

Personals

Mrs. J. C. Currie and Jimmie returned to their home in Chatham on Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Hall (nee Olive Rooke) left last week for her new home in Meaford.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Vincent and Barbara spent Sunday with relatives in Aurora.

Miss A. L. Oakes, of Guelph, is visiting at the home of her brother, Counsellor Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McGowan, of Schomberg, visited with Councillor and Mrs. W. J. O. Oakes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore spent Tuesday with Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Morrow and family, at Preston.

Congratulations to our neighbor, Mr. J. H. Smith, who, on Saturday, will observe his eighty-first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown, of Kitchener, visited on Sunday at the parental home, with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown.

Mrs. Norman Scarrow and Barry returned home on Sunday, after spending a week with her brother, Mr. Ian Macdonald.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Linton Kenney and Miss Barbara, of Toronto, visited on Sunday with Mr. John Kenney, Bower Avenue.

Mrs. Roydon MacDonald, who has been visiting in this district for the past month, left this week for her home at Rat Rapids.

Mr. Carman Norton, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Al Mulrhead, of Agincourt, attended the Norton-MacArthur wedding here on Wednesday.

Friends of Miss Annie Kelly will be pleased to know that she is improving nicely from her recent operation at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph.

Mrs. James Symon was in Ottawa this week attending the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. A. McGill, who passed away very suddenly on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Husband and Jack, of Ogdensburg, N.Y., and Mrs. Ross Anderson, of Toronto, visited over the week-end at the parental home, with Mr. and Mrs. S. Husband.

Poem by Acton Pupil Wins an Honorable Mention

The Ontario Horticultural Association this past week announced winners in their Trillium Poem Contest. Among the poems that received honorable mention was one by Rena Braida, a pupil of the Acton Continuation School. Acton friends join in congratulations. Following is the poem:

THE WHITE TRILLIUM
When April leaves, with all its grace
And May steps in to take its place,
The whole world starts to live once more
And proudly opens summer's door.

And with this Nature's glad event,
The budding maples, tall, unbent,
Quite seem as though they swell with pride
To have the trillium by their side.

This flower in its velvet hood,
Fills meadow green and sunbore wood,
Where all day long calm breezes blow,
Or on the banks of rivers grow.

A whirl of silvery quivering leaves
Among each snowy petal weaves;
And in the shaded woods afar
Seem as a fairy woodland star.

Distinctive charm and grace it lends,
To landscapes 'til its pure life ends.
No more to feel the loving kiss
Of soft winds and contented bliss.

May it ever rise from leafy cot,
Not crush or pluck with little thought,
It represents our country free,
What does it mean to you or me?
—Rena Braida.

ON THOSE LAWYERS

Cross-examining Lawyer: "Now, you still maintain that the prisoner is the man you saw stealing your cycle?"
Plaintiff: "After arguing with you for half an hour, I don't believe I ever had a cycle."

CANADIAN LUMBER EXPORT GAINS

Although international trade channels have been seriously disrupted by war conditions, exports of lumber from Canada have been increasing. During the nine-month period from September 1st, 1939, to May 31st, 1940, exports rose to 1,550,000,000 board feet, an increase of 14,000,000 board feet over the corresponding period in 1938-39. Shipments to the United Kingdom, chief market for Canadian lumber, increased from 724,000,000 to 805,000,000 board feet, and other Empire countries increased their purchases from 180,000,000 to 212,000,000 board feet. Exports to the United States showed a gain of 70,000,000 board feet, but shipments to all other foreign countries declined by 37,000,000 feet. The value of exports to all countries rose from \$38,000,000 to \$39,000,000 an increase of 30 per cent.

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GREGORY THEATRE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11th
"FLORIAN"
Tumultuous adventure, with Robert Young and Helen Gilbert. Cartoons, "You Ought to be in Pictures," "Pete Smith," "Oat College," Chapter 1 of "Zorro's Fighting Legion."

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12th
"CONGO MAISIE"
Another Maisie picture, better than the first, with Ann Southern. Cartoons, "Squadron 997," "Radio and Relatives," "Edgar Runs Again," Fox News.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14th
Matinee at 3
"EDISON, THE MAN"
Great entertainment, with Spencer Tracy and Rita Johnson. Cartoons, "Pagin's Freshman," "Sport," "Playmates from the Wild."

