

MILK

You can raise the price of liquor... But the only squeal you hear...

You can put a tax on movies... They will pay a rise with pleasure...

They have a growing youngster... Who is bound to starve to death...

They don't ask for bigger wages... Just to spend it all on milk...

They don't mind paying rises... On their whiskey, smokes and milk...

RECOLLECTIONS OF ACTON

BACK IN 1897

Taken from the edition of the Free Press of March 11th, 1897.

According to the last report of the Inspector of Prisons, the average cost per prisoner to the county for food, clothing, etc. was 75c and the total expense per prisoner was \$4.00.

The skating rink business is over for the season.

The school report for Limehouse has the following names: Mamie Nickell, Alice Lepoldevin, Olive Marshall, Mary Demert, Carrie Meredith, Lennie Garvin, Charlie Lane, Robert Marshall, Willie McDowell, Vernon Swackhamer, John Hainel, James McDowell, Henry Lepoldevin, Susie Demert, Eva Meredith, Hattie Cowan, Willie Dobbie, Burville Merritt, Harvey McDowell, Earl Marshall, Ida A. Ford, teacher.

Messrs. John A. Henderson, George Hynds, James McLam, W. L. Worden Sr. and John Kinnaird were at Milton on Monday as jurors.

Greece vs. Turkey. The war cloud has been heavy the past week owing to Greece's attitude. King George is defiant.

C. F. Goodeve advertises prints, fast colors, 5c a yard; muslins, latest designs, 10c a yard; ducks, extra heavy, 15c a yard.

Acton Union Exhibition to be held October 4 and 5. The following were elected as officers and directors for 1897: president, Thos. Wilson; vice-president, T. H. Harding; secretary-treasurer, Geo. Hynds; auditor, Jas. Matthews; directors Acton, J. H. Matthews, John Williams, Robt. Agnew, Wm. Hamstreet, Adam Cook, Wm. Kenny, Geo. Hatill.

The House of Lords have refused to take up the bill conferring the parliamentary franchise on women until the measure has been decided in the House of Commons.

BORN - BESSEY - In Greenwood on Wednesday, March 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bessey, a son.

MARRIED - BUTLER-HALL - At the residence of the bride's father on Wednesday, 3rd March, by Rev. Geo. Lounds, Edward Butler of Ely, and Elizabeth, daughter of Joseph Hall, of Grand Valley.

BACK IN 1927

From the issue of the Free Press of Thursday, March 17th, 1927

New crop Maple Syrup was sold in Walkerton last week.

Mrs. Ethel Flowers, who came to Acton from Iroquois Falls has purchased the brick house and lot at the corner of Elgin and Agnes Streets.

The United Church Choir concert in the Town Hall last Wednesday evening was a delightful event. The choir of thirty-five voices sang six choruses. There were a number of solos and duets by members of the choir and visitors. Misses Bertie Smith, Jean Kennedy and Ruth Gibson each contributed splendid numbers. Miss Eoll of Toronto University contributed elocutionary numbers.

H. P. Moore, J.P., who has been editor of the Acton Free Press for nearly fifty years has sold his entire interest to Mr. Dilla. Five years ago Mr. Dilla became Business Manager. In 1878 Mr. Moore and his brother purchased the paper from Joseph H. Hacking and a year later Mr. H. P. Moore took over the sole control.

Fallant's Maple Leaf Economy Store is having a grand opening sale on Friday. This new store is on Mill Street opposite the Windsor Cafe.

Sunday was the warmest March day in seven years, the mercury reached 56 degrees above zero.

The Sunday School Lesson

SUNDAY, MARCH 16th

INTIMATE FELLOWSHIP WITH CHRIST

Golden Text.—Ye are my friends, if ye do the things which I command you. Jno. 15: 14.

Lesson Text.—Jno. 14: 1-6, 12, 13; 1: 1-6.

Time.—Tuesday night, April 4, A.D. 30.

Place.—Jerusalem.

Exposition.—I. "I will come again," 1-3.

The 14th chapter of John is the richest vein in the most remarkable gold mine in the world—the Bible. The first clause of v. 1 is the keynote to the chapter, especially of vs. 1-27.

