

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths as inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, 50c and 10c per line (additional) for poetry.

DEED
WREN—At Toronto, Ontario, on Sunday, November 10th, 1935, Mary E. Lawson, widow of the late Thomas Wren, and beloved mother of Lawson Wren, in her 68th year.

GARDINER—In Dundalk, on Wednesday, November 10th, 1935, John Gardiner, in his 77th year, dear husband of Nellie Kershaw, and beloved father of Mrs. G. H. Motheral, Dundalk; Mrs. Robert Noble, Windsor; Nellie Gardiner, Dundalk, and James K. Gardiner, Acton.

What did that

Nominations to-morrow night.

Plan your Christmas shopping now and do it early.

The Christmas concerts are coming into the forefront now.

The ponds are frozen over and have been tried by the early ones.

The FREE PRESS Christmas edition will be issued this year on December 7th.

Plowing was possible up to this week but the heavy frosts put a halt to it on Monday.

The ground in the Arena and Curling Rink has been all levelled and made ready for the ice surface.

You'll find the stores particularly interesting just now, when Christmas stocks are being displayed.

Financial Statements of the municipality will be given out at the nomination meeting to-morrow night.

New subscribers to THE FREE PRESS will receive an extra month for the regular price of \$2.00, if they subscribe now.

Messrs. J. M. McDonald, W. H. Clayton and E. J. Hesser returned from their hunting trips with their allotment of deer.

Just 26 more shopping days before Christmas. Acton merchants are giving you much of the pre-Christmas store news this week.

FREE PRESS readers will be glad to welcome back to the columns one of our northern correspondents, Mr. R. W. Johnson, of Thornloe.

Jack Pilonok, Cooksville brickyard worker, suffered severe lacerations about the face and the forehead when he was hit by a car, in charge of Arpad Thomay, Toronto.

Samuel Charters, for many years Federal member for Peel, and head of the Charters Publishing Company, suffered painful injuries from a fall on the stairs of his Brampton home.

A Durham grade cow, owned by W. L. West, R. R. No. 1, Rockwood, has established something in the nature of an unusual record. She gave birth on Saturday to twin calves, her third set. Both in 1934 and in 1937 she gave birth to twin calves.

A driving lesson proved expensive for Jack Scott, Toronto. Driving on No. 7 Highway, three miles east of Brampton, Scott lost control of his auto when it struck some bumps and began to "shimmy." The car crossed the road and turned over twice, coming to rest in a ditch.

Leave it to the people of the United States to see the humorous side of any situation. In view of confusion created by change of the Thanksgiving date to a week earlier, a Cincinnati merchant advertises: "Do you Christmas shopping early—it may come to-morrow."—Globe and Mail.

PRIZE RECEIVED FOR FARM HOMES IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson received their beautiful "Renfrew Vanity" stove last week. This stove has the latest warming closet with two mirrors, salt, pepper, flour and sugar containers, and equipment, reservoir with tap and lid, a time clock combination. This prize was given as fourth for the Province in the Home Improvement plan.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson did a lot of hard work, and spent many late hours, but their farm home and surroundings show the marked improvement. This worthwhile project was sponsored by Acton Agricultural Society.

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BANNOCKBURN HAS ACTON INSTITUTE AS THEIR GUESTS

The regular meeting of the Bannockburn Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. D. D. Morrison on Wednesday afternoon of last week. The President, Mrs. Harding, was in charge. Roll call was responded to by giving the month, date or year of birth. After the general business was discussed, Mrs. Margaret Brown gave the current events.

The report of the District Directors' meeting, which was held at Milton, was given by Mrs. Gamble. Mrs. Leppin, Vice-President of the Acton Institute, acted as chairman for the program. Mrs. Bishop gave an interesting reading, followed by a pie contest. Mrs. J. A. Mann won the prize. In a watch contest, Mrs. S. Morrison was the winner.

The National Anthem brought the meeting to a close. A delightful lunch was served and a social half hour spent.

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 - Lemon or Orange Peel ... 1/27c
 - Choice Citron Peel ... 1/33c
 - Assorted Cut Peel ... 1/25c
 - Fancy Shelled Almonds ... 1/59c
 - Large Pieces Walnuts ... 1/39c
 - Col. Pineapple Slices ... 1/5c
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 - Tin Peel ... 15c
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 - Tin Cherries ... 25c
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- 1 lb. Bag **ORIOLE BLEND TEA** ... 69c
- Good Size **FLORIDA ORANGES** ... 29c
- Weston's or McCormick's **TOASTED SODAS** ... 10c
- Glassbake **PIE PLATES** ... 23c
- Wonderful **LAUNDRY SOAP** ... 5/17c
- Thrifts Fine **SOAP FLAKES** ... 3/23c
- Fairbank's **CARBOLIC SOAP** ... 4/10c

Lettuce — Celery — Tomatoes
Cabbage — Turnips — Carrots
Parsnips — Onions — Sweet
Potatoes — Apples

Obituary

JOHN ARTHURS, Avonlea, Sask.
One of the earlier residents of that district, John Arthurs, died at his home at Avonlea, on Saturday, October 21st. He was 68 years of age.

