

# Personals

LAC Lawrence Latham is home from Soudac, N.B.

Mrs. W. J. Hall spent the week-end visiting in Toronto.

Mrs. Geo. Murray visited friends in Wingham last week.

When Dora Wood was home from Ottawa for the week-end.

Corp. J. W. Chapman of Swift Current is home on furlough.

Mrs. R. F. Johnstone of Toronto visited Acton relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. E. F. Collier was in Toronto for a few days at the home of her son.

Mrs. Henry Arlic spent Thanksgiving with her brother in Bracebridge.

Mr. Joseph Heveran attended the funeral of his father at Chesterville, last week.

Mr. R. S. and Mrs. McKinney, Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Murray on Sunday.

Mrs. Jas. Russell and Betty of Unionville, visited with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Kennedy on Sunday.

P.O. E. C. McKinnon of Toronto spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Masales

Miss Flora Moffatt left this week to take a position in the hospital at Bella Bella in British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ferryman, Betty and Georgina visited friends at Brougham and Stouffville on Sunday.

Leut. Nursing Sister Nora Kerney returned to Prince Rupert, B. C. after spending a furlough at her home here.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. J. D. Brown is in the hospital at Guelph and all will wish for him a prompt recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Harrison visited Acton friends and relatives on Sunday and attended the United Church Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Leary and their son Joe and Miss Mary Sullivan of Albion spent Sunday with Mrs. Sayers and Miss Minnie Gibbons.

Mr. Henry Arlic, President of Local 26, National Shoe and Leather Workers, is a delegate to the Canadian Congress of Labor Convention in Quebec City, this week.

## LIMEHOUSE BRANCH ARE GUESTS OF THE ACTON INSTITUTE

The October meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. J. Hargrave, with the members of Limehouse Institute attending and assisting with the program. Mrs. Lappin, the president, presided.

The business period included a very gratifying financial report from the booth held at Acton Fair, and \$75.00 was voted to the War Service League to help with the boys' Christmas parcels. The motto for the month, "As the Twig is Bent, so is the Tree Inclined," was given by Mrs. Maddox.

Mrs. Ellerby of Limehouse was invited to preside for the next part of the meeting, when she gave a splendid paper on "Social Welfare." Mrs. A. Benton read the ten commandments for husband and wife, and an interesting item was the demonstration of bandages by Mrs. Benton with Mrs. Glady as her patient. A contest or word game was conducted by Mrs. Wright with Mrs. Benton as winner. Another contest, "The Thanksgiving Dinner Table," was won by Mrs. Benton, Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Ellery and Mrs. Hunter. The social part was convoked by Mrs. Wilderpin, assisted by Mrs. R. VanNorman, Mrs. Holloway, Mrs. Jas. Wilds, Mrs. R. L. Davidson, Mrs. Earl Davidson and Mrs. F. Anderson.

## ANNUAL HALTON PLOWING MATCH ON NOVEMBER 3rd

The Annual Halton Plowing Match, which in recent years has become recognized as one of the outstanding County Matches in the Province is to be held this year on Friday, November 3rd, on the farm of Thos. Snow, corner of the Boyne sidersoad and the Nelson-Trafalgar Town Line. New features this fall, states W. H. Robinson, will include a display of labor saving equipment, demonstrations with one-way discs-disc plows and a dynamometer. A strong committee under the chairmanship of Stanley Hall, M.P.P. is now making plans to get out various types of buck rakes, corn sheaf loaders, manure loaders, electric lawn mowers, chain saws, and many other handy home made devices.

The ladies of the Mt. Union Institute are looking after the noon day luncheon, while the Omega W. I. is catering for the supper to be held in the Town Hall Milton. J. A. Carroll, Superintendent of Agricultural Societies for Ontario, is to be the special speaker and it is expected that Alderman John Innes who has done such an outstanding job in connection with Toronto Farm Command Labor, will be the guest of honor.

# Church News

**United Church of Canada**  
Acton, Ontario  
"The Friendly Church"  
REV. A. WALTER FOSBERY, R.A., R.D., Minister  
Parsonage—Bower Avenue

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1944**  
9:00 Victory Lane Sunday  
11:00 a.m.—Worship Service.  
Sermon—"Invest in Victory."  
12:15 p.m.—Church School.  
No Evening Service, Knox Anniversary.

Wednesday, Oct. 25th, 8 p.m.—Mid-week service at the home of Mrs. A. Anderson, Church Street.  
Come and Worship. Everybody Welcome.

