

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7th, 1939

Personals

Mrs. Margaret J. Macdonald was home from Toronto for the week-end.

Mrs. Isabel Swackhamer spent this week with her brother at Hamilton.

Mr. John Kenney spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Frank.

Messrs. Martin Hassard and Jack Hollinger were home from Toronto Normal for the week-end.

Mrs. J. McPherson, Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Douglas, Spyside over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Browning and Miss Rita Dills, of Toronto, visited their sister and brother here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McPherson, Bobbie and Gary, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McPherson, on the week-end.

Actionians generally regret to learn that Chief R. J. McPherson is ill at his home on Bower Avenue. All wish him a prompt recovery.

Mr. Wm. R. Kenney, Dr. W. O. C. Kenney and Miss Francis Kenney attended the graduation exercises of the School of Nursing of Toronto University.

Mrs. Isabel Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Gray, of Etobicoke, were week-end visitors with the former's sisters, Mrs. Alexander Macdonald, and Mr. Macdonald.

Pte. James McGeechie, of the 48th Highlanders, First Canadian Division, visited Acton friends while on leave this week. He is a former member of The Free Press staff.

Mrs. John W. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser and Edward and Mrs. Fraser, Sr., of Sarnia, were visitors during the week-end at the home of Mr. Alexander Macdonald, Church Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swackhamer and Nadine, of Hamilton, visited at their parents' home at Churchhill last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Swackhamer returned home with them to Hamilton and spent the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Breen announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Eileen Eleanor, to Mr. Ralph G. Nystrand, of Kirkland Lake, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. M. Nystrand. The marriage will take place the latter part of December.

CARD OF THANKS
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davidson wish to express their deep gratitude to their many friends for all the kindly acts, the beautiful flowers and for the loan of cars in their recent bereavement.

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We wish to thank our friends for letters of sympathy, flowers, loan of cars and all kindnesses in our recent bereavement.
MR. AND MRS. R. L. DAVIDSON and WILMER

Chairman J. M. McDonald is Honored

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promotion and advancement of the scholars in particular and by so doing you have the merit of the teachers parents and the general public.

From time to time as difficulties presented themselves you met them with the true spirit of fair play and with your unerring judgment had all the grievances whether real or imaginary smoothed out so that all were apparently satisfied, and by starting your meetings on time you led us to believe that you appreciated the old adage that punctuality is the mother of confidence, and gave us the opportunity of enjoying the evening after the meeting adjourned.

We would ask you to accept this smoking set and consider it as a small token of esteem in which you are held by members and during the leisure hours, which we trust are in store for you, may instead of deliberating on the problems of the Board, take your pipe and enjoy your smoke with rest and contentment and look back on the hours you were chairman with pleasure which we can assure you were greatly enjoyed by us and hope you may spare for years, to come to enjoy your ninth and thirteenth.

A. J. BUCHANAN,
V. F. RUMLEY,
F. S. BLOW,
P. W. PEAREN,
J. H. BOYD

Chairman McDonald replied, expressing the satisfaction he had in doing a citizenship duty and his appreciation of this token from the fellow Board members. He wished the Board continued success.

ONTO THEM

Mother—Alie tells me that they told him in school to-day as how Columbus travelled 3,000 miles on a gallon.
Father—Go on; the boy didn't ought to believe all these motor salesmen's yarns.

George Wallace CLOTHES SHOP
123 Yonge St., Toronto (Opposite Ryrie-Birks)

Fish & Chips
Order your Fish and Chips now for Saturday, December 9th.
Orders filled from 4.00 to 10.00 o'clock.
Get our generous helping and save the work of cooking lunch.

Quick Lunch Counter WILDS' HOME BAKERY

To the Electors of Acton

I wish to thank all who supported me in last Monday's election. I will endeavor to return your confidence and warrant your support.

