

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

Interesting Items Concerning Other Centres and Communities in which Many of Our Readers are Interested

ORTON

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Gray, Betty, Ruth and Marjorie, and Mrs. Gray's sister, Mrs. Holly, of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived here last Thursday by motor to visit relatives.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Gray and Mrs. Holly left Malton by plane for New York, Newfoundland, Glasgow and several European cities, to return here in a month's time.

Congratulations to the four entrance pupils who passed their exams, Murray Dearing, Joan Hurd, Reggie Shaw and Ian McPhail.

Congratulations also to the High School pupils who were successful: Margaret McPhail, who secured her senior matriculation; Noreen McPhail who secured her junior matriculation; Wm. Courtney and Leslie Ballentine who passed into 4th form and Harry McGill who passed into third form.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gregson and Mr. and Mrs. John Hurd spent last week-end at Wasaga Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dearing, Jack, Murray and Melba visited at Port Dover Sunday.

NASSAGAWEYA

S. S. No. 7

Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson are enjoying a visit with friends and relatives in Western Canada.

Eileen Frank and Martin Davenport passed piano exams in Grade 2 at Guelph with honors. Donna McMillan passed Grade 4 exams.

Friends of Mr. George Locker were sorry to hear of his having an operation for appendicitis but are pleased to know he is convalescing at his home.

Congratulations to Tom Kennedy, Hazel Kennedy, Elton Allen, Ronald King and Donald McMillan of GCVI for passing examinations.

The July meeting of the Busy Bees W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Davenport with a good attendance considering the busy season.

Miss Pearl Kennedy enjoyed her two weeks holiday at Georgian Bay Beach, Midland.

Little Bobby Herd has been confined with measles at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Britton.

OSPRINGE

Mr. and Mrs. David Stowart and family enjoyed a few days holiday at Wasaga Beach, Owen Sound and Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grundy and family attended the 12th of July celebration at Fergus.

Miss Marion Sinclair is spending ten days at a Young Peoples' Camp on Lake Simcoe.

Miss Joyce Chester spent the week-end with Miss Elvena Winter at Ousike.

Mr. William Shephardson and family of New Liskeard visited on Monday with Mr. Richard Brown.

Mr. Jack Grievie of California visited on Monday evening with his cousin, Mrs. W. McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Carter, Laverne and Karen of Stratford visited for a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson and family. Other guests at the same home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williamson, Miss Helen Jackson, Mr. Douglas Robertson, Guelph.

Misses Marjorie Chester and Arlene Fisher are holidaying at the Presbyterian Girls' Camp near Paris.

Congratulations to Edwin Stewart, Malcolm Leitch and Ralph Sinclair who passed their Entrance exams, also to Shirley and Joyce Chester who obtained theirs on the year's work. Credit is also due to their teacher, Mrs. Pappie, who has never had an Entrance pupil fail in her years of teaching.

Misses Herb Lambert and Kenneth Robertson spent Sunday with friends in Toronto.

In spite of the rain there was a fairly good attendance on Monday night at the annual garden party under the auspices of the Ladies Aid and Women's Institute.

Mr. David Stewart has purchased a fine new truck.

EVERTON

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ellington, Moffat.

Miss Muriel Benham, Guelph, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon, Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby, spent Saturday at Harriston at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Aitken where a family gathering was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Kingsbury. Others visiting there were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Benham and Betty, Rockwood; Mrs. Eberth and sons, Donnie and Jack, Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Alexander visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jestin visited in Rockwood on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Max Milne.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Parker, Galt, visited on Sunday with Mrs. D. Parker and Colin.

Miss Joy Smith had been visiting in Brampton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Millar.

ROCKWOOD

Word has been received lately of the death of Mr. Harold Duffield of Ashland, Oregon, a former Rockwood boy, and brother of Mrs. Alf Watson, Rockwood, and Mrs. James Watson, Arkell. The sympathy of the community is extended to them in their bereavement.

The many friends of Mrs. S. Petty are pleased to see her at home again after her illness.

Recent guests with Mrs. S. Petty were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Petty, of Long Beach, Cal., who have been motoring through the United States and Canada, and who also visited their nephews Mr. Garnet Petty, Rockwood, and Mr. Clarence Petty of Everton. This is Mr. Chas. Petty's first visit in forty years. He was going to Durham Ont., before proceeding on his way home, and to Outlook, Sask.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Onkes (nee Thelma Ross) on their wedding last Saturday.

Best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Eldon J. Eckel (nee Lovena M. Richardson) of Rockwood whose wedding took place at Kitchener, July 5th, with Rev. Findley Stewart officiating.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hodgson on the arrival of a son.