II. The Way of the Father, 4-6.

The third comforting thought is that they knew the place where He was going and how to get there. V. 6 is one of the mountain peaks of Scripture. It tells us the way to God: Jesus Himself is the Way. There is no other way. It is open to all (ch. 10: 9; 6: 37). How Jesus is "the Way," the Bible makes it very plain: (1) Eph. 2: 13, 18; Heb. 1: 1-3; (2) John 1: 9-14; (3) John 14: 6; (4) John 1: 1-14; (5) John 14: 6; (6) John 1: 1-14; (7) John 14: 6.

III. "The works that I do, shall be do, also," 12-18.

Verses 12 contains another of the comforting thoughts. They do not describe the experience of the average Christian to-day, but we must not bring God's Word down to the level of our experience; we must bring our experience up to the level of God's Word. Jesus meant what He said. We are now by our faith, united to the risen and ascended Christ, the One Who possesses all authority in heaven and on earth (Matt. 28: 18), and by reason of this union we have power to do greater things than Jesus did during the days of His humiliation: "Those to whom Jesus speaks first those words saw three thousand commended in a single day—(Ae—3) that was a far greater work than any that Jesus did on earth. He, the risen Lord, was the real doer of it. Works in the domain of the spiritual are greater than works in the domain of the physical. To raise one dead in trespasses and sins is greater than to raise one physically dead. It is for each of us to claim our measure of this power; vs. 13 and 14 tell us how. These verses tell us of prayer of those who are united to Jesus Christ by a living faith (v. 12), that shows itself in an evident love (vs. 15-17), and it is the prayer that is offered "in the name" of Christ. What is it to pray upon the ground of Christ's claims upon God, knowing that we ourselves have no claim whatsoever upon God. It is far more than to add to your petition "All this I ask in Jesus' name." We may say that, and still not be praying in Jesus' name but in our own name, thinking that we have some claims upon God. Jesus has given us a right to approach God on the grounds of His claims upon Him, and when we do it, Jesus Himself will do what we ask of the Father in His name.

IV. Fruit-bearing, 15: 1-6.

It would be difficult to find in the Word of God a passage that has more comfort and encouragement in it for those who are really in Christ and also solemn warning for those who have a mere outward, formal connection with Christ, and into whose lives there is no real flow of the life of Christ showing itself in fruitage. Our life, our power to bear fruit, is from Christ, our training into highest fruitfulness is from the Father. Union with Christ brings life and power to bear fruit, glad submission to the Father's pruning and training brings larger measure of fruitfulness. How glad we ought to be that it is the Father who is the husbandman. He will make no mistakes; for He is perfect in wisdom, and He is wonderfully tender and kind. If any true disciple of Jesus will meditate long and deeply on His words: "My Father is the husbandman," he will find them filling his heart with rest and joy.

FLOUR IS BIG EXPORT

Wheat flour now ranks high among the products exported by Canada to other countries, being exceeded in value during the past year only by newspaper paper and wheat.

DISPERSAL SALE

HOLSTEIN GRADE MILK COWS AND YOUNG STOCK

The property of FRED LANGDON

Will be sold by public auction at his farm, Lot 13, Con. 1, Kramoos, situated on No. 24 Highway at the Four Corners, about 4 miles S.W. of Guelph.

FRIDAY, MARCH 14th

Commencing at 2 o'clock, as follows: 25 COWS—16 Heifers, all due inside of 1 month; 17 cows, carrying their 2nd calf, due in March; 7 cows, milking, all young and due next fall; the herd bull, Norval Sylvius Ltd, 1936, bred by W. P. Laidlaw and Son, Norval, Ont.; 15 Heifer Calves, vaccinated. This is a high producing herd of cows. The big roomy kind, demanded by export trade. Pure bred sires have been used for several generations from such herds as the O.A. C., Ontario Reformatory and other noted Holstein breeders. This herd has been TB tested every year, with no reactions. Terms: Cash.