May You One and All Have a Prosperous 1940

Allan J. Buchanan

To the Electors of Acton

I wish to express my gratitude to all who so kindly voted for me. After six years of service I leave the Board with the knowledge that I gave efficient and economical service to the best of my ability.

P. W. PEAREN

Thank You All

For the support accorded me in the election my sincere thanks to the Electors of Acton. I will endeavor to fulfill the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

Frank G. Oakes

GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8th
"BRIDAL SUITE"
Hilarious romance, with Annabella and Robert Young, Laurel and Hardy. "Tit for Tat" Cartoon. "Old Fire Horse" Miniature. "Greener Hills" Chapter 2 "Pick Tracy Returns"

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9th
Gilt Night
Matinee at 3
"ARIZONA WILDCAT"
Jane Withers and Leo Carrillo. "Torchy Plays with Dynamite" with Jane Wyman as Torchy Blaine. Cartoon. "A Day at the Zoo" Fox News

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11th
"ON BORROWED TIME"
Broadway stage hit with Lionel Barrymore. Variety. Vaudeville Interlude. Scenic. Picturesque Udaipur.

The LETTER BOX

December 3rd, 1939
The Editor, Acton Free Press
Dear Sir:
During this critical period, many of us will be called on to support many worth-while causes for the benefit of the brave men and women who deem it the right thing to fight for us, against a common enemy who wish to destroy the many liberties we have been privileged to enjoy.
During this week, the Knights of Columbus are conducting a campaign to solicit funds to equip and support Canadian Army Huts, to provide trading, recreation and comforts for Canada's Army.
Every Great War Veteran remembers gratefully the hospitality he received through the work of this organization, and we make no hesitation in endorsing this campaign.
Yours very sincerely,
P. L. WRIGHT, Secretary
Acton Branch Canadian Legion,
British Empire Service League.

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AT Y. M. C. A.
Friday, Dec. 8
AT 8.00 P.M.
FEATURING
TERRY EVANS (British Empire Champ)
HARRY PEACE (Canadian and International Y.M.C.A. Champion)
AND 5 OTHER OUTSTANDING WRESTLERS
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN 25c
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"IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR WITH US"
COACH RATES ARE SO LOW!
HAROLD WILES Phone 58

Hockey Groupings in O.H.A. are Announced To-day

Acton Intermediates Play in Group 7 and Juniors are in Group 5
O.H.A. Headquarters' Bulletin, just received this morning, gives the grouping for the various leagues. Since Acton is interested with teams in the Intermediate "B" and Junior "C" groups, we publish these in full. We advise you to clip them now, for reference, as they will not be republished again.
INTERMEDIATE "B" SERIES
Group No. 1—First Section—Queen's University, Kingston Galt, Kingston Signallers, Trenton Royal Canadian Air Force (Team No. 2); Second Section—Hicks, Kingston; meet at Kingston.
Group 2—14th Midland Battery (Colborne), Port Hope Whitby; Convener, C. D. MacMillan, Port Hope; meet at Port Hope.
Group 3—Markham Town League (a bye).
Group 4—Sutton, Lindsay, Oakwood, Lakeland; Convener, R. Butler, Lindsay; meet at Lindsay.
Group 5—Georgetown, Milton, Brampton, Orangeville; Convener, Father McCabe, Orangeville; meet at Brampton.
Group No. 6—Port Colborne, Exces, Simcoe, Port Dover, Smithville, Thorold, Dunnville, Hagersville, Convener, J. M. Roxburgh, Simcoe; meet at Simcoe (Port Colborne team a bye).
Group 7—Acton, Paris, Fergus, Elora, Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph; Convener, A. A. Badley, Elora; meet at Guelph.
Group No. 8—Glenside, Watford, Strathroy, Petrolia, Point Edward, Forest; Convener, Roy Reynolds, Chatham; meet at Watford.
Group No. 9—Clinton, Seaford, Tavistock, New Hamburg, St. Agatha; Convener, Robert Rudy, Tavistock; meet at Seaford.
Group No. 10—Winner of Kent County Hockey Association.
Group No. 11—Listowel, Palmerston, 97th-100th, Listowel, Arthur, Harrison, Milverton; Convener, B. I. H. Bamford, Listowel; meet at Listowel.
Group No. 12—Paisley, Port Elgin, Kincaidine, Lucknow; Convener, W. K. Clarke, Kincaidine; meet at Walkerton.
Group No. 13—Owen Sound (Team No. 2), Durham, Walkerton, Wingham; Convener, Ross Binkley, Walkerton; meet at Durham.
Group No. 14—Powassan, Sundridge, Huntsville, Bracebridge, Parry Sound; Convener, George Panter, Gravenhurst; meet at Huntsville.
Group No. 15—Winner Port Colborne Industrial League.
Group No. 16—Winner Niagara Falls Industrial League.
Group No. 17—Newwood (a bye).

