

Personals

Miss Mary K. Smith, of Toronto, is visiting Acton friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin, of Barrie, called on Mr. N. P. Moore, their cousin, to-day.

Mr. R. L. Johnston is spending a week in Toronto with his daughter, Mrs. M. C. Overholt.

Mrs. Walter Flood, of Woodstock, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed returned last night from a holiday at Pointe au Baril, Parry Sound district.

Mrs. Ernest Coles and family, of Georgetown, spent last week holidaying with Acton relatives and friends.

Mrs. Gordon Swanson and Master Walter, of Eramosa, visited at the home of her parents, Councillor and Mrs. W. J. O. Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pratten and Miss Stella Pratten, of Nanticoke, were visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bishop are spending a holiday at the home of their son, Mr. George Bishop, Red Lodge, Shequindah, Manitoulin Island.

Mrs. John McDowell, Mrs. Frank Wrigglesworth, Erin, and Mrs. Clarence Wrigglesworth and baby, Brian, Stratford, visited Miss Florence Elliott on Tuesday.

The many friends from Acton and district will be glad to hear that Mr. John Winter, who is now living in England, and who has been ill for some time, is now able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Chalmers wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Audrey Beale, to Elmer Bartolomeo Grischow, son of Mrs. A. Holt, of Preston, and the late Mr. N. Grischow. The marriage to take place quietly in September.

Friends are pleased to learn that Mr. William Mainprize, Sr., was able to return last week from the hospital in Toronto where he recently underwent an operation. All hope that his good progress continues and that he will soon be around again as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Gordier, Rockwood, Ontario, announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Beattie, to Mr. George Franklin Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day, the marriage to take place on Saturday, September 14th, in Rockwood United Church.

The engagement is announced of Hazel Elizabeth Dennis, Reg. N., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Dennis, Rockwood, to Cyril Christopher Knight, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Knight, Russell Hill Road, Toronto, the marriage to take place quietly early in September.

The following were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mason last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. David Keith, of Elora; Mrs. Anderson, Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lambie, West Palm Beach, Florida, and their granddaughter, Mary Low Lambie, Meadowdale, Ontario.

The engagement is announced of Helen Elizabeth daughter of Mrs. John Richard Macleod, and the late Mr. Marlow, to Archibald Thomas Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McNabb, Toronto. The wedding will take place at St. Stephen's Church, Toronto, at 2:45 p.m. on Saturday, September 7th.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Thos. L. Close and family deeply appreciate the kindness that was shown in so many ways during the illness and at the time of the death of the beloved husband and father. The sympathy expressed has been most helpful and will always be gratefully remembered.

Twenty Years Ago

From the issue of The Free Press of Thursday, September 2nd, 1920

Fifteen cent sugar is expected shortly by Toronto dealers. Ten cent sugar will be better.

The Methodist Sunday School picnic was held last Thursday at Mr. Fred Bennett's place on the First Line. The attendance was larger than for years and the location was in all respects ideal for a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Pettinelli, of Main Street, who have been esteemed residents of Acton for the past ten or twelve years, are removing to California.

The Acton Farmers' Club held a very successful garden party on Tuesday evening. The Elite Ladies' Quartette, of London, and the ever popular Jimmie Fox provided the program.

Mr. W. A. Murray has sold his home at Crewson's Corners and will remove to Acton. Mr. and Mrs. Murray have always proved faithful friends and good neighbors and their removal is much regretted.

BORN

JOLLY—At Galt Hospital, on Friday, August 27th, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jolly a daughter.

DIED

FRANKMUM—At Harrison, on Monday, August 20th, 1940, Henry J. Frankmum, formerly of Acton, aged 78 years.

STUART—At Guelph, on Friday, August 27th, 1940, Leslie C. Murray, beloved wife of Dr. F. Stuart.

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

E. P. Head Eyesight Specialist and Manufacturing Optician 58 St. George's Square Guelph, Ontario

GREGORY THEATRE FRIDAY, AUGUST 30th "STRANGE CARGO" SATURDAY, AUGUST 31st "FLIGHT ANGELS" MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2nd "JOHNNY APOLLO"

Houses for Sale Brick House at corner of Wilbur Street and Bower Avenue. Owner is leaving town. This house has six rooms and also Bathroom, Sunroom, Cellar and Hot Air Heating. Enquire at once as this house will be sold shortly.

C. F. Leatherland SOLICITOR, ACTON, ONTARIO BRITISH CHILD GUESTS Again we wish to make it clear that all children coming from Great Britain under the Government Evacuation Scheme will be directed to the various communities through their local Children's Aid Society.

Report on County Schools by the Inspector

Tells of Improvements Made in Rural and Urban Schools and Other Changes

It has been a privilege to be associated with the schools of the County during this year of exchange with your Public School Inspector, Mr. Skuce. May I take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation of the close co-operation of urban and rural Trustees, of teachers and pupils, of the County Council, and of the many other organizations interested in education.

