MARRIED

McMILLAN-KALEY — At St. Joseph's Church, Acton, Wednesday, April 26th, 1939, by Rev. Father Doyle, Mr. Fred McMillan, to Miss Margaret Kaley, daughter of the late Michael Kaley.

DIED

HACKING — At Selkirk, Manitoba, on Saturday, April 12th, 1939, Eliza Jane Zimmerman, wife of William Hacking, and sister of Mrs. Christopher Swackhamer, Acton, in her 70th year.

Looking Back Over the Trail to the Top

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The Sunday School Lesson

FOR SUNDAY, APRIL 30th

PAUL CROSSES INTO EUROPE

Golden Text.—When he had seen the vision, straightway we sought to go forth into Macedonia.—Acts 16: 10.

Lesson Text.—Acts 15: 36; 16: 4-15. Time.—A.D. 52.—Place.—Troas, Philippi.

Exposition.—I. Paul Forbidden to Preach in Asia, Acts 16: 6-8.

"Asia" here does not mean our modern Asia, nor even Asia Minor, but a part of Asia Minor, the Roman Province of Asia. The time for Paul to speak the Word in Asia had not yet come. So the Holy Spirit said to Paul, you must not speak there.

The Word was a fire in Paul's bones; and he must speak somewhere. If Paul had been like many of us, he would have taken the Holy Spirit's prohibition of his preaching in Asia as an excellent warrant for taking a vacation.

The Word of God tells us to preach, and so we need no special revelation, for that (Matt. 28: 19, 20; Mark 16: 15). As Bithynia was the nearest country at hand, they immediately attempted an entrance to conquer it for Christ.

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O.H.A. Intermediate Honor Roll

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Chronicles of. . . Ginger Farm

Written Specially for The Acton Free Press GWENDOLINE F. CLARKE

Congratulations to the Acton boys on their success in winning the Hockey Championship. Now that was an achievement! I know all your friends are proud of you, and I am sure you are all proud of each other.

And now, who said there would be no spring? Why, I have about a dozen daffodils budding in my garden. What's more, I have ten chukkers and yesterday I saw some kiddlees with a skipping rope.

We had a man in here this morning and he said it was fifteen years since we had had such a late spring. Thinking about it since, I have a feeling it is sixteen years—that is the spring of '23 I remember it particularly because that was the year we left the West.

THAT'S DIFFERENT

An Oklahoma mother has been trying Couricism on her children. Finding some difficulty in getting her young son to take a spoonful of castor oil, she remonstrated him. "Now, Wilbur, you know all you have to do is to keep on saying to yourself 'It tastes good.' It tastes good!"

ONE ALTERNATIVE

"Hey," yelled the man in Room 605 through the phone. "Well," asked the busy hotel clerk. "If the woman in the next room is singing, move me to the fifteenth floor; if she's moaning, send a doctor up at once."

STILL PIONEERING



Leadership

Demands constant pioneering—discovering and developing the new and better method of doing the things we have to do.

Time was when the introduction of a new implement was a memorable and historic event, but these were the early days in the application of mechanics to farming operations.

Not in any period of the ninety years of Massey-Harris history has such skill been employed in the designing and developing of machines for the farm as there is today.

Thus, whether it be a one-handed walking plow to be used by a native, and even perhaps drawn by natives, on the South African veld; a power-driven mower to cope with the luxuriant growth of grass on an English meadow, or the One-Way Disc Seeder developed to help the farmer on the prairies of Western Canada combat soil drifting, it is the result of definite scientific research by the Company's field engineers.

And in the motorized mechanization that is taking place in farming operations, Massey-Harris is in the forefront, still pioneering in bringing to farmers the latest developments in Tractors, Combines and other power equipment.

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CANADIANS GREAT TRAVELLERS

Canadians are great travellers, according to a recent report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, which reveals that Canadians spent approximately 120 million dollars while visiting other lands during 1938.

Canadian travel to the United States by motor car during 1938 increased by more than 31,000 cars, and accounted for the biggest part of the movement. Canadian automobiles proceeding to the United States for touring purposes, as reported by customs officers, numbered 788,291, compared with 726,429 in 1937.

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10th Original NARVO SALE April 26th to May 6th

Get your supply of beautiful NARVO at these attractive bargain prices. 30 colours to choose from:

Table with 4 columns: Quantity, Reg. Price, Saving, Sale Price. Rows include Gallons, 1/2 Gallons, Quarts, Pints, 1/2 Pints.

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W.H. Lashbrook MILL STREET ACTON - ONTARIO

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