

Personals

Miss Grace Lantz, Detroit is spending two weeks' vacation at her home here.

Mrs. J. Collier of Georgetown visited at the home of Mrs. E. F. Collier Friday.

Mrs. Herbert Steen of Winnipeg spent the week-end with Mrs. Nelson F. Moore.

Mrs. Gordon McKay of Toronto visited with her mother, Mrs. R. H. Wansborough.

Mrs. Henry Sayers is in Guelph General Hospital having undergone an operation.

Mr. Carl Williams of Sault Ste. Marie, called on Acton relatives and friends on Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Mowat of Copper Cliff visited his mother and brother here over the week-end.

Friends will regret to learn that Mr. Peter Kirkness is in Guelph General Hospital and all wish him a prompt recovery.

Mrs. W. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thirtell and George Jr. of Guelph visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. F. Collier and family.

Dr. J. A. McEwen of Toronto made a brief visit in Acton on Tuesday afternoon. Many friends were pleased to have a visit with him again.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Wheeler of Orton, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Ellis and daughter, Lanora of Rockwood, were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Nelson F. Moore.

Mrs. Fred Smith of Milton is spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hutt, after her serious illness and operation in Milton Private Hospital.

Members of Knox Mission Band who attended the Mission Band Rally in Hepler on Saturday were Leaders Mrs. N. McEachern and Mrs. J. Mooney with Pat Terry, Helen Somerville, Dot Massey, Betty Wilds and Betty Kirkness.

The members of Knox Y. W. A. who attended the rally held in Galt last week included Mrs. F. Terry, Mrs. F. Anderson, Mrs. A. McIsaac, Mrs. H. L. Ritchie, Mrs. Jaa Ingles, Mrs. S. Sinclair, Mrs. Bert Dodda, Misses Emma Cole, Florence Elliott and Marguerite Rossel.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. MacDonald, Acton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Hazel Ruth, to John Raymond Holmes, son of Mr. F. E. Holmes, Acton, Ontario, the marriage to take place in May.

The engagement is announced of Rena Victoria, youngest daughter of Mr. Benson Allison and the late Mrs. Allison of Truro, N. S., to Norman Joseph, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Braida, Acton, Ont. The wedding will take place in St. Joseph's Church, Acton, early in June.

CAMPBELLVILLE

The May meeting of the W. I. was held at the home of Miss Jane Reid on Wednesday afternoon. The annual reports were given by the secretary, Mrs. George Black, showing a balance of \$84.72 after the following donations had been made during the last year: \$50 for food for Britain; \$10 to the Red Cross; \$10 for Boy Scouts; \$10 for the Institute for the Blind; \$15 for honey for Britain; \$32 for Jam for Britain; \$15 for the Sick Children's Hospital. Rev. G. Porter, of Milton, gave a splendid address on his five and one half years of service as a padre in England, Ireland and Scotland during the World War.

Mrs. George Black gave a report on the Children's Aid meeting held in Milton last week. Mrs. Thomas Watson, an English bride, was welcomed to our meeting. A dainty lunch was served by the following committee: Mrs. Thomas Whaley, Mrs. James Mahon, Mrs. Melvin Hood, Mrs. Howson Lush, Mrs. Edward Parsons, Mrs. George Harris, Mrs. Thomas Hilson and Mrs. George Inglis.

Campbell Lodge held their annual ladies night at Ebenezer Church hall on Thursday night, the Ladies Aid catering. Charles Norrish W.M. was in charge. Later the guests adjourned to Brookville Hall, where cards and dancing were enjoyed. Prize winners for cards were Mrs. Joseph Lahn, Miss Lyla Cairns, Thomas Amos and A. Ford. Near's Orchestra was in charge of the music.

Mrs. Wm. Bell, of Toronto, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Inglis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donaven of Hamilton.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Elsiey on Wednesday afternoon and after the business was conducted a quilt was quilted by the ladies for needy folk in the war torn countries.

Mrs. Sophia Patterson and daughter Mrs. Edward Poloni were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burt last Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Thomas Allen have taken up residence in the house owned by Mrs. Thomas near Eden Mills.

Church News

United Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
"The Friendly Church"
REV. A. WALLACE FOSBURY, R.A., M.D., Minister
Parsonage—Bower Avenue

SUNDAY, MAY 12th, 1946
Mother's Day Services

11:00 a.m.—Combined Church School and Congregational Service, Junior Choir, Sacrament of Baptism.
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship, Sermon on subject "The Law of Thy Mother."
Wed., May 15th, 8 p.m.—Mid-week Study and Prayer Group.
"Forake not the law of thy Mother!"
Everybody Welcome

Presbyterian Church in Canada
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
REV. FORBES THOMSON, R.A., M.D., Minister
Manse—Willow Street

SUNDAY, MAY 12th, 1946

11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship "The Advance for Christ and Peace Thankoffering"
3:00 p.m.—The Sunday School
7:00 p.m.—Evening Worship, Mother's Day service of the Sunday School.
"They that wait upon the Lord Shall renew their strength."