Beautiful schoolgrounds have a constant though slight influence upon pupils in developing proper attitudes toward and desire for attractive home and school surroundings. The attitude of the community toward the school is reflected largely by the attention given to the improvement of the appearance of the school and grounds.

In twenty-eight rural schools the grounds in front of the building were landscaped; in thirteen both sides were planted; in ten one side of the school was planted, and in eighteen there were shrubs planted elsewhere.

The teachers of the County have continued their progress in accepting and applying the principles of the present program of studies. There has been an increasing tendency to train pupils in the acceptance of personal responsibility, and greater opportunity has been given for the expression of pupil initiative.

Increased emphasis has been given to many activities in keeping with these principles. Mural making has become a generally accepted method of pupil expression, training pupils in group discussions and planning, and in creative art, and increasing their interest in broad reading related to many subjects.

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The Canadian War Effort

A Weekly Review of Developments Along the Home Front August 23rd-29th

1. Meeting at Ogdensburg, New York. President Roosevelt of the United States, and the Prime Minister of Canada agreed that a permanent joint board on defence should be set up by the two countries at once.

2. Canada is to issue a second war loan of from \$250,000,000 to \$300,000,000. The early War Loan Holders of Dominion of Canada 4 1/2 per cent bonds, maturing September 1st, will be given opportunity to exchange their maturing bonds for bonds of the new issue.

3. Captain Victor G. Brodeur, Royal Canadian Navy, appointed Naval Attaché, Colonel H. P. G. Letson, M.C. appointed Military Attaché to the Canadian Legation in Washington.

4. Personnel of the Canadian Navy is nearly six times as great as it was a year ago, announced Hon. Angus Macdonald, Minister of National Defence for Naval Services. Approximately 10,000 Naval officers and men are on active service.

5. Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner in London, called the Minister for Naval Services that "the quiet but effective work of Canadian destroyers on convoy service is valued highly by Admiralty, and it is of especial interest that among their duties has been the escort of Australian troops en route to Britain."

6. Adjustment of educational requirements for appointment to Army commissions in the C.A.S.P. announced by the Department of National Defence.

7. Hon. C. G. Power, Associate Minister of Defence, accompanied by army, navy and air advisers, conferred on defence with Newfoundland authorities in St. John's, Newfoundland.

8. Armored brigade authorized for the C.A.S.P. Brigade will consist of four battalions of the C.A.S.P. and will be equipped with 200 tanks, in addition to other armored vehicles. Col. F. F. Worthington, M.C., Commanding Officer of the Canadian Armored Fighting Vehicles Training Centre at Camp Borden, will command the brigade.

9. In addition to approximately 40,000 troops overseas, strength of the C.A.S.P. in Canada, as of August 14th, totalled 114,003. Of this total, 26 companies were veteran home guards. Strength of the non-permanent active militia stood at 100,731, of which 21,500 are at present in training camps. Name of the Veterans Home Guards is to be changed to Veterans Guard of Canada.

10. For three days, thousands of registrars, their deputies and volunteer workers, engaged in war-time registration of eight million Canadian citizens.

Assessment Equalization Is Discussed

(Continued from Page One) Other resolutions passed were as follows: Moved by Mr. Byers, seconded by Mr. Hume, that the following accounts be paid:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Finance: \$677.67, Hospitals: 819.55, County Buildings: 150.25, Printing: 73.05, Total: \$1,720.52

Moved by Dr. Heslop, seconded by Mr. Byers, that the County Buildings Committee deem it advisable to ask for tenders for coal necessary for County Buildings—Carried.

By-law No. 744 was introduced and carried, after the required three readings. This by-law was for the purpose of levying a rate for the expenses of the County of Halton for the current financial year. Comparing estimates for expenditures against last year, the following reductions have been noted:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. General Rate, 1939: \$47,551.23; 1940: \$45,173.95; High Schools, 1939: \$43,169.84; 1940: \$40,279.02. Total: \$199,824.15 for 1940, against \$205,906.35 for 1939.

Meat Specials for This Week! Shoulder Roast Beef 20c per lb., Blade Roast Beef 20c-22c per lb., Choice Rump Roast Beef 23c per lb., Prime Rib Roast 25c per lb., Lean Hamburg Steak 20c per lb., Brisket and Rib Boiling Beef 15c per lb., Fresh Pork Shoulders 20c per lb., Trimmed Boston Butts 25c per lb.

Meaty Spare Ribs 15c per lb., Fresh Hams, whole or half 25c, Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls 27c, Schneider's Sliced Breakfast Bacon 35c, Fresh Pork Liver in piece 2 lb 25c, FRESH SAUSAGE Large, per lb. 15c, Small, per lb. 20c

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