JOGS—10 very choice bacon type York Sows, due in Mar. and Apr. Boiler, bottle washer and small bottle filler; the milking machine, Clean Easy Milker will also be sold. All cows subject to blood test.

THE FARM—At the same time, the farmstead, containing 135 acres more or less, will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve bid. A modern dwelling house—erected in 1938 with all the latest equipment and conveniences, running water, bath room, hydro, etc., hard wood floors throughout.

The barn, 56 by 80, with two L's was built in 1937, and is one of the fine barns of Wellington County. The farm is well fenced and in a very high state of cultivation. It is well watered by an artesian well and spring creek. There is also a good wood lot with hardwood and cedar.

This is one of the best equipped farms offered to the public for some time. Call and look it over. Terms on farm made known at time of sale, or apply to the owner, Fred Langdon, R. R. 1, Guelph. Sale under cover.

HINDLEY AND ELLIOTT, Auctioneers

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CLEARING AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, FURNITURE, ETC.

The undersigned have received instructions from

A. G. FREEMAN

To sell by public auction at his farm, Lot 6, Con. 2, Nissaugways, 1/2 mile N. E. of Moffat Station on

FRIDAY, MARCH 14th

Commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp, the following:

HORSES—1 dark grey Percheron Filly, rising 5 yrs.; 1 Bay Percheron Filly, rising 3 yrs.; 1 Percheron Mare, 10 yrs. old; 1 Percheron Gelding, aged.

COWS AND YOUNG CATTLE—1 Roan Durham Cow, due time of sale; 1 Red Durham Cow, due time of sale; 1 Black Jersey Cow, due time of sale; 1 Red Durham Cow, due March 28; 1 Black Holstein Heifer, due March 20; 1 Black Holstein Cow, fresh 6 weeks; 1 Durham Cow, fresh 7 weeks; 2 Red Durham Cows, in full flow, not bred; 1 Roan Durham Cow, in full flow, not bred; 1 Roan Durham Cow, milking; 4 Durham Steers, 2 yrs. old; 3 Durham Heifers, 2 yrs. old; 6 Durham Steers, 1 yr. old; 1 White Durham Heifer, 1 yr. old; 1 Holstein Heifer, 2 yrs. old; 5 Durham last summer Calves; 1 Ohio Durham Bull, 2 yrs. old, good stock bull; Any one looking for good grass cattle would do well to attend this sale.

HOGS, SHEEP, HAY AND POTATOES—1 York Sow with 12 pigs, 5 week old; 5 York Sows, due in April; 1 York Hog, 9 mos. old; 4 Suffolk Ewes, heavy in lamb; small quantity of Timothy Hay; 40 bags Potatoes, Katahdins.

FARM IMPLEMENTS—M.H. Binder, 6 ft.; Deering Mower, 6 ft.; M. Drum Hay Loader; Outthrow Disc; M.H. Side Delivery Rake, reversible; M.H. Manure Spreader; Farm Wagon; 2 M.H. Cultivators; Walking Plow, 21; 2-section Drag Cultivator; Gravel Box; M.H. 13-hoe Grain Drill; Flat Hay Rack; M.H. 12-hoe Grain Drill; Sloop Sleighs; 4-section Seed Harrows; 2 Dump Rakes; low Truck Wagon; Fanning Mill; Melotte Cream Separator; Hay Fork; Stone Boat, new; Gas Engine, 5 h.p.; Stewart Hand Clippers; Cutter; small Bench Cream Separator; chicker capacity; rubber tread Buggy; Single Harness; set of heavy Breaching brass mounted Harness, in good shape; Odd Collars; back band Harness; Bridles, etc.; Single Harness; 4 high topped Collars; Milk Pails; Strainer Pails; Forks; Hoes; Shovels; Bars; Chains, etc.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE—Solid Oak Extension Table, large; Davenport; Dresser; Odd Tables; 2 Lawn Mowers; 1 Crb.; 1 Wrecker; Brass Bed; Wash Stand; Odd Chairs; Daisey Churn, small size; Dishes, etc.; Butter Bowl and Ladle.

TERMS: Cash settlement with clerk day of sale. No reserve as the farm is for sale and the proprietor is giving up farming.