He came West to Avonlea in 1909 from Acton, Ontario, his birthplace. He lived in Avonlea for two years and then moved to Moose Jaw, where he resided until 1922, when he returned to Avonlea, where he had made his home since that time.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, Alex, Arthurs, of Weyburn, and John Arthurs, of Brittania Beach, B.G., and four daughters, Mrs. Reg. Balderson, of Rouleau; Miss Margaret Arthurs, of Regina; Miss Dorothy and Miss Isobel, of Avonlea. He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. W. Woods, of Winnipeg; Mrs. M. Carnes, of Vancouver; Mrs. T. P. Watkins, of Acton; and one brother, Alex, Arthurs, of Winnipeg. A sister, Mrs. J. Thompson, predeceased him several years ago.

Funeral service was held in the Avonlea United Church on Monday afternoon, with Rev. D. S. Wartman, of the Free Methodist Church, Moore Jaw, and Rev. G. Jenner, of Avonlea, officiating. During the service Mrs. R. Nelson and Mrs. W. McTear, of Avonlea, and Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Wartman, of Moose Jaw, sang duets. The auditorium of the Avonlea church was more than filled to capacity with the many friends from Avonlea and the surrounding districts who attended the service.

Interment was made in the Avonlea Cemetery.

GARAGE OPERATORS PLAN FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Halton Branch of the Ontario Garage Operators' Association was held on Monday evening, November 13th, in the Farmers' Hall, at Milton. Mr. L. McKinley, the Branch President, was in charge.

There was a large turnout of members and a number of points of business came before the meeting for discussion. A good interest was shown by all in the manner in which the items were discussed. Considerable time was given over to arrange the December meeting. At this meeting the annual election of officers will be held. A nominating committee was appointed to interview several members for the various offices for 1940. This meeting will be open to anyone engaged in the trade.

Join Our Christmas Layaway Club!

Now is the time to come in and look over our Christmas Goods which are going on display. The popularity of our Christmas Layaway Club in the past is sufficient proof of its value to our customers of the present. We invite you to come in and select your Christmas presents in comfort and leisure, pay a small deposit and have them laid away until Christmas. This assures you of the pick of the stock and guarantees you against obvious price increases on stock which may have to be purchased in the present war markets. Be wise, shop now.

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- 18 Folders and Envelopes 2 for 5c value, per box ... 25c
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- Men's Flannellette Pyjamas ... \$1.00
- Boys' Flannellette Pyjamas ... 75c

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The Column Y

The Junior Girls turned out in full force on Tuesday, under Miss Helen Ostrander, and enjoyed a period of games on the gym floor. At a meeting after class it was decided to hold a tea and candy sale in the gym on Thursday, November 30th, from 4 to 6 p.m. This event to take the place of the regular Thursday class that has been added to their schedule, making two periods a week from now through the winter.

Another Ladder Ping Pong Tourney has been started in the Junior Boys section, with thirty boys signed up. This one differs from the previous one in that certain boys, because of having shown superior ability in the first one, are being handicapped, thus enabling some of those of lesser ability to have a little better chance. This tourney will run until shortly before Christmas, when various Christmas tournaments will get under way.

Coach Terry has expressed himself as being highly pleased with the results of the Basketballists thus far. Quite a number are on hand each week at 7.00 and it bids fair for a team to compete with outside teams soon.

The new gym spring board is finished and will be quite an addition to the program. Other pieces of gym equipment are in the making.

A Model Airplane Club is to be started, under the direction of Neil McNabb. Various types of planes will be made, including flying models. Boys are urged to take advantage of this opportunity to participate in one of the very finest of hobbies.

Did you know that the Y.M.C.A. was founded in 1844 in London, England, by George Williams, who was later knighted by the King?

The Men's Club are arranging for a supper meeting on Monday, December 4th. Mr. Nelson McKeown, National Boys' Work Secretary, has been secured as guest speaker.

UNITED CHURCH LAYMEN MET AT OAKVILLE

The annual Laymen's Banquet of the Halton Presbytery of the United Church was held at Oakville.

Messrs. A. F. Brown, Evan Jones, J. C. Matthews, Bert Mowal and their pastor, Rev. G. C. Gifford, attended from Acton. Capt. R. G. Cavell was guest speaker. The political immaturity of the axis powers was, in his opinion, partly responsible for the present European situation. The best defence in Canada against the "Axis" was to teach children the advantages of living in a democracy, Capt. Cavell said.

Rev. D. H. Gallagher, pastor of St. John's United Church, Oakville, and President of the Hamilton Conference, was in charge of the business session.

A. H. Lyle, Past President of the Association, and Rev. H. S. Lovering, the Chairman of the Halton Presbytery, were made Honorary Presidents. Officers named for the coming year are: T. L. Peckitt, Oakville, President; Philip Rhyas, Burlington, Vice-President; Albert Washon, Trafalgar, Secretary-Treasurer; and Area Representatives: Spencer Smith, Burlington; William Gunby, Waterdown; A. K. Leonard, Milton; W. T. Evans, Georgetown; and A. T. Brown, Acton.

BLOOMSBURY LITERARY HEARS OF PLANS OF RED CROSS SOCIETY

The Bloomsbury Literary Society held its regular meeting on November 17th. The roll call was answered with a name of a famous sailor, soldier or aviator of the Great War.

Kenneth Watson was the chairman for the following program: Mouth organ selection by Jack vanGoozen; reading by Audrey Watson; vocal duet by Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gordon; reading by Mrs. Alex. Near; piano solo by Miss Marnie Near; reading by Mr. Ross Patterson; piano solo by Mrs. vanGoozen; talk by Mr. Alex. Near, on the work of the Red Cross.

The meeting was closed with the National Anthem. Exhorts were played and the prizes were won by Mrs. W. McLaughlin and Mr. A. M. MacPherson. Lunch was served and a social half hour spent.

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