Mr. Stewart S. Royce left during the week-end for his annual two weeks' vacation at Midland and other points.

Mrs. Wilfred Hauser and son Jerry have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Locker, Brantford.

Recent and week-end visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Neil McPherson, Galt; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLelland and son Wayne of Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grant, Guelph; Miss Irene Hamilton, Chicago; Ill.; Mrs. E. Pett, Aldershot; Mr. Roy Day, Toronto.

During the service at St. John's Church Sunday morning the Holy Communion was observed with the Rector, Rev. E. A. Pulker officiating.

Mr. G. T. Munro, of Waterloo, again conducted service at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning. His son Master Stephen contributed a solo during the service which was much appreciated.

Rev. H. Ball, of Brantford conducted services at the United Church on Sunday.

Misses Irene Dadd, Catherine and Pat Linfoot are holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

Since her recent operation, Mrs. Wm. S. Gordon returned home last week and is improving.

Vermont "farm for sale" advertisement states, "If purchased before next heavy windstorm, a barn is included."

LIMEHOUSE

The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Ellerby on Thursday evening with about twenty attending. Roll call was answered by the text word "quench". Kay Norton and Kathleen Kirkpatrick sang solos and Miss Ivens reviewed the chapter from the study book. Mrs. Gishby read the scripture lesson and Mrs. Benton the prayer.

Mrs. Ellerby served a delicious lunch at the close of the meeting.

The County Council's calcium chloride allotment was welcomed on Monday morning. The dust has been a nuisance for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lane and Miss Norma Lane of Montreal visited with Mrs. R. Lane this week.

Mrs. W. Mills and Susan visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mills. Miss Nellie Robertson of Toronto visited with the Roughleys recently. Kay Norton is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Ted Marrow in Toronto.

Mr. Harry Smethurst of Barrie visited his mother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Grieg and Mr. William Grieg of Brantford were the guests of Miss Ivens on Sunday.

Mr. William Newton of Barrie was with his parents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Georgetown visited with the Gishbys recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Corrigan and son Jack, of Toronto, visited the Wrights.

Mr. Alex Wright is holidaying at Wasaga Beach.

The Sanfords have gone to their cottage at Waubesahe for the summer months.

Following Sunday's service Limehouse Presbyterian Church congregation went to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mino's where they enjoyed a picnic held in honor of Rev. and Mrs. R. Davidson, who are holidaying at their cottage on the 6th Line.

Kathleen Kirkpatrick is holidaying with Miss Joan McLennan at Stewartstown.

One hundred pounds of roe were taken from a sturgeon caught recently in the Fraser River at Haney, B.C.

TERRA COTTA

Miss Barnhart of Toronto spent a few days with Miss L. Laughton here. Mr. J. Burgess of Toronto called at Terra Cotta last week.

Messrs. David and John Harber called on friends here last week.

The community welcomes Mr. and Mrs. Trevoroff and family of Amsterdam, Holland. Mr. Trevoroff is a brother of Mrs. Vanderriet of Terra Cotta.

Mr. W. J. Rutledge was injured last week when a pole struck him on the head and back while he was moving some machinery.

Mr. Norman Ican went up north of Huntsville on a fishing trip recently and made a nice catch.

Mrs. J. Eaves who has been ill during the past week is improving.

Mr. Oliver Cummings and son of Toronto spent Dominion Day with friends here.

Congratulations to Beverly Eaves who passed his examinations with honors at 5th Line school; and to Shirley and John McNally and James Zillio who passed their exams at the 10th Line school.

Miss Mildred Enson, teacher of the 10th Line school held a picnic recently at the school for her pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stump, and family have moved to Glenwilliam.

On Saturday afternoon, July 5th, a large crowd attended Mr. W. F. Hunter's sale. Mr. Hunter has given up farming and has taken over J. H. Gibson's implement business in Erith. The Terra Cotta W.I. sponsored a booth at the sale.

Miss Payne of Toronto is spending her holidays in her new summer home at Meir Street.

Friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Hogg of the Town Line who has not been well for some time is recovering.

NASSAGAWEYA

The Ebenezer United Church Sunday School held their annual picnic in the Old Mill Park, Guelph, on Saturday. There was quite a large crowd present to enjoy the sports and races. The following are the race events and winners:

Girls and boys, 6 and under—Wayne Easterbrook.

Girls 7 to 9—Judith Elsley.

Boys 7 to 9—Donald Archibald.

Girls, 10 to 12—Frances Fletcher.

Boys 10 to 12—Kenneth Elsley.

Girls 13 to 15—Betty Price.

Boys 13 to 15—Russell Fatt.

