

Personals

Mrs. John Wood spent the week-end visiting in Toronto.

Mr. Bert Mason visited over the week-end at Woodville.

Mr. W. H. (Pete) Bell of Toronto visited this week with his father, Mr. W. J. Bell.

Mrs. E. M. MacDonald and Miss Margaret Gordon spent the week-end waiting in London.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. McMillan of Toronto, visited on Saturday at the home of Mrs. E. F. O'Neill and family.

Mrs. John Harvey and Miss Anne Somerville of Toronto, visited with members of the family over the week-end.

Mrs. Janet Elmie, and Miss Sarah McDonald, of Regina, Sask., are spending a month with the former's mother, Mrs. Elmie.

William George, of Yorkshire, England and George Norman Galloway, England, visited with the R.A.F. at Debert, N.S., and spent their furlough with Mr. and Mrs. C. Franklin.

Mr. Jas. Taylor, Brook Avenue and Mrs. Herbert Taylor, of Quilich, visited with Gunner Henry Taylor at the Queen Alexander Sanatorium at London last week, where he is convalescing following his return from England.

Mr. Robert Warne has returned home after spending a week at Windsor and Halifax, N.S., also St. John, N.B., and Montreal. His daughter, Mrs. Peter Elmie returned with him after spending a month with her husband who has left for overseas.

Engagements

The engagement is announced of Jessie Kathleen, daughter of Mr. Thomas Morton of Toronto, formerly of Acton, Ontario, and the late Mrs. Morton, to Mr. Anthony J. McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McMillan, Trenton, the marriage to take place quietly November 27th.

SOYBEANS HAVE MANY IMPORTANT USES

The soybean has filled certain definite requirements both in agriculture and industry for many years. Formerly a large portion of the soybean supply was obtained from Manchuria, the native home of the soybean, but wartime and transportation difficulties caused a serious depletion in the supply from that source. Fortunately, the foundation had been laid for growing soybeans in Canada and the United States, so it has only been necessary to extend the acreage devoted to the crop.

The chief value of soybeans is found in the protein and oil content of the mature seeds. Few crops grown in Canada may be considered as high protein producers, as soybeans and high protein concentrates are an important constituent of many live-stock feeds. The soybean is very valuable in this respect, supplementing the flax crop. Other uses have also been found for soybean protein in the fields of human nutrition, plastics, wood binding adhesives, water paints and many others.

Soybean oil, being of vegetable origin, also has particularly valuable properties, states C. W. Owen, Forage Corps Division, Dominion Experimental Farms Service. After various treatments, depending on the ultimate use to be made of the oil, it may be used wholly or in partial replacement of the other oils in vegetable shortenings and margarines, oil paints, soap, canning, linoleum, and many other products. In many instances soybean oil is being used to replace other oils which are now very difficult to obtain or are being used for essential war uses. As research progresses, more uses will undoubtedly be found for soybeans.

EXTRA! EXTRA! READ ALL ABOUT IT!

When Columbus discovered America one couldn't read all about it. There were no newspapers in 1492. Printing had barely come into use and then only for religious and scholarly works. Newspapers did not appear until 150 years later. An exhibition of the uses of printing, at the Royal Ontario Museum, contains a single-folded 18th century newspaper and a Toronto Globe of 1877. Although the latter may seem old-fashioned in our eyes it certainly was an improvement on the earlier newspapers. The exhibit shows that printing is also employed in the making of maps, playing cards, illustrations and reproductions of paintings and in the decoration of textiles including shawls, kerchiefs, dress fabrics, handkerchiefs, and even fans.

Faith in the unseen and unknown is the solace of the race; the vision of the mind is greater than that of the eye. The nobler faith will be with those who open all the windows of their soul to the light streaming from the inexhaustible source of truth that floods the world. — Rev. Milton Reed.

RESEARCH IN FLORIDA

LONDON (CP)—All through October a year ago you couldn't buy an onion, now the market is glutted with them and no one seems to find a tear. "People just don't seem to realize they're available," the Food Ministry said.