Local Health Bulletin

The town is still free from any communicable disease, as no new cases have been reported for the past week.

The program of preventive measures continues at the school, and much to the credit of the children, the inoculations have been received with practically no fuss or objections. Of course, some children like to make protest and cut up a little, but they have behaved exceptionally well, and have borne the soreness of reaction very stoically. In fact most of them have acted as if they enjoyed coming up for their "needle," as they call it.

Up to date most of them have had their first dose of diphtheria toxoid, first and second doses of scarlet fever toxin, first dose of whooping cough vaccine, and all have had vaccination against smallpox. Five pupils required re-vaccinating against smallpox, on account of no take the first time.

This week, on account of the Teachers' Convention and next Monday being Thanksgiving Day, the usual Friday inoculations for scarlet fever will be done on Tuesday, after the holiday. This Wednesday the inoculations will be inspected and dressing renewed where necessary. In view of the fact that some extra pupils have been added to the list since the start, it is not likely that the school work will be completed now until the latter part of November.

Several cases of Impetigo have occurred in the lower grades, and these children will have to absent themselves from classes until the condition clears up entirely. The parents should consult their doctor for advice and treatment of the condition and not send the child back to the school until all clear has been declared by the physician. Other children in the family must be watched closely for outbreak of the infection and treatment started at once, as the infection is very stubborn, although not dangerous.

R. J. NELSON, M.O.H.

"There'll Always Be An England"

There are few tunes which will inspire a group of night-club revellers—and bring even the most flip-pant-minded to his feet; but this is one of the tributes called forth by what is rapidly becoming the accepted war song of Englishmen everywhere, "There'll Always Be An England."
The words of this moving battle hymn are simple and heartfelt, as witness this excerpt:
"There'll always be an England
While there's a country lane;
Wherever there's a cottage small
Beside a field of grain,
There'll always be an England,
And England shall be free,
If England means as much to you
As England means to me."

And to show how much England means to him, the author of those words, Ross Parker, is now fighting with the British army. The composer, Hughie Charles, also is engaged in defense work in Britain.

But, in the intervals, he continues to give lyrical and musical expression to their patriotism and their love of country. Their latest, "The Navy's Here," has made an immediate appeal, and its popularity grows steadily as the importance of the senior service becomes more and more apparent to the Empire. It is curious now to learn that "There'll Always Be An England" hung fire for many months; but it was written at a time when the war clouds had not become lowering, when British friends of Miss Perle McMillan, a bride of this month, gathered at Brookville Hall in Nassagaweya to honor her and present a radio.

Mr. E. L. Davidson was chairman for the gathering and Mr. John Black read the following address, expressive of the esteem in which Miss McMillan was held and the good wishes that accompanied her to the new home.
Dear Perle:
It is with a great deal of pleasure that we, your friends and neighbors, have gathered here to-night to extend to you our best wishes for a long life, full of happiness and prosperity.
You have grown up in this community, and we have valued your friendship very highly. You have always willingly shared your musical talent, which has added to many an evening's entertainment. Your cheerful disposition and ready smile have won the respect and admiration of everyone with whom you have associated.
As you are leaving this community to make your home elsewhere, we want you to know when you return at any time, you may be sure of a warm and hearty welcome.
We ask you to accept this gift as a slight token of our regard, accompanied by our sincere good wishes.
Signed on behalf of the neighbors and friends,
GEORGE DREDGE,
STAN ROBINSON,
JIM BRITTON,
JOHN BRACK,
GEORGE JOE,
GEORGE KENNEDY.

AGRICULTURE IN WAR

"It must be remembered that while agriculture is a vital arm in war, the full impact of the demand for farm products is not felt until accumulated stores disappear and production areas are restricted. Agriculture may be regarded, therefore, as something of a reserve force, the power of which is not felt in the early stages, and the needs for which and the nature of which can only be accurately determined in the light of developments."—Dr. G. S. H. Bayton, Deputy Minister, Dominion Department of Agriculture.

INGENUOUS

A neighbor wanted to borrow grandpa's new rope. Said grandpa: "No, I've to use that rope to-day to tie up some sand."
After the neighbor had left a friend said: "Grandpa, you know you can't tie sand with a rope."
"Remember, my boy," replied the old man, "you can do pretty near anything with a piece of rope if you don't want to tie it."