NASSAGUVEVA Women's Institute will give refreshments. HINDLEY AND ELLIOTT, Auctioneers. Phone Erin or Milton. George Currie, Clerk. 35-2

Auction Sales Coming

Don't forget the dates of these sales, to be held shortly.

Friday, March 14th — A. G. FREEMAN, Moffat, clearing farm sale.

Saturday, March 15th — FRED LANGDON, Four Corners, Kramoos, postponed sale; 35 choice grade Holstein Cows, and York Sows.

Monday, March 18th — ANGLUS AINSLIE, On the Hamilton Highway at Aberfoyle, clearing farm sale.

Tuesday, March 18th — J. E. HERRON, Paisley, Black, Guelph, just 3 miles north of Kitchener Highway, large clearing farm sale, a good line of horses and implements. This is a postponed sale.

Saturday, March 22nd — JOS. Mc LAUGHLIN, Guelph Twp., clearing farm sale.

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MILTON

Nearly four hundred parents and friends jammed the High School auditorium last Friday night for the annual junior grade program presented by the pupils and teachers.

For being the most effective and outstanding players for their clubs in the game between Oakville and Milton last Friday, Jerry Sullivan, Milton's left-winger, and Bill Galbraith, Oakville's centre man, were presented with leather reversible windbreakers by Archie Grant, manager of Crozier's Men's Wear store, which is operated by Jack Fraser.

The Canadian Club met at the Milton Inn last Thursday evening when Rev. Gray Eakins, rector of Grace Anglican Church was guest speaker. Mr. Eakins, who, for a time, was padre of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Canada outlined the plans which were made for the raid on Dieppe—Canadian Champion.

A church in Brockville, Ontario, named Wall Street United Church did so well financially in 1946 that it granted the minister and other members of the church staff bonuses for the year and pay increases for 1947.

Sir Walter Scott's brother, Tom, served in Canada as a paymaster with a British regiment, died in this country and is buried in St. Matthew's Anglican Church in Quebec City.

WLECKE WOOL CLIP

The total weight of Canadian grown fleece wool graded in 28 registered wool washhouses in 1946 was approximately 8,325,000 pounds. This is a reduction of about 15.5 per cent. from the amount graded in 1945. The Canadian Wool Board Ltd. again took over all fleece wool in 1946 at set prices per grade as has been done since 1942 under wartime regulations. The Board, however, ceased buying operations on December 31st, 1946.

STORAGE ONION BULBS

Storage experiments at the Dominion Experimental Station, Morden, Man., indicates that continuously cool (36 degrees F.) and dry conditions are the best for onion bulbs. Light freezing did not injure the bulbs but increased their pungency. Bulbs kept air-dry but allowed to become alternately frozen and thawed several times broke down with rot, quickly when brought into room temperature of 70 degrees.

You'll Enjoy Going by Bus. LEAVE ACTON (Standard Time) TO TORONTO TO LONDON. BUS CONNECTIONS AT TORONTO FOR NORTH BAY - MONTREAL - OTTAWA AT LONDON FOR DETROIT - CHICAGO - LOS ANGELES. FARES ARE LOW Round Trip - Tax Included. Toronto - \$2.00 Montreal - \$17.55 Detroit - \$10.95 Chicago - \$19.10 Los Angeles - \$89.25 North Bay - \$14.65. Tickets and Information at Harold Wiles' Phone 58.

BLOOD TRANSFUSIONS FREE TO ALL. GIVE to make this possible. To save the lives of our Canadian fighting men in action during the war, thousands of Canadian civilians gave their blood to the Red Cross. But in peace, too, Canadians die when a blood transfusion would save them. Whole blood and plasma are in short supply... in some parts of Canada there are no facilities at all for an emergency transfusion. In order to save the lives of Canadian men, women and children, the Red Cross is establishing a Canadian Blood Transfusion Service. By a system of voluntary blood donations, the Red Cross will supply every hospital in Canada. Donations to be received at the Bank of Montreal and the Bank of Nova Scotia. CANADIAN RED CROSS The work of mercy never ends - Give