IF I KNEW YOU AND YOU KNEW

If I knew you and you knew me-If both of us could clearly see, And with an inner sight divine The meaning of your heart and mine, I'm sure that we would differ less And clain our hands in friendliness; Our thoughts would pleasantly agree If I knew you and you knew me.

If I know you and you know me, As each one knows his own self, we Could look each other in the face And see therein a truer grace. Life has so many hidden woes. So many thorns for every-rose: The "why" of things our hearts would

If I knew you and you know me.

### CLOTHING BROUGHT MERRY CHRISTMAS TO THOSE IN ITALY

who shared in Clothing sent to Eurpreclation.

Rev. A. Walter Fosbury:

In the pocket of the overcoat UN RRA gave me, I found your note. Foebury, I am glad to know your name. The name of a man, which helped to build up confidence in human ed me to get along well this winter. Donald and Thomas Moffat.

I got three boys, they prayed for you before the Holy Cross, then they turned and said, "Pop, tell him, 'Merry Christmas'."

Cobrolari Emillo.

My wife and I wish you a great Christmas, Heartlly thank you, Rev. Fosbury.

Truly yours -Rame, 9-12-46.-

### ACTON COUPLE MARK BIRTHDAY AND 43rd WEDDING-ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kelly, R.R. 3, Acton, celebrated their 43rd wedding anniversary and the birthday of Mrs. Kelly Saturday afternoon and evening, January 11th.

Martin Kelly and Gertrude King were united in marriage in St. Michael's Church, Blyth, Ontario, on January 11th, 1504. The ceremony was performed by the late Rev. Father J. D. Pinsomeault. The bridesmald was Rachael Kelly (Mrs. Thomas. Storey, 2nd Line) sister of the groom, the groomsman was the late Thomas ton County Council for 1927. Healy, all of Morris Township.

Of the union there were ten childrea, five sons and five daughters, seven were present at the anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCristall and family of Acton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kelly and Billy of London; Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kelly of Oshawa; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kelly and Dennis of President, John H. Smith. Campbellville; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Forestell and family: Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hauck and family; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mollison, all of Guelph. Mrs. James Backwell and family of Oshawa were unable to attend owing to illness. John and Arthur died in infancy. There are twenty-five grandchildren, eighteen were present. Other immediate relatives and friends

were also present. After an enjoyable lunch the family gathered\_around\_their parents in the living room and presented them with some-lovely roses and a sum of money. All joined together and sang "For They are Jolly Good Gellows," and "Home Sweet Home." The rest and singing. Everyone had a most

around this community as they have hved here almost forty years. . .

### NATIVE OF ACTON HAS 93rd BIRTHDAY AT WINNIPEG HOME

hired-a teacher from Toronto. "He the groom's gift, a gold pendant. Mr. Fliberty Gibbet. I was a little clip attended the groom as best man. " crawl under the backless benches to dress of powder blue crepe with black in the Fatate of JOHN McDONALD. made us stand back to back with, a sleeves and peplum received the slate over our heads." Mrs. Camp- guests, assisted by the groom's mothtoes to make them last longer.

member that but I do remember the carnations. On their return Mr. and American civil war because I had a Mrs. Taylor will live in Guelph cousin who went. I remember the, Wedding guests who attended came Carlbou gold rush, of 1861, I think, from Drumbo, Rockwood, Galt, because the boys went off from Ac Guelph, Campbellville and Eden Mills. ton. Rastus Hall never came back. He was accidently killed in the Rockies. Fortis years later somebody found his bible and sent it home. The Fenian Raids she recalls " because the men were all warned to keep their guns and nitchforks ready. We evrected they'd come across at Goderich but they didn't." When the reporter said 1966, Mrs. Campbell seemext disappointed: "that late?"

She was one of 11 children, two families, since father married twice: "No one knew. We were all brought altke. Yes the girls wore bone! dresses and laced corsets. Mother wouldn't let us lace. I've seen girls pulled so tightly that the buttons popped off their dresse."

# OF ACTON

## **BACK IN 1897**

From the Issue of The Free Press Thursday, January 21st, 1397

E-Corry will shortly open

·Mr. John Moffat who removed last week to Milion was married yester- Reid and Wilfred Bird, Councillors. day to Miss Agnes McPherson, Exquesing.

Mr. James L. Warren was elected The following letter was received president of the Esquesing Agriculby Rev. A. W. Fosbury, from people tural Society at the annual meeting. The hockey Jeam met with defeat ope. It tells its own story of ap- at Milton Saturday night. The score

The annual meeting of Knox Church was largely altended on Monday night. The four members of the board of Managers annually elected were: Messrs. A. T. Mann, and Jas. brotherhood, and particularly, help- McDonald (re-elected) and Peter Mc-

> ary/shop. The premises being within the fire buits, the action was deemed necessary.

and Mrs. Thomas Statham celebrated their china wedding and were able ed. For Deputy Returning Officers stretch of thirty years. the North West last spring, has taken derson, \$11.20; N. Devereaux, \$8.00; up land hear Hartney and will settle

## **BACK IN 1927**

rom the Issue of The Free Press Thursday, January 27th, 1927

in Manitoba.