FRIENDS HONOR ACTON BRIDE OF THE WEEK

Last Thursday evening friends of Miss Dorothy MacArthur held an enjoyable social evening with her at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Elliot. A basket, containing a shower of gifts, was presented and the address given below conveyed congratulations and advice to the bride. Miss MacArthur became the bride of Mr. Harry W. Norton, in a quiet wedding at Knox Manse, yesterday.

This little congregation little gathered here to-night,
To give you warmest greeting and try to guide you right;
The things we have to offer by word of mouth and gift,
Are given as a send off and a little parting lift.

The things we're passing on to you are useful, have no fear,
They mean sincerest wishes, though the coat is not so dear;
There's china and there's silver and patterns, new and old,
And calico, and linens, some plain and some in fold.

There's Helen and there's Charlotte, and Margaret and Kay,
Their gifts are in the basket, and they have come along to say
They've not had much experience, yet would offer this advice,
If hubby should get fresh or smart, just make him pay the price.

But Audrey Grischow thinks they're wrong—say she, "I know the ropes,
You'll have to treat him gently to realize your hopes;
You'll have to keep him tidy and wash his shirt and jeans,
And if he's fond of hamburger steak, don't feed him pork and beans."

Then Doris Weaver comes along to tell her little tale,
And says if you do what I say, you're bound to get on swell;
Just keep your eye upon this chap, don't let your gaze ever waver,
For if you do, he'll have the house full of mechanics' grease.

Then there's Hanson, known as Wilma, and Rawlings, we call Fran,
They say "If you would keep him well, don't feed him from a can"
And Laura Lovell, she stands up upon her little feet,
To pipe her little tune, which is "Feed him on butcher's meat."

"And if he should, at any time, get rough or act unwell,
Just use some 'Force,' give him a shock."
The above comes from dear Julie and all the other folk you see join in and sing this chorus,
Exert your will; stand on your rights; don't let the men rule o'er us!

MR. E. J. MOORE ADDRESSED UNITED YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

The United Young People's Union met in their regular weekly session on Monday evening. The guest speaker was Mr. E. J. Moore, who took as his subject, "Canadianism."
The minister, Rev. G. C. Clifford, also led in a period of Bible study.
At the close of the meeting a period of singing and games was enjoyed.

NEIGHBORS, FRIENDS HONOR BRIDE IN NASSAGAWEYA

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On behalf of the gathering Mr. George Dredge presented Miss McMillan with a beautiful radio. She replied, briefly, thanking all for their kindness. The social evening, which followed, was enjoyed by everyone.

The Column Y

The Junior "A" and Junior "B" Girls Classes have now begun and the schedule calls for the Junior "A" Classes on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. and Wednesday at 4:15 p.m. The Junior "B" schedule calls for classes on Monday at 4:15 and Wednesday at 4:15, with Junior "A" Class. A very interesting and exciting season of activities is expected and there are quite a number of new members.

Junior Boys Classes will be held on Tuesday at 4:15 p.m. and Saturday at 10:00 a.m.
Senior Boys group have Monday and Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Young ladies who attended the Gym Class on Tuesday evening last season will be glad to know that the class has begun again, with a good turnout this week.

Entries for Ping Pong Tournaments go up this week and in order to stimulate the game, a group from Toronto will be up in the near future to demonstrate the finer points of the game.

BUILDS BIG WIND TUNNEL TO TEST AIRCRAFT MODELS

One of the largest and most complete built by the Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, tunnels in the world is now being built, manufacturer of the 15 planes in the Trans-Canada Air Lines fleet and the six larger ones recently ordered. The tunnel will be about 600 feet long and capable of testing models with a wing span of 11 feet. Air will be forced through the tunnel at a maximum speed of 200 miles an hour.

