

# Personals

Mrs. M. Kaley of Barrie is visiting for a few days with Acton relatives.

Mr. Howard Norris of Calgary, Alta., visited with his sister, Mrs. Ida Ritchie last week.

Mrs. Wm. Miller and Mrs. W. J. VanNorman, Guelph, visited their sister, Mrs. G. H. Lantz on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gordon and Nancy and John Lantz, Toronto, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lantz.

Mrs. Joanne Sayers had the misfortune to fall on Monday and fracture her left wrist. All hope for her a prompt recovery.

Friends and relatives are sorry to hear that Mrs. John Harris is a patient in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. All wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. D. R. Hutecheon of Galt spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. P. Sayers, Church and Frederick Street. The occasion being Mrs. Sayers's birthday.

Mr. W. R. Bridgman of Walkerville has been appointed teller at the Bank of Nova Scotia and replaces Mr. D. M. Bell, who has been transferred to London.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, Acton will observe their fiftieth anniversary on Friday, January 15th. They will be celebrating at the Young Club on January 18th from two-thirty until five in the afternoon and on Monday will mark the event at Knox Church from two until five in the afternoon and from seven-thirty until nine-thirty in the evening.

# Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. David Howard of Campbellville, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Elsie Irene, to Clarence Qulman, of Guelph, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunter wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Ethel Irene to Mr. Alexander (Mac) McKenzie Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Wilson, Georgetown. The marriage to take place February 7th, at the St. Alban's Church at 2.30 o'clock.

# FIRST MEETING OF YEAR KNOX W.M.S. HELD AT THE MANSE

Knox Presbyterian Church W.M.S. held their monthly meeting at the manse on January 8th. The president, Mrs. Blow, opened the meeting with a short reading and prayer. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. H. Allison, who read the scripture lesson and Mrs. Geo. Lantz offered a prayer.

A letter from Mrs. Fred Anderson was read expressing her appreciation for all kindness shown by the W.M.S. members, to her dear mother, during her trying days in the hospital, and to the family at the time of her mother's passing.

A request was made for as many as could to attend the W.M.S. Annual Presbyterian meeting to be held in Knox Church, Guelph, on Tuesday, January 13th. Leaders for the Mission Band were, Mrs. R. O'Hara, Miss McDougall, and Mrs. Spielvogel.

Mrs. C. Leishman favored with a solo, "The Old Rugged Cross," which was very much enjoyed by all. Mrs. Blow gave a reading from the study book, "Our Commission in Canada and Overseas." It was decided to send a letter of thanks to Mrs. McEachern for her work with the Mission Band along with a letter of congratulatory to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson on the 50th Wedding Anniversary, to be held soon. Mrs. Blow closed the meeting with prayer. All were invited to remain for a cup of tea when a social time was spent.

# DUBLIN BRANCH GUESTS OF BUSY BEES INSTITUTE THIS MONTH

The January meeting of the Busy Bees W. I. Nassagaweya was held at No. 8 school house with Dublin W. I. as guests.

Roll call was answered by "Your Birth Place." Mrs. Locker offered her home for the February meeting. Dublin ladies were welcomed and Auld Lang Syne was sung. A euchre party was planned for January.

Mrs. Oscar Locker and Mrs. Stephen Cox demonstrated the art of salad making. Some lovely samples were served with the lunch of sandwiches, cake, tarts and cookies served by Mrs. E. Cox and Mrs. Wm. Allison, lunch convener. A contest was conducted by Mrs. George Somerville that was won by Mrs. C. E. Davenport and Mrs. Service.

The chat over the tea cups did much to strengthen the friendship offered the newly formed Institute by the Dublin ladies last summer.

# Church News

**United Church of Canada**  
Acton, Ontario  
REV. LARRY PICKERING  
Minister  
Parsonage - Bowser Avenue  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 18th, 1948  
11:00 a.m. - Common Worship.  
Our Church School each week at 12:10 p.m.  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service.  
Both Services Conducted by the Minister  
You Are Welcome

**Presbyterian Church in Canada**  
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON  
Rev. J. M. Anderson, B.A., M.C. & Bar  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1948  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Service.  
12:15 p.m. - Sunday School and Bible Classes.  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service.  
"They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength."

**Baptist Church**  
ACTON  
Rev. CHAS. R. GOWEL, Minister  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1948  
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School.  
11:30 a.m. - Mr. Sid Johnson, Toronto.  
7:30 p.m. - Thursday B.Y.P.U. and Bible Study

**St. Alban's Church**  
(Anglican)  
Rector - Rev. W. G. Luxton, B.A.  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 18, 1948  
Second Sunday After Epiphany  
11:00 a.m. - Holy Communion.  
11:15 a.m. - Beginners' Class  
12:15 p.m. - Church School  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Prayer.  
Annual Vestry Meeting Mon. Jan. 19th 8 p.m.  
This Church Welcomes Visitors.

# Thursday's Game Was Roughest Seen in Arena

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had still another "go" with the arena manager.

No Excuses  
Playing two men short, the Tanners were easy game for another goal. Speck had the score again at 10:50 and then with 3 minutes left to play, sparred for an opening, found it and scored the winning goal. Alas, as much as they shot at the Lakoshore pipes, Acton failed to notch the living marker.

**SCORING SUMMARY**  
1st Period  
Onkville, Duz, (McQueen) 7:25  
Onkville, Thomas (Yarnell) 9:05  
Penalties: Langany, Goy, I. Marzo, Speck, McQueen, Davison.