ACTON GRADUATES IN NURSING COURSES AT UNIVERSITY

In the recent graduation list of the School of Nursing of Toronto University were two Acton ladies—Miss Norma Kenney was a graduate in the General Course and received her certificate in Public Health Nursing. Miss Jessie Young was a graduate in the Teaching and Supervision Course and received her certificate of the Hospital Staff Nurses Course. Acton friends join in congratulations to both of these in their advancement in their chosen profession.

Arena Committee Plans Adopted by the Council

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operation deducted and that Mr. Mills be employed, as required.
The Committee also asked that Council approve of the purchase of new records for the music at the Arena. The Council approved of this purchase. The Council also approved of the plan again this year of all accounts being sanctioned by two members of the Arena Committee before payment, was made by the Council.
Mr. Harrop was present to get instructions of his duties from the Council. Mr. Harrop also reported on the progress on the collection on seizures that had been made.
The twenty-second report of the Finance Committee recommended payment of the following accounts:
Simon Hardware, supplies \$ 2.70
Municipal World, advice and election supplies 3.46
Township of Eglarung, taxes 11.15
South-end Garage, gasoline for pump house 62.50
South-end Garage, gasoline for fire truck 10.43
South-end Garage, care of fire truck during 1939 25.00
County Treasurer, County Rate Fire Brigade, grant 300.00
Alfred Bauer, allowance for fire pump 25.00
R. J. McPherson, Reeve McCutcheon, C. F. Leatherland, selecting jurors 3.00
C. P. Leatherland, expenses attending lectures 5.70
George... .. \$6,286.98

The report was adopted.
The Clerk was instructed to advertise for tenders for the booth at the Arena, for the season 1939-40.
A letter from the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I.O.D.E. expressed appreciation of the Order for the use of the Town Hall in connection with the Voluntary Registration of Canadian Women.
The Clerk was instructed to pay the allowances to the officials in charge of the election.
Deputy Returning Officers were paid \$6.00 each, and Poll Clerks \$3.00 each.
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Money for Christmas

An easy way to build up the savings for Christmas shopping is to save as an Every Gallop of Gasoline. Gold Star and Blue Star give top performance. For the cold weather we recommend Gold Star, which contains lead tetraethyl.
Fill up the tank for Christmas—it's a gift everyone will enjoy and will help you have a Merry Christmas.
TO ONE AND ALL THE BEST WISHES FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS
Blue Star Service Station
JACK HARGRAVES Mill and Young Streets PHONE 35

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Happy Days are here and healthy days to for people who drink plenty of Pure Pasteurized Milk from Masales' Dairy. Its rich nourishment and energy producing qualities will put the glow of Santa's cheeks into yours. A quart a day is the world's lowest priced health insurance.
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The Christmas MENU
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RIDDLES
How many peas in a pint? — One P.
When you listen to a drum why are you a good judge? — Because you hear both sides.
What table has not a leg to stand on? — The multiplication table.
Plant contentment and what will come up? — Heart ease.
If all the seas were dried up, what would old Neptune say? — I really haven't an ocean (a notion).