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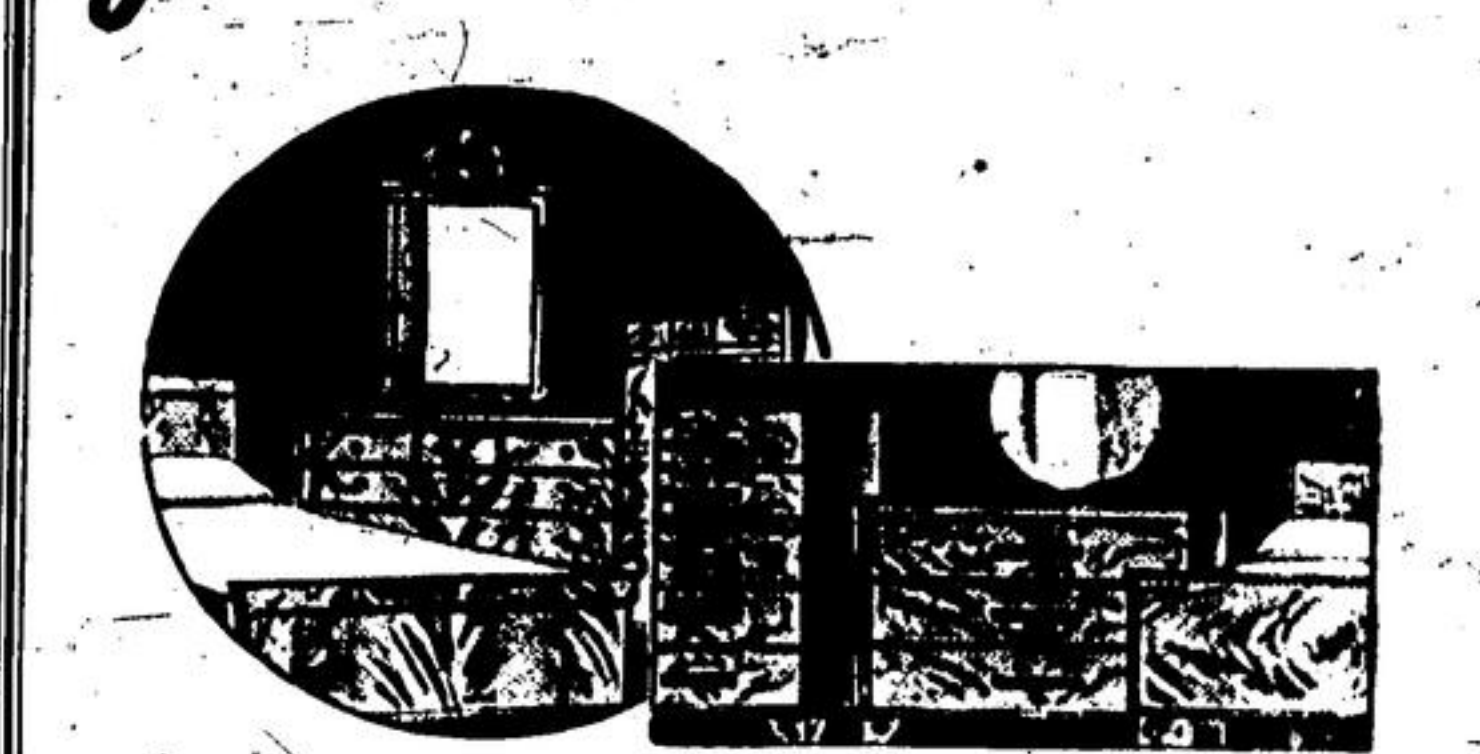
A change of address or in matrimonial status in the case of persons liable to be called for military training under the National War Services Regulations must be immediately reported to the divisional registrar in the district where that person resides. Failure to do so will incur penalties of fine or imprisonment.

"EDISON, THE MAN" COMES TO GREGORY HERE ON MONDAY

With Spencer Tracy again portraying a real-life character so expertly that once more he enacts his stellar role without the use of artificial make-up, "Edison, the Man" is the feature on Monday, matinee and night, at the Gregory Theatre in Acton.
Through his work as Father Flanagan in "Boys Town," Henry M. Stanley in "Stanley and Livingstone," and Major Robert Rogers in "Northwest Passage," Tracy has become recognized as the ideal star to portray any typical American hero. He was aided in his portrayal of Thomas A. Edison by the fact that in stature and facial structure he bears a striking resemblance to the beloved American inventor.

While the picture follows the highlights of Edison's early life so faithfully that none can accuse the studio of adopting cinematic license, it is replete with drama and thrills, all of which were taken from the inventor's life. The story is basically a young man's story, since Edison began his inventive career at the age of twenty-two. The picture carries him through his courtship, his home life as a father, and his struggles for achievement, culminating in his creation of the phonograph at the age of thirty and the incandescent light at the early age of thirty-two.

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