AUCTION SALE

Of Furniture and Household Effects at the farm of
CHARLES HUFFIELD
Lot 15, Sixth Line Road, 2 miles west of Eglinton, on
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 29
at 2 o'clock
ROY HINDLEY, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE

Will be held at the farm of
SIR JOHN HANCOCK
on Gairloch and Erin Highway, 2 miles west of Eglinton, on
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29
at one o'clock. Farm stock and implements.
ROY HINDLEY, Auctioneer.
R. E. No. 2, Acton

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Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of Paul S. Kennedy, Farmer, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Paul S. Kennedy, late of the Village of Acton, Farmer, who died on or about the 28th day of June, A. D. 1943, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of December, A. D. 1943, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice, and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not then have notice.

Dated at Georgetown this 2nd day of November, A. D. 1943.
LEWIS DALE, E. C., Executor of the estate of PAUL S. KENNEDY by his Solicitors, Dale and Bennett, Georgetown, Ontario.

BURLINGTON

After hearing the few appeals filed against the 1943 assessment, the Court of Revision for the town dismissed with one exception all appeals on Friday evening last.

At the regular meeting of the Nelson Township Council held on Monday last, Francis Bell was appointed ward superintendent. He assumed John Hannon who died suddenly last month.

The sad news was received on Monday, Oct. 18th, by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dummer, of Merita, of the death in Italy of their son, Pte. Vernon Gordon Dummer, who resided there prior to his enlistment.

The largest attended rally ever to be held in Burlington was the Victory Loan Rally held at the Grant Inn on Wednesday, when over one thousand people were on hand to enjoy one of the most outstanding evening programmes ever presented and heard to the finest speaker ever heard in Burlington—Gawette.

GEORGETOWN

The daughters of St. George's Church raised \$500.00 to be used for necessary repairs through their marathon end-of-the-year four weeks.

We were sorry to hear that Mr. Thomas Balfour, of Hamilton, and formerly of Georgetown, had a bad fall recently from which he suffered concussion. He is confined to Hamilton General Hospital.

On Wednesday evening last about 25 neighbours and friends paid a surprise visit to Miss Dorothy Cleave, a bride of last Saturday. The first part of the evening was spent in games and coffee after which a delicious lunch was served and the bride-to-be was presented with a lovely christening spread.

A delegation from the Women's Institute composed of Mrs. Dan Livingstone, Mrs. Norman Spinks, Mrs. E. T. Paul, Mrs. E. H. Robertson and Mrs. W. C. McDowell, waited on council at their regular session on Monday night, to discuss the establishment of a public library in the municipal building. Council was unanimously in favor of this arrangement and decided that the existing facilities in the municipal building be opened to the use of the public.—Herald.

OAKVILLE

One hundred and eight donors attended the clinic on Oct. 31st. The women of Oakville responded magnificently and saved the day.

The sewage disposal plant at the foot of Navy Street which has been badly damaged by storms has been the subject of considerable discussion at Monday's Council meeting.

Prompt action by the Fire Brigade and patients from the Military Convalescent Hospital prevented what threatened to be a serious fire on Sunday evening.

The Rev. Wm. C. Eberstone of St. Catherine's, has been appointed by the Bishop of Niagara to succeed Canon D. Russell Smith as rector of St. Jude's Church, Oakville.

The tire theft epidemic continued. On Tuesday night the car belonging to Flight Lieutenant and Mrs. James Cairns was stolen from in front of their home.

A by-law, setting Friday, Nov. 26th as the day for nominations for the offices of Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve, Councillors, Water and Light Commissioners and Trustees of the Board of Education, was adopted by the town council at Monday's meeting.—Record-Star.

ILLEGIBLE HANDWRITING

It is a fine thing when people learn to operate a typewriter, but the common use of this machine should not mean that they are interested in writing clearly and legibly with pen and ink or pencil.

