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The Functions of the Press

This is one of a series of editorials specially designated to acquaint our readers with the various functions of the Press in a Democratic community.

EDITORIAL No. 5 The Press And The Advertiser

The relationship between the newspaper and its advertisers is as important to the newspaper reader as it is to the publisher.

Not only is such a system untrue, but it is unfair both to the newspaper and to the advertiser.

The relationship between the advertiser and the newspaper is similar to that which exists between a merchant and his customer.

That, very simply is the relationship between the publisher and the advertiser.

Not The Time

The darkness of these days and the days ahead were not minimized in the broadcast of Prime Minister Winston Churchill on Sunday.

We will have other dark times too. But the concern of the moment is the lack of realization of workers and employers in the industries vital to victory that they have a patriotic duty to their country

as well as those in the Army, Navy, and Air Force. Workers are too easily led by agitators and professional strike leaders into stopping work and causing serious delay in production necessary for the conduct of the war.

If men are to be drafted for compulsory service in the defence of Canada, surely our production powers will be drafted too in the common cause.

Gray Hair, Whales—Three Words—Any Three

We are indebted last week to the Georgetown Herald for calling attention to what the judge says is an omission of three words in the report of County Council proceedings as they appeared in The Free Press.

Reading last week's copy of The Acton Free Press we were amazed at the generosity of three Halloway municipalities.

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Surely it cannot be that THE ACTON FREE PRESS and Burlington Gazette are supplying the Georgetown Herald with County Council reports.

EDITORIAL NOTES

To-day is the day that many have been anticipating since last September—the trout fishing season is open.

A visitor to Acton last week, Mr. T. A. Blakelock, M.P.P., remarked that he had never seen Acton's streets look cleaner or more tidy.

The advantage of regular garbage collection in year round is most noticeable at this time of year.

Repairs to No. 25 Highway were well done following the spring break-up and the road from Acton to Milton is again in fair condition.

Once again the County Music Festival has come and gone, playing an important part in the advancement of music in the lives of the young boys and girls.

The Week at OTTAWA

Specially Written for The Acton Free Press by LLOYD MACDONALD, Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, (CP)—The House of Commons is down to work again, the war and its effects on Canada driven closer home than ever.

More Money Needed Before Tuesday there had been almost no indication what taxation changes would be made since the budget always is a closely-guarded government secret until read to the House.

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Farm Statistics Of Great Value

Co-operation of Farmers in Taking of Census urged as Public Duty

OTTAWA, (CP)—When facts and figures about Canada's agriculture are collected this year they will largely represent the information provided by farm operators themselves.

Neither the amount nor the terms of the loan have been made public, but between now and June 2, date of its launching, the national committee, represented in each province by provincial premiers as honorary chairmen, will set about the preparatory tasks.

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Advertisement for Bank of Montreal featuring the headline 'ARE Your FARM BUILDINGS IN GOOD CONDITION?' and an illustration of a man in a hat talking to a woman in a dress. The ad promotes farm buildings in good condition and offers banking services.