## Presbyterian Church in Canada

**KNOX CHURCH, ACTON**  
REV. FOSBERY THOMSON, R.A., R.D., Minister  
Manse—Willow Street

**ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22nd**  
11:00 a.m.—Guest Minister, Rev. Arthur C. Cochrane, Ph. D., of Port Credit. Subject: "Salvation by Faith Alone."  
3:00 p.m.—The Sunday School and Junior Bible Class.  
7:00 p.m.—Rev. Cochrane. Subject: "I believe in the Holy Catholic Church."  
Mr. Cecil J. Lyness of Guelph, soloist at both services.

Thurs., Oct. 19th at 8:30 p.m.—Adult Bible Class.

## Baptist Church

**ACTON**  
REV. W. H. WALLACE, Pastor

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1944**  
11:00 a.m.—Morning Service. Subject: "Jesus' Estimate of Men."  
12:15 p.m.—Sunday School.  
7:00 p.m.—Evening Service with drawn owing to anniversary in Presbyterian Church.

Tuesday—E. Y. P. U.  
Everyone Welcome.

## Church of St. Alban the Martyr

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1944**  
Children's Day and Youth Sunday

10:00 a.m.—Church School.  
11:00 a.m.—Matins and Holy Baptism Children and Parents especially invited.  
7:00 p.m.—Young People's Service. Preacher, The Rev. Frank Lockwood.

## AUCTION SALE

A Clearing sale of Farm Stock, etc. the property of  
**FRED COOPER**  
Will be held at his farm adjoining Acton on No. 7 Highway on  
**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4th**  
ROY HINDLEY, Auctioneer

## A. Floyd Smith

**Jeweler**  
WATCHES—CLOCKS  
JEWELRY

75 Quebec Street, West  
GUELPH ONT.

## MacDONALD'S

**Used Furniture Antiques**  
Upholstering, Refinishing, Repairs  
Guaranteed Highest Quality Work  
at Reasonable Prices

80 MacDonell St. Guelph

## GREGORY THEATRE

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20**  
"FOLLOW THE BOYS"  
Grand musical with George Raft, Zorina.  
Disney, "Chicken Little."  
Chapter 8 "The Masked Marvel."

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21**  
Matinee at 2  
"SHERLOCK HOLMES and THE SPIDER WOMAN"  
Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce.  
"MAN FROM MUSIC MOUNTAIN"  
Roy Rogers  
Fox News.

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 23**  
"IN OUR TIME"  
Ida Lupino, Paul Henreid.  
Pete Smith "Sports Quiz."  
Cartoon "Happy Go Nutty."

## Engagements

The engagement is announced of Jean Currie, daughter of Mrs. Kirkwood, Guelph, and the late Herbert Kirkwood, to Harry M. Horstap, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Horstap, Everston, Ontario, the marriage to take place quietly the latter part of October.

## Thefts of Car Suitcase and Money Heard in Court

In Police Court in Milton yesterday afternoon two charges of theft were heard by Police Magistrate Langdon. Harold Spafford, Hamilton, was remanded a week on a charge of stealing a car belonging to J. R. C. McDonald, Hamilton. The court is waiting to hear another witness.

McDonald had left his car on the west of the Queen Elizabeth Highway side of Appleby when he had a flat tire. W. J. Richardson, Appleby, saw a car parked when he drove to Freeport. On his return he found Spafford pushing the car up his lane. He asked him what he was doing and took the number of the car Spafford was driving and notified police.

Spafford said a soldier had stopped her and his wife who were on their way to Toronto, and asked him to push the car for him. His wife corroborated his story.

Harry Vandergerg was convicted of stealing a club bag and \$425.26 from F. W. Watson's restaurant in Burlington. On being questioned by the police in Hamilton he denied knowledge of the theft. Chief Lee Smith and another officer went to his apartment and Mrs. Vandergerg showed them where the money was hidden. When shown the cash Vandergerg said he had taken it and thrown the suitcase in an oil drum behind the restaurant.

Watson had closed his store and gone out with Mrs. Watson about 7:45 Thanksgiving Day for a turkey dinner. When they came back at 8:30 they discovered the kitchen window had been broken and opened. Then they discovered that the club bag and money were missing. Vandergerg will be sentenced next week.

## CLEARING AUCTION SALE

OF FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE AND REAL ESTATE

The undersigned has received instructions from  
**E. GASTLE**  
to sell by public auction at Lot 9, Con. 5, N. S. Township of Nelson on  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24th, 1944**  
at One o'clock sharp the following:

**HORSES**—1 Percheron Gelding, 11 yrs., 1 Percheron Mare, 10 yrs., an extra good work team; 1 Percheron Mare rising 3 yrs., black, wagon type; 1 Percheron Mare, aged.