There are a large number of women and girls whose penmanship has a certain beautiful style or regularity but which is quite difficult to read. They no doubt learned in their schools to write legibly, but as time has gone on they seem to have forgotten that the first characteristic of good penmanship is that it should be read very easily. When they write a letter by hand, it may seem to have a certain artistic style. In many cases if you attempt to read it, you will have to puzzle over many of the words which are not clearly formed and some of them you will have to guess at.

Some women cultivate an eccentric style that has a certain artistic quality which is hard to read. A letter is doubly welcome if you can read it easily.

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ST. ALBAN'S PARISH HALL, ACTON
Friday, November 12th 1943
8:30 SHARP
Auxiliary St. Alban's Sunday School
COME ONE — COME ALL
ADMISSION—25c

THIS WEEK

Specialty Written for
The Acton Free Press
BY JOHN C. BERRY
Canadian Press Staff Writer

JOHANNESBURG (CP)—Stating that Ontario is deeply indebted to its benefactor, Premier Drew told a mass meeting which inaugurated Education Week here that steps have been taken to establish a "more satisfactory basis of salary and continuity of employment" for Ontario teachers.

However, the Premier, who is also Ontario's Minister of Education, wanted that these objectives could not be accomplished overnight because of the province's system of educational administration.

He gave a broad picture of fundamental principles which he felt should be kept in mind in any revision of the Ontario educational system. As essential elements he mentioned training of the body, training of character, and training in habits of clear thought and clear expression of thought in words. The teaching of citizenship and history should be stressed.

All developments of science should be utilized to the greatest possible extent with much greater use being made of sound films and gramophone records to aid in teaching speech, music, physics and other subjects. The Premier said plans already have been made of the introduction of such equipment in the schools as soon as material for such goods becomes available.

Recipients of old age pensions and mothers' allowances in Ontario received welcome news last week when Welfare Minister Vivian announced boosts in both.

Maximum old age pension payments were raised from \$22 to \$23 monthly but details of the mothers' allowances increase were not announced immediately. Cost of the increase in the old age pensions will be borne by the Dominion and Ontario governments on a 75-25 per cent basis with Ontario's share of a maximum cost of \$3,600,000 being \$900,000. There are between 60,000 and 70,000 old age pensioners in the province.

Cecil G. Frost of Lindsay, president of the Progressive-Conservative Association of Ontario since 1931, has announced his intention to resign as the association's meeting here late this week.

About 550 delegates are expected to attend the first general meeting of the association in more than five years, and it appears election of officers will be the chief item on the agenda. General party policy already has been laid down at the Port Hope and Winnipeg conventions with the provincial policy being stated prior to the Aug. 4 election which sent the party into power in Ontario.

A recent dispatch from London reveals that three Ontario regiments—the Royal Canadian Regiment, the 48th Highlanders and the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment—were chosen to strike the 8th army's first blow into the Daunte Mountains of Southern Italy when the Italian campaign's toughest going started a month ago. Disclosures of the names of the units were revealed through a relaxing military censorship.

Other news from overseas revealed that the youngest brigadier in the Canadian army when he was appointed earlier this year as artillery commander of a Canadian army division overseas—34 year-old Brig. Albert Bruce Matthews—has been awarded the Distinguished Service Order for gallantry in the Sicilian campaign. He is a son of Ontario's Lieutenant Governor, Hon. Albert Matthews.

T. C. A. ESTABLISHES ANOTHER TRANS-ATLANTIC RECORD

Captain J. Barclay, one of the senior Trans-Canada Air Lines captains, created a new non-stop Montreal to Britain trans-Atlantic record of 11 hrs. and 56 minutes over the week end when he piloted the plane carrying Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Supply; H. J. Symington, President of T.C.A., and J. R. Baldwin, External Affairs Department, according to O.T. Larson, Vice-President of T.C.A. here to-day. The Canadian officials are in London to attend the Empire Conference on Air Transport and made use of the Government trans-Atlantic air service which is operated by the Trans-Canada Air Lines. The service handles mail to and from Canada's overseas forces and official personnel. The previous world's record of 12 hours and 26 minutes for the crossing was established by Captain R. F. George, Operations Manager of Trans-Canada Air Lines.