Boys 16 to 18—Garnet Norrish.

Young Men—Gordon Darby.

Young Women—Grace Norrish.

Three-legged race for Juniors—Kenneth Elsley, Clifford Norrish.

Three-legged race for seniors—Gordon Darby, Garnet Norrish.

Ladies hammering a nail—Mrs. Stanley Norrish.

Men hammering a nail—Harlan Wilson.

Boys' overhand pitch—John Wilson.

Oldest lady on grounds—Mrs. John Norrish.

Youngest bride—Mrs. William Keef.

The ladies provided the usual picnic lunch which was enjoyed by all.

There was a large gathering of the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lasby at Bloomsbury School S. S. No. 9 Nassagaweya, on Tuesday evening, July 7th to honor their son Mr. George Wallace Lasby and his bride. A program of progressive euchre was played first, the winners of which were, Mrs. Lindsay Ferguson and Mr. Roy Thompson. Mr. Ross Gordon acting as chairman called Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lasby forward and an address was read by Mr. Lindsay Ferguson followed by the presentation of two occasional chairs and two boudoir lamps. A dainty lunch provided by the ladies and a social time and dancing brought the gathering to a close.

Maple Products Pay Farmers Millions

The 1947 crop of maple syrup and maple sugar is much greater than in 1946 and is estimated at 3,580,000 gallons of syrup and 3,434,000 pounds of sugar, compared with 1,889,000 gallons of syrup and 2,543,000 pounds of sugar in 1946.

The syrup crop is the largest on record since 1924 but sugar production is 5 per cent. smaller than the 10 year 1936-45 average. Production of maple syrup and sugar is confined to four provinces and production this season, with comparable figures for 1946 in brackets, is as follows: Quebec, syrup 2,831,000 gal. (1,638,000 gal.), sugar 2,260,000 lb. (2,448,000 lb.); Ontario, syrup 717,000 gal. (235,000 gal.), sugar 67,000 lb. (7,000 lb.); New Brunswick, syrup 23,000 gal. (10,000 gal.), sugar 93,000 lb. (68,000 lb.); Nova Scotia, syrup 9,000 gal. (6,000 gal.), sugar 14,000 lb. (20,000 lb.).

The value of the crop including syrup and sugar is estimated at \$14,139,000 or 125 per cent. more than the value of production in 1946, most of which went to farmers as the bulk of maple syrup and maple sugar comes from trees on farms.

The annual parade of livestock champions at the Canadian National Exhibition, takes place this year on Friday, September 5th, in the Coliseum. This is always an event of keen interest to the farmer and stock breeder.

By-Law Number 828

A By-law to authorize the expropriation of certain lands for the purpose of extending Wallace Street.

WHEREAS the Corporation of the Village of Acton has purchased twelve (12) acres, more or less, composed of part of the east half of Lot Number Twenty-nine (29) in the Third Concession in the Township of Equeung, in the County of Halton, from one, Duckett for the purpose of erecting wartime houses.

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to extend Wallace Street in the Village of Acton in a westerly direction to provide a street or highway to and from the said twelve (12) acres so purchased.

AND WHEREAS for the aforesaid purposes it is necessary that the lands described in Schedule "A" should be expropriated upon and appropriated.

THEREFORE the Council of the Corporation of the Village of Acton enacts as follows:

(1) That those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Acton in the County of Halton, more particularly described in Schedule "A" attached hereto be and the same are hereby expropriated for the purpose of extending Wallace Street which lands so expropriated and to be entered upon are hereby declared to be and to constitute part of Wallace Street and a public highway.

(2) That the Reeve of the Corporation of the Village of Acton hereby authorized on behalf of and in the name of the said Corporation of the Village of Acton to enter upon and take possession of the lands described or intended to be described in Schedule "A" attached hereto.

(3) That in the event of the said Corporation of the Village of Acton being unable to agree with the owner or owners of the said lands or of any part thereof upon the compensation to be paid therefor, the same shall be determined by one and the same arbitration under the provision of the Municipal Act in that behalf made.

All by-laws or parts of by-laws not in accordance herewith are hereby rescinded.

READ a first time this 14th day of July, 1947.

READ a second time this 14th day of July, 1947.

READ a third time and Passed this Fourteenth day of July, 1947.