Nassagaweya is 100 years of age The minutes of the first council meeting held on New Year's Day 1827 were read by Mr. John Marshall, the present Township Clerk.

-D. J. Sinclair, reeve of Erin Township was elected Warden of Welling-Edward Agnew, reeve of Nassaga

County. -Acton Fair had a net surplus of \$300.33 from the fair of 1926. The offices for the coming year are: President, Duncan McDougall; 1st vice President, R. J. Kerr; 2nd vice

SINCLAIR-At the home of her son Robert Sinclair, Rainy River, On-Gilbert Sinclair, formerly of Acton, ber of readings and passed. n her 86th year.

#### THE TAYLOR-SCOTT WEDDING AT HOME OF THE BRIDE

ently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. ment on which the rate of taxation Archie M. Scott, R. R. I. Puslinch, for the year 1948 shall be fixed and when their daughter, Mary Margaret levied, received the required number (Peggy) became the -wife- of- Ivan of readings and the blank was filled Emerson Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. in with the name of Arthur W. Benof the evening was spent in dancing Alfred Taylor, R. R. 1, Moffat, Ev- ton. ergreen and baskets of mauve and The Treasurer was Instructed to reiror carysmedemums formed the deposit George Brankley's Bond Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are well known decorations for the ceremony, which cheque re gravel contract, to the was performed by the Rev. G. T. M. General Account of the Township. Bryan; the wedding music was played Moved by Reid seconded by Leslie by Mrs. Verna Campbell of Moffat, that this Council do now adjourn to who also sang a solo.

length wedding gown made with embroidered white satin bodice, bouffant net skirt, fingertip veil and From the Winnipeg Tribune we honddress. Her only ornament was an .- Cigarette consumption in - Canada ; learn that on January 8th, Mrs. John engraved gold locket, gift of, the rose from 630 per capita in 1939 to Charles Campbell, celebrated her 93rd groom and she carried a bouquet of 1,255 in 1945, and cigars from 12 to 18 birthday. Mrs. Campbell is a native red roses and ferns with white per capita in the same period. Cigarof Acton and recalls her school days streamers Miss Isabel Scott was her ettes made in Canada are made alin a little red school house at the sister's bridesmald, wearing a dress most entirely from Canadian grown corner of Main and River Streets. of corded pink taffets, with puff tobacco. Varieties suitable to Canada The school was held in a vacant sleeves tiered skirt and matching pink are those developed principally by the log house, taken over for a school handeau. She carried a nosegny of Experimental Farms Service, Domafter her father and some neighbors pink and white carnations and wore inion Department of Agriculture. was Mr. Evans, but we called him Fred B. Rinehart of Campbellville,

at school. They could never keep me, At the reception following the cerand Mary McKenchnie apart we'd emony, the bride's mother wearing a not to each other. Once teaches net and blue sequin trimmed cape

bell was Robina Brotchie then, dres- | er in black crepe with sequin trim. sed in homespun with a pinafore to. The young couple left for a wedkeep her tidy. Her shoes had copper ding trip to eastern points, the bride travelling in a white wool, sequin of Streetsville in the County of Peel, Mrs. Campbell was born the year of trimmed dress, forest green coat, late of the Township of Esquesing, in the Christian war, 1854. "I don't we winck accessories and corsage of pink the County of Halton, a sister of John



## Inaugural: Meeting **Esquesing Council** Held on Monday

Appointments Made for the Year -New Councillors welcomed by the Reeve

The inaugural meeting of Esquesing Township Council was held at eleven o'clock on Monday. aubscribing to the oath of office, the flour and feed store in the Arthur's members took their seats. G. Cleave, Reeve; George Currie, Deputy-Reeve; George Leslie, H. Craig

bers in a few chosen words, and all expressed their desire to serve the ratepayers to the best of their ability. Mr. R. H. Ireland, manager of Bank of Commerce, attended, congratuwas 6-1 in favor of the county town uncial standing of the Township, ex- wearing a two-piece green dress and

Reeve Cleave welcomed the mem-

every way possible. plies, \$91.46; Georgetown Hydro, a three-tiered wedding cake. street lights, \$71.50; Brampton Hydro, For travelling the bride chose a special meeting of Council was lights \$4.05; Bell Telephone Co. \$5.71; held last Friday to grant permission Ontario Good Roads Association, foo, to Mr. H. Grindle to erect a tempor- \$5.00; I. M. Bennett, re Old Age Pensions 1946 and stamps, \$26.89; Georgetown Postmaster, box rent, \$2.00; A. W. Benton, stamps, \$7.50; J. Sanford, On Friday last, January 15th, Mr. postage on tax notices, \$10.00.