COOL AS A CUCUMBER

A squadron observer was called in by his commanding officer after an air raid and asked if he had been nervous during the attack.

"No sir," was the reply. "I was cool as a cucumber."

"I am glad to hear that," smiled the C.O. "It appeared that you may have been a little rattled when you called in that there were 27,000 bombers coming over at 18 feet."

Annual Halton Flow Match Has Large Entry

Top of Premier's Top Flowing Competed in Open Junior Class— Trophy Award in the District

Forty-two glow boys and girls ignored unfavourable weather conditions at the annual Halton Flowing Match held on the Best Fuller Farms near Daylesford, Trafalgar Township, on Friday of last week. While the number of competitors was somewhat smaller than in previous years, the match was in many respects one of the best held in some time. The open junior glow class brought together ten of the top players of the province. In this class were such well known champions as Margaret Erb and Elinor Armstrong of Perth County; Bob Brown of Waterloo; Simon Wright of Brant; Ed Gray and Harvey Bayne of Wellington; Alf Dickie, Wentworth; Ed Timbers of York; Wm. Hood of Durham County; and last but not least, Halton's own John Linder now of Halton District. Halton was particularly well represented in the tractor class. N. G. MacLeod of Galt and Frank Bell of Stratford, well known judges, placed the glowing awards and Fred Featherstone, well known horseman of Freeman judged the horse show.

The Salada Tea Company Special for the best ridge in walking glow classes, placed by a Halton contestant, was won by Don Ferguson of Rockwood. The Bank of Nova Scotia Special for the best ridge plowed by a Halton contestant under 30 years, was presented by F. H. Gilroy, Mgr. of the Milton Branch to Ward Brownridge of Georgetown. E. G. Brown of Galt was the Bank of Commerce trophy, emblematic of the Champion ridge in the field.

In the evening the Ladies of Bethel United Church catered to the annual banquet which was attended by 150 guests. President W. H. Robinson was in charge of the excellent programme which included musical numbers by Maurice Headhead; an address by W. E. Breckon of Freeman, one of Halton's representatives on the Provincial Board of inquiry; as well as short addresses by W. N. Gilbert, Reeve of Trafalgar; Stanley Hall, M. P.P.; and F. H. Gilroy of Milton.

The awards were as follows:—

Class 1, Junior Glow in Sod (10 entries)— E. G. Brown, Galt; Ed Timbers, Milliken; Alfred Dickie, Jerseyville; Margaret Erb, Gads Hill; John Linder, Carleton Place.

Class 2, Walking Plow—East Flock Kitchener; Gordon Gray, Rockwood; Roy Livingston, Woodbridge; Herb Jarvis, Agincourt; Jack Taylor, Freeman.

Class 3, Walking Plow—Don Ferguson, Rockwood; Norman Vivian, Freeman.

Class 4, Walking Plow, Boys under 20 years, open—Debert Erb, Gads Hill; Leo Zbrovacki, Jerseyville; Russell Craig, Brampton; Allan Watson, Woodbridge.

Class 5, Halton Boys under 30 years—Ward Brownridge, Georgetown; Harold Ferguson, Rockwood; James Ernie, Brampton; Ivan McLaughlin, Stouffville; Roy Craig, Mono Road; Howard Henry, Gads Hill.

Class 7, Second Class Tractor, open—Douglas Reid, Brampton; Vernon MacArthur, Milton; Stanley Craig, Brampton; Garnet Howden, Georgetown; Lorne Darling, Milton.

Class 8, Tractor, Halton Beginners—Jack MacInnes, Hornby; Gordon McDonald, Georgetown; Wilfred Brown, Norval; Betty Guild, Georgetown; Edgar Howden, Georgetown; Ross Brown, Norval.