Baptist Church
ACTON
REV. W. H. WALLACE, Pastor

SUNDAY, MAY 12th, 1946

11:00 a.m.—Morning Service
12:15—Sunday School
Service at night withdrawn until further notice.
A Welcome to All

Church of St. Alban the Martyr

SUNDAY, MAY 12th, 1946
The Third Sunday after Easter
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
10:00 a.m.—Church School
12:15 p.m.—Senior Classes
7:00 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon

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Thurs. & Fri., May 9th & 10th

"CINDERELLA JONES"
Joan Leslie, Robert Alda
March of Time—"Challenge to Hollywood"
Cartoon—"Gipsy Life"
Chapter 12—"Jungle Queen"

SATURDAY, MAY 11th
Matinee at 2

"CAPTAIN TUGBOAT ANNIE"
Jane Darwell, Ed. Kennedy

"GREAT MIKE"
Robert Henry, Stuart Erwin
Fox News

MONDAY, MAY 13th

"SHE WOULDN'T SAY YES"
Roaldin Russell, Lee Bowman
Comedy—"Pick a Peck of Plumpers"
Cartoon—"Amoozin but Confoolin"
Film Vaudeville

Council Approves Plans for Rebuilding Gregory Theatre

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This met with the approval of Council.

The Clerk gave a report on the work on cleaning up the waterworks extensions and the work done by Knowles Construction Co. and sublet to Gowdie and Campbell before proceeding with the main on Spence Street, it was decided to secure applications from all the owners to take water when the water main was laid. It was felt the engineer and Knowles Construction Co. should hold a special meeting with Council in an effort to have this work all cleared up. The special meeting was to be held Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Leave Kirkness gave a report on the County Council meeting in providing school areas in Halton. The County would be divided into three areas with the north of Halton in one area serving Acton, Georgetown and Milton and the Townships of Esqueving and Nassagaweya and part of Nelson. The secondary school for this district would be possibly located near Spence.

A meeting of the Councils and School Boards of the municipalities interested is to be held to discuss this matter. The dates suggested were May 17th and 21st but this must coincide with suitable dates of the other representatives.

A letter from the Public Utilities Commission pointed out that applications had been received to give water services on the west side of Main Street to three properties. This was deferred to the Friday night special meeting.

A letter from Acton Fire Brigade requested that Council engage a mechanic from the factory to go over the fire pumper and give instruction to several members of the Brigade in the operation of the truck. Council agreed to have a mechanic come and perform the service.

A letter from the Y.M.C.A. regarding the appointing of a physical supervisor was read. The Y. Board felt it would be best for Council to hold a separate meeting with the Athletic Association. It was left over for further consideration.

A letter from Mr. A. McIsaac asked that tile be installed on Main Street in front of a lot where he proposed to erect a new house. Council agreed to furnish the tile for the approach to the property.

Several letters from suppliers of pipe were received noting that all prices on materials were being increased.

Chief Harrop gave three lists for poll tax, one of men who had served overseas, the second men who had served but not overseas and men who had not served. It was possible to exempt men who served overseas, according to the Municipal World for a period not more than 10 years. Decision was to be made at a later meeting.

Mr. Harrop pointed out the amendment to the assessment act providing for a supplementary roll on properties built since the assessment was made. Discussion on this matter was also deferred to a later date.

Anglican Advance Appeal Opens Campaign Monday

The Anglican Advance Appeal opens on May 12th and continues for two weeks during which time a thorough canvass of the entire Diocese of Niagara will be made as part of a Dominion-wide effort on behalf of the church. The objective for the Diocese of Niagara is \$370,000 and volunteer workers, keenly interested in advancing the activities of the church, will make the visitation, confident that through the co-operation of the people, the campaign will be a success. The quota which has been allotted is the minimum which the committee has in mind and it is hoped that the sum will be substantially exceeded when the work is completed.

Persons lending financial assistance will be asked to make a pledge of the amount to be subscribed, the total to be given over a three-year period, with 40 per cent. as the first payment and the balance of 60 per cent. to be given within three years. The initial payment should be made to the canvassers. Each parish has its quota and for some weeks preparatory work has been under way and plans are well advanced for the actual canvass. The importance of each parish striving to reach its individual goal, is stressed.

Rev. Edward Rigby, rector of Bronte and Palermo, has been named special organizing officer for the Diocese and has established headquarters in the Synod office, Medical Arts Building, Hamilton. At this office all returns will be tabulated and appeals should be made there for any help or information desired. Rev. Dr. R. C. Blagrove, Hamilton, chairman of the Diocesan plenary committee and W. T. Storey, Hamilton, Diocesan organizer, have played an important role in preparing for the campaign.

—Evangelists A. W. Joyce, of Toronto and A. M. Grattan, of London, are conducting services in the "Portable Hall" on Mill Street in Acton.

Esqueving Council Pays \$387 Claims for Loss of Sheep

Consent Given to Include Two More Schools in Area — Meeting Held Monday

Esqueving Township Council met on Tuesday evening, April 16th with all members present and Reeve Murray presiding.