2nd Period  
Acton, Gillespie 3:30  
Acton, I. Marzo 4:05  
Acton, Keatner 8:12  
Onkville, Yarnell 8:17  
Penalties: Riddall, Leslie, Goy, Riddall.

3rd Period  
Acton, Gillespie (Bayliss) 5:02  
Onkville, Speck 10:50  
Onkville, Speck 17:22  
Penalties: I. Marzo, Watson, Thomas, Riddall, Goy, Duz, I. Marzo, Bayliss, McQueen.

Line-ups:  
Onkville: Buckley, G. Langany, Davison, def.: Yarnell, C. Thomas, rw: Speck, lw: alternates, McQueen, Duz, Woodhall, Watson, Leslie, Snowball.

Acton: Watson, R. Riddall, Bayliss, def.: Gillespie, C. J. Keatner, rw: I. Marzo, rw: alternates, Goy, Morton, L. Marzo, F. Marzo, Bruce, McPhail.

Referee - Maurice Walsh, Toronto.

# OBEY RULES - LIVE LONGER

Pedestrians are sticking their chins out when they cross the street in the middle of the block, or take a diagonal short-cut across an intersection, or run to beat a car in any part of the street. And they may get more than their chins hurt! In fact, these practices account for a large percentage of fatal pedestrian accidents. Be careful, urges the Ontario Department of Highways, there's no little to gain and so much to lose.

# TEEN TOWN TALK

Well "Weary" got a rare old send off from Acton's Teen Towners last Friday. The guest of honor received several rare privileges; he was allowed to tag anyone and any girl was allowed to tag him. Needless to say, he got around. "The one drawback to the idea as 'Weary' saw it was the sign he was forced to wear bearing the inscription "Here I am, you lucky witchmen". The teen towners presented their guest with a level, ball point pen, hoping that he'll not forget us.

The council will be putting in some late hours, indeed they are ready to make it one of the next few weeks. A week ago yesterday was a notorious night in the annals of teen town in Acton. The long-sought name for the organization was discovered. We're sorry we can't tell, but elaborate plans are under way to make it one of the most teen towns for miles around. Decorations around the central theme is the hard work because the decorations have to be semi-permanent.

The opening night is in the near future and will definitely be a historical night for every interested teen-ager. Memberships will go on sale at 50c and 100c for special privileges. For each member the admission price will remain at 25c but for non-members the price will be higher. The idea is to have everyone a member as probably you have figured out.

If there are any local teen-agers artists ribbing around loose that would like a hand in the extensive decorating scheme, see Mayor Kirkness.

Busy days are ahead and so we must get going, after having caught you up on the local doing.

# ROCKALONG W.I. HELD EUCHRE IN LOCAL SCHOOL

The members of the Rockalong Women's Institute sponsored a Euchre Party in the local school house, S. S. No. 8, 24 James last month. Mrs. A. Shullis, convenor of the committee assisted by Mrs. H. Maude and Mrs. C. Smith, conducted the games and served the lunch.

Chas. MacNabb, Earl Brown, Mrs. Plummer, H. B. Ramsden and Henry Maude held high scores. At the regular January meeting of the Institute another party was planned for the second Wednesday of the month.

# SATISFACTORY YEAR REPORTED BY UNITED WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Association of the United Church was held at the home of Mrs. F. Cleave on Tuesday with Mrs. I. Harris, 1st vice-president, presiding.

The devotional period was taken by Mrs. E. Huettern. A donation was sent to the Fred Victor Home. The ladies are serving a pot luck supper at the annual meeting. The annual reports were presented at the meeting and a very satisfactory year, both financially and socially was very gratifying.

Rev. L. Pickering closed the meeting. Lunch was served by Mrs. Cleave assisted by Mrs. Harris. A vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Cleave for her home and lunch assistants.

# IVAN'S IN TERRIBLE WAY

As a result to a Moscow despatch an "Aviation" Russian family, in which every one works, has a monthly income of 1200 rubles. \$270. Ivan's wife and family, they later must adjust on about \$90 a week.

Here's what Mrs. Ivan is faced with when she visits the Soviet equivalent of the Supermarket to buy a week's groceries. 1 lb. butter \$1.50, 7 quarts milk at 50c a quart, \$3.50, 1 doz eggs \$2.50, 1 1/2 lb. coffee \$7.00, a 3 lb. roast of veal \$10.00, 1 lb. sugar \$1.20, total \$25.70. Before she even gets around to buying bread, bacon, vegetables, cooking fat, fruit or cereals.

Should her family happen to be smokers, she can buy as many packs of 25 cigarettes she likes - at \$1.20 pack. Heaven help them if they like a glass of beer; with their dinner - beer is \$1.33 a bottle.

All this means that about once every Five-Year Plan she might save enough to buy one member of the family a pair of shoes at \$54; and every other Five-Year Plan there might be enough in the bank to get Ivan a suit at \$285.

The above are taken from prices fixed by the Soviet government at the time of its recent economic "reform." Comment is invited from Canadian communists, who sponsored petitions condemning our social system for allowing milk to rise from 16c to 18c a quart. - The Printed Word.

# Norm Morton Sets New High in Bowling Records

Besides setting the pace in the Major League Bowling, Norm Morton chalked up a couple of new records that will really take some bowling to beat. In one of his three games he marked up a score of 378, four plus over his previous record. He now holds the highest game score with 983, the highest