Expenses of election were also passto look back with pleasure over the the following amounts: Thomas H. Joyce, \$13.80: Daniel McGlbbon, Mr. James Gibbons, who went to \$15.20; J. L. Cleave, \$17.00; F. A. An-S. H. Webster, \$15.00; M. Campbell, \$14.20; A. W Benton, \$13.80; Wesley Brennan, \$15.00; Whitnee Taxi delivering ballots, \$2.50; H. C. McClure, rent of chairs, \$1.00; J. Sanford, delivering chairs, \$2.00; Whillier & Co.,

supplies, \$19.75. Relief accounts to the amount of \$95.55 were passed. Charity accounts passed, re Province of Saskatchewan

for \$20.00. Moved by Currie; seconded by Reld; that this Council accept the offer of Dave Wendover & Sons, for snow removal at the rate of \$7.00 per hour while ploughing snow, and at the rate of \$12.00 per day stand-by time, from the 15th day of January to the 15th day of March, 1947. 'All work to be weya was elected Warden of Halton under the direction of the Road Sup-

By-law No. 1 appointing J. H. Bingham a member of the Local Board of Health for 1947.

By-law No. 2, appointing William Campbell, Weed Inspector for 1947. By-law No. 3 to grant permission to the Reeve and Treasurer to borrow money to meet the current expenditario, on Saturday, January 15th, ture of the Township, to the amount 1927, Clementina, widow of the late of \$35,000 received the required num-

By-law No. 4 to provide for holding Municipal Election to fill a vacancy on the School Board Aren No. 1A for 1947-48, received the required number

of readings and was passed. By-law No. 5 for the appointment pretty wedding took place rec- of an Assessor to make the assess-

meet on Monday, February 3rd, at Given in marriage by her father, 11 o'clock, as a Court of Revision and the bride was attractive in her floor at two o'clock as a Council-Carried.

## Notice to Creditors

late of the Township of Paguesing, in the County of-Halton, Farmer,

The Creditors of Margaret McDon-

ald, who died on or about the first

day of January,-1945, at the Village

Esquesing, in the County of Halton, Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the sixth day of January, 1944. and all others having claims against her estate are hereby notified to send by post, prepaid or otherwise to deliver to Mesers. Langdon and Aylsworth, Georgetown, Ontario, solicitors for the undersigned executors of the eslate of the said Johns McDonald. farmer, deceased, on or before the 15th day of February, 1947, their names, addresses, descriptions and Yull particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them and that immediately after the 15th day of February, 1947, the executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said John McDonald amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have

> William John McDonald and William Ritchle, Executors. by Langdon and Aylaworth, their Solicitors, Georgetown, Ontario.

### WEDDING SATURDAY THE STOKES SMALL AT ANGLICAN RECTORY

A very pretty wedding took place at the Anglican Rectory, Campbellville, on Saturday, January . 11th, which Rev. P. C. Jackson amisted by Rev. C. Eakins of Grace Anglican Church united in marriage in the presence of immediate relatives. Murlel Pearl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Small, Campbellville, to James Earl, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stokes, Campbellville. The bride chose a two-plete street length gown of brown with matching headdress and wore a coreage of pink roses. Miss Mae Stokes, sister of the groom was bridesmald and wore a two-plece gown of yellow and brown with matching headdress and corsage of pink roses. Mr. Harold Dennis of Milton, supported the groom.

A reception was held at the home lating the Council on the good fin- of the bride. Mrs. Small received pressing his willingness to assist in a corrage of mauve sweetpeas. She was assisted by the proom's mother Accounts passed for payment were: wearing a navy dress with mauve Corporation of Acton, Division Court sweetpeas. The dining room was Costs \$39.00; Whillier & Co. supplies, prettily decorated with pink and \$12.39; Letter Shop Supply Co., sup- white and the table was centered with

robin blue shag coat with brown necessories. They left amid showers of confetti for Waterdown, Hamilton and western points.

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THE DAILY PERIOD DURING WHICH SAVINGS SHOULD BE EFFECTED IS BETWEEN 8 A.M. AND 8 P.M., AND CONDITIONS ARE PARTICULARLY ACUTE BETWEEN 4 P.M. AND 7 P.M.

## NERE ARE SOME OF THE WAYS YOU CAN HELP

IN THE NOME

Turn off lights when not required. Use the minimum number of lights in the living-room, consistent with good vision. Use electrically healed water sparingly and check leaking hot water tops. Do not use range elements on "high" when a lower heat will serve, and turn off all

elements as soon as possible. Cook oven meals as often as possible and avoid the unnecessary use of surface elements. Turn off verandah and other outside lights."

Turn off all small appliances as soon as possible. Do not use electric air kearers and grates.

## . IN STORES AND OFFICES

Eliminate the use of electricity for signs and store windows from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Turn off all lights when not required. Use electrically heated water sparingly and check leaking hat water taps; Do not use electric air heaters.

## IN MOUSTRIES

Switch from day to night operations wherever practicable: Yure of factory and office lights when not needed: Turn off motor-driven machines when not required and effect other savings wherever possible.

Avoid the use of all non-essential outdoor lighting. De not use electric space heaters.

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