Considerable time was spent discussing township affairs, after which the following resolution was passed: Moved by Cleave, seconded by May, that Mr. Roy Smith, County Engineer, be authorized to prepare plans and specifications for a bridge on lot 25, third line. Carried.

Moved by Currie, seconded by Brown, that this council adjourn to meet May 6th or at the call of the Reeve.

Esqueving Township Council held the regular meeting for May on Monday afternoon. Deputy-reeve G. E. Cleave, Councillors George Currie, C. H. May and R. N. Brown were present. Reeve G. W. Murray presided over the meeting.

Accounts passed for payment included: Bell Telephone Co., \$348; Georgetown Herald, \$46.70; Acton Free Press, \$100; Canadian Champion, 57c; A. E. Wilson Co., premium \$113.70; A. W. Benton, stamps, \$7.00; Brampton Hydro Commission, \$22.26; K. C. Lindsay, \$38.90; Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, \$45.50; G. C. Brown, insurance premiums, \$14.19.

Sheep claims were paid as follows: Edward Harvey, \$17.00; W. H. Allan, \$70.00; George Jennings, \$23.00; Spencer Wilson, \$165.00; Meldrum Stark, valuation, \$10.00; M. M. Patterson, \$23.00; Mrs. R. Jamieson, \$8.00; A. N. Stark, valuation, \$4.00; Meldrum Stark, \$30.00; Spencer Wilson, valuation, \$2.00; Pindlay Joyce, shooting dog, \$5.00.

Moved by May, seconded by Cleave, that Esqueving Council consent to the inclusion of Union School sections No. 2A and 3A in Esqueving Township, included in Township School Area now being formed in Chinguacousy Township.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave, seconded by May, that the road accounts as presented by the Road Superintendent be paid \$710.58.—Carried.

Moved by May, seconded by Brown, that relief accounts as presented by the relief officer be paid \$12.70.—Carried.

Moved by Cleave, seconded by May, that this council petition the Unemployment Insurance Commission to certify the following changes as permanent employees: W. E. Townsend as road superintendent; J. A. Downs as grader operator in place of W. C. Cunningham as road superintendent and John Standish as grader operator.—Carried.

Moved by Currie, seconded by Brown, that the Road Superintendent be instructed to advertise for crushing and delivering 15,000 yards of gravel to be delivered on Esqueving Township roads. Tenders to be in by May 20th, 1946 at 6 p.m. D.S.T.—Carried.

Moved by May, seconded by Cleave, that this council do now adjourn to meet on Monday, June 3rd at 10 a.m., as a Court of Revision and at 2 p.m. as a council, or at the call of the Reeve.—Carried.

PRETTY SPRING WEDDING AT BRIDE'S HOME IN CAMPBELLVILLE

"Fletcher Haven", home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Fletcher, Campbellville, decorated with bouquets of mixed spring flowers and evergreen, was the scene of a pretty wedding Saturday, when their daughter, Hope Elizabeth, and Robert William McFarlane Horne, B.S.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horne, Forest, were united in marriage. Rev. R. W. Pickersgill officiated at the ceremony which took place at 7 p.m.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of silk net with eyelet bodice, fashioned with sweetheart neckline. Her shoulder-length veil was held in place by a floral head-dress and she carried a bouquet of pink Briarcliffe roses.

Miss Anna Waters, Mount Forest, was her only attendant, wearing a floor-length dress of flowered turquoise sheer and matching hat. She carried a bouquet of pink Delight roses.

Mr. W. Braun, Forest, acted as best man. The wedding music was played by Mrs. Robert Schmidt, Detroit. During the signing of the register, Miss Maxine Dyer, Pontiac, Mich., rendered a violin solo "Because."

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Fletcher wore a dress of flowered mauve silk jersey and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Horne, mother of the groom, wore dove grey and a corsage of pink roses.

Following the reception the couple left on a wedding trip to Hamilton, Detroit and Forest. Bride wore brown checked dressmaker suit, brown accessories and a brown squirrel neck-piece. On their return they will reside in Toronto. Guests numbering sixty-five were present from Toronto, Windsor, Forest, Galt, Guelph, Muskoka, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Pontiac, Sudbury and Arkell.

NASSAGAWEYA

The Heather Mission Band of Ebenezer United Church held their meeting last Sunday under the leadership of Mrs. Harry Fatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Beatty of Guelph visited relatives and friends over the week-end.

The frost on Tuesday night was quite severe and some damage was done to early growth.

The showers of Saturday and Sunday were very helpful to crops in this district.

The auction sale of William Gilroy on Saturday was well-attended and the offering sold well.

The Federation of Agriculture showed films in Bloomsbury School last evening.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nightingale were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cargill and sons, Bruce and Brian of Campbellville, Mr. Bert Nightingale of Orangeville, Mr. and Mrs. Don Roberts of Lakview and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williamson of Mimico.

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All Heartily Welcome