Sgd. "F. McCutcheon" Reeve

Sgd. "C. F. Leatherland, Clerk

"SEAL"

SCHEDULE "A"

Lands expropriated by Village of Acton under By-law Number 828 PARCEL ONE

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton and Province of Ontario, being composed of part of Block A according to registered Plan Number 185 for twenty-three one hundredths (.23) of an acre, more or less, and which said parcel or tract of land and premises may be more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the Easterly angle of said Block A:

THENCE South thirty-seven degrees forty-six minutes West (S. 37 deg. 46' W.) along the southerly limit of said Block A, being also along the Northwesterly limit of Wallace Street as laid out by said Plan 185, forty and three tenths feet (40.3) to its intersection with the Southerly limit of Wallace Street as shown on said Plan 185;

THENCE North forty-five degrees fourteen minutes West (N. 45 deg. 14' W.) along the production Northwesterly limit of Wallace Street as laid out by said Plan 185, two hundred and fifty and ninety-five one hundredths feet (250.95) to an iron bar planted on the Northwesterly limit of said Block A, as said limit is marked by the existing line fence;

THENCE North thirty-eight degrees thirty-nine minutes East (N. 38 deg. 39' E.) along the said last mentioned limit forty and twenty-three one hundredths feet (40.23) to the Northerly angle of said Block A;

THENCE South forty-five degrees fourteen minutes East (S. 45 deg. 14' E.) along the southerly limit of said Block A, being also along the Northwesterly limit of Wallace Street as laid out by said Plan 185, two hundred and fifty and ninety-five one hundredths feet (250.95) more or less to the place of beginning.

Parcel Two

ALL AND SINGULAR that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Acton, in the County of Halton and Province of Ontario, being composed of part of Lot Number Seventy-four (74) according to Registered Plan Number 227 for said Village, and part of an unnumbered lot or block lying immediately southwest of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74) and immediately northwest of Block Number A Plan Number 185, and between said Block Number A and the Corporation limit, as shown on said Plan Number 227; said unnumbered Lot or block being formerly known as part of the west half of Lot Number Twenty-eight (28) in the Third Concession, formerly in the Township of Equeung, now in said Village of Acton; containing an area of thirty-three one hundredths (.33) of an acre more or less and which said parcel or tract of land and premises may be more particularly described as follows:

COMMENCING at the point where the southerly limit of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74) intersects the northwesterly limit of Wallace Street as laid out by Registered Plan Number 185 for said Village, said point being also the easterly angle of Block Number A according to said Plan Number 185;

THENCE North thirty-seven degrees forty-six minutes East (N. 37 deg. 46' E.) along the said northwesterly limit of Wallace Street twenty-five and two tenths (25.2) feet to its intersection with the northwesterly limit of Wallace Street as laid out by said Plan Number 185;

THENCE North forty-five degrees fourteen minutes West (N. 45 deg. 14' W.) along the production northwesterly of the said northwesterly limit of Wallace Street one hundred and sixty-six and thirty-four one hundredths (166.34) feet to an iron bar planted;

THENCE on a curve to the right of radius three hundred and eleven and two tenths (311.2) feet to which the immediately preceding course is tangent, one hundred and twenty-four and nine tenths (124.9) feet (arc measurement) to an iron bar planted;

THENCE North twenty-two degrees fourteen minutes West (N. 22 deg. 14' W.) seventy-one and eight tenths (71.8) feet to the northwesterly limit of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74);

THENCE South thirty-seven degrees forty-three minutes West (S. 37 deg. 43' W.) along the said last mentioned limit eighty-nine and five tenths (89.5) feet to the westerly angle of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74), as marked by the existing fences;

THENCE South forty-five degrees fourteen minutes East (S. 45 deg. 14' E.) along the southerly limit of said lot, as so marked twenty-nine and four tenths (29.4) feet to the easterly angle of the west half of Lot Number Twenty-nine (29) in the Third Concession of said Township of Equeung;

THENCE South twenty-two degrees fourteen minutes East (S. 22 deg. 14' E.) seventy-six and nine tenths (76.9) feet to an iron bar planted in the northwesterly limit of Block Number A according to said Plan Number 185, as the said limit is marked by the existing line fence;

THENCE North thirty-eight degrees thirty-nine minutes East (N. 38 deg. 39' E.) along the said last mentioned limit forty and twenty-three one hundredths (40.23) feet to the said southwesterly limit of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74);

THENCE South forty-five degrees fourteen minutes East (S. 45 deg. 14' E.) along the southerly limit of said Lot Number Seventy-four (74), being also along the northwesterly limit of Block Number A, Plan Number 185, two hundred and fifty and ninety-five one hundredths (250.95) feet more or less to the place of beginning.

NOTICE ON PROMULGATION OF BY-LAW

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the Village of Acton on the Fourteenth day of July, A. D. 1947.

And all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court, within three months next after the first publication of this notice in the newspaper called The Acton Free Press, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

Signed

C. F. Leatherland, Clerk of the Village of Acton.

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