**CATTLE**—1 Guernsey Cow, just bred, in full flow; 1 Durham Cow, bred in May, milking well; 1 Jersey Cow, bred in June, milking well; 1 Guernsey Heifer, just bred; 1 Ayrshire Heifer, just bred; 1 Durham Cow, fat; 2 Durham Steers, fat, about 1100 lbs.; 3 Hereford Steers, fat, about 800 lbs.; 4 Durham Steers, fat, about 800 lbs.; 2 Grass Calves; 1 Baby Beef.

**IMPLEMENTS**—1 Grain Blender, Deering, 7 ft.; Mower, Deering, 6 ft.; Hay Loader; Tedder; Siderake; Dump Rake; Grain Drill, 11 hoe; Manure Spreader; M. D., as good as new; Drag Cultivator; 3 mares, aged; 1 section Harrow; two 3-section Harrows; Disc, Introw; Steel Roller; Low Wagon and Hay Rack; Potato Digger; Scuffler; Single Furrow Riding Plow; 2 Walking Plows; Set of Sloop Sleighs; Cutter; Buggy; Light Wagon; Fanning Mill; Fergus; set of Scales 2000 lbs.; Harrow Cart; Road Scraper; 1 Corn Shelter; 2 Wheelbarrows; 1 Pulper; Grindstone; Several Ladders; 2 apple picking Ladders; Loading Shute; 4 Steel Barrels; quantity of Lumber; 1 Stick 42"x10"; Blacksmith Tools; Anvil; Vice; large assortment of good Carpenter Tools; quantity of Piping; 2 sets of good Back-band Harness; 4 good High Topped Collars, hand made; Old Collars; 20 ton Timothy Hay; Oxyokes; Pails; Whiffletrees; Doubletrees; Forks and Hoes. Chains and other articles too numerous to mention. Also Sarnia Wire Fence Stretcher.

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## Erin Council Passes By-Law Providing Elections

**Provision made for Collection of Penalty on Unpaid Taxes—Other Township Business**

Erin Council met at Hillsburg, October 2nd, with members all present and the reeve presiding.

A motion was passed ordering the purchase of 40, 100ft. rolls of snow fence and 200 steel posts for the erection of same. Fence to be delivered.

A by-law was introduced and read the necessary times for the purpose of imposing additional charges on all taxes not paid by Dec. 31, 1944 as follows: A penalty of 3 per cent on

## 138 at Blood Donor Clinic Here Tuesday

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Milk and cream were donated by Watson's Dairy and the Coco-Cola Branch at Orangeville donated the soft drinks.

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The reception committee was Mrs. H. L. MacDonald and Mrs. F. Terry. The clinic was held in the Y.M.C.A. with the Y's Mens Club making the arrangements for the equipment, publicity etc.

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## GIRLS' GARDEN BRIGADES WAIVE EXCELLENT DISPLAYS

At both Georgetown and Milton Fairs, one of the most interesting displays in the respective hall exhibits was that staged by the members of Halton Girls' Garden Brigades. At Georgetown only four young ladies exhibited, but the quality of the displays more than compensated for the lack of numbers. In the Milton Hall twelve young ladies staged the best garden display held in the County in recent years. At both points the quality of the vegetables and the attractiveness of the arrangement of the respective displays brought forth many complimentary and enthusiastic comments from those fortunate enough to have visited the hall exhibits. Some 35 Halton young ladies enrolled in Garden Brigades last spring and the prizes awarded are based on the aggregate score, taking into account their respective gardens, canning, note books, displays at the fair, written tests on preparation of vegetables, canning, etc.

The winners were as follows:  
(Georgetown)—Annie Snow, Doreen Ferguson, Margaret Beene, Joan Somerville.  
(Milton)—Marjorie McCready, Frances Cripps, Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Clarence McCready, Irene Mitchell, Edna Aitken, Mae Winfield, Betty Russell, Mrs. H. Switzer, Bessie Reid, Marion Currie, Margaret McPhail.

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**Y. M. C. A. Party**

NOVELTIES GAMES CARDS DANCING  
REFRESHMENTS

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27th**  
AT 8:30 p.m.

ADMISSION—25c  
COME AND HAVE A GOOD TIME

## Announcement

DR. W. G. CULLEN wishes to announce that he is taking a special Post-Graduate Medical Course in Montreal—starting early in November. He will continue to be in his office until

**NOVEMBER 4th NEXT**

This course will require him to be in Montreal for six months. Arrangements are being made for another doctor to take over his practice during his absence.

Will all patients please make their appointments as soon as possible.

## Cedar Poles Wanted

BY  
*Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario*

Farmers and owners of wood lots can facilitate the construction of Hydro Rural Power Lines by supplying Cedar Poles, 30 feet and longer with 6" or 7" tops. Delivery will be accepted now or next Spring.

Specifications and prices will be furnished upon request.

**S. A. Bayler Rural Supt.**  
10 DOUGLAS ST., GUELPH, ONT.