Class 9, 3-furrow Tractor—Spencer Wilson, Norval; Bob Held, Brampton; J. C. Cunningham, Norval; Irwin Shepherd, Freeman.

Horse Show—Maurice Bealy, Milton; Gordon Post, Trafalgar; Robinson Bros., Norval; Wilfred Pickering, Streetsville.

Child Mortality Causes Concern

JOHANNESBURG, (CP)—Grave concern at the infant mortality rate among non-Europeans in South Africa was expressed in the memorandum submitted to the National Health Service Commission here last week. Among recommendations were more hygienic conditions in the homes, abolition of slums and an organized campaign against diarrhoea and enteritis which, the report said, were the most common causes of child mortality.

—Mr. Muff, one of the Labor Members of Parliament who recently toured leading English "public" schools, stated: "We found an utter absence of snobbery. After all, the average normal boy is the same as any other boy. We found wholesome, vivid youth flourishing in the best conditions. We found no pampering. Indeed, there was a fine simplicity of life." The result of the tour seems to be that these Labor Members do not wish to abolish the present system of "public" schools, but to make it available to a larger proportion of British youth.

PROTECTING SERVICEMEN

JOHANNESBURG, (CP)—Premier Simons has forbidden South African government departments to engage personnel until the Labor Service Department ascertains whether a suitable discharged serviceman is available for the job.

MORE NEWS

Jim: "Well, I suppose you're plenty angry because I came home with this black eye last night?"

Her: (sweety) "Get at all, dear. You may not remember it, but when you came home you didn't have that black eye."

HELP YOUR LOCAL FIRE BRIGADE

The Acton Fire Brigade will be canvassing the town with Tickets for the Annual Dance and Lucky Draw to be held in the Town Hall, Acton

Friday, December 3rd 1943

PLEASE BE READY TO SUPPORT THIS LOCAL ORGANIZATION

Have You Joined the Y

CLASSES ARE NOW OPERATING IN ALL TYPES OF Physical Exercises

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Good Recreation for Everyone

Join in and Keep Fit

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Prepare Now for Colder Days Ahead. Be Ready with Warm Clothes when it comes.

GIRLS' COTTON PLAID DRESSES 3 to 6 years \$1.25 8 to 14 years \$1.99 to \$2.95	TURBANS Brushed Rayon 49c
LADIES' RAYON SLIPS Sizes 32 to 42 \$1 to \$2	LADIES' WOOL GLOVES 75c to \$1
LADIES' CARDIGAN SWEATERS Several Qualities \$2.49 to 3.25	Ladies' Fabric and Leather Gloves 59c to \$2
BOYS' PULLOVER SWEATERS Several Colors \$1 to \$1.50	GIRLS' BEANIES Popular Colors 39c
BOYS' UNDERWEAR COMBINATIONS \$1 to \$2.25	GIRLS' BRUSHED PARKAS 39c to 49c
MEN'S MACKINAW WINDBREAKERS \$4.25 to \$7.50	GIRLS' COTTON and WOOL HOSE Sizes 6 1/2 to 10 1/2 35c to 55c
COTTON WORK GLOVES White, Brown Stripe 20c PR.	FUR TRIM SLIPPERS Wine and Blue \$1.75
MEN'S UNDEARWEAR Several Qualities Separate Garments and Combinations 95c to \$3.50	BOYS' LEATHER HELMETS \$1.25
MEN'S WORK SOCKS Several Weights 29c to 75c	MEN'S HATS Fall Shades \$2.25 to \$3.95
	MEN'S FINE SHIRTS White and Colors \$1.75 to \$2.50
	RAYON AND WOOL SCARVES Smart Colors \$1.00 to \$1.75
	PINE SOCKS Cottons and Wools 29c to \$1.00
	SWEATERS FOR MEN Pullover and Coat Styles \$2.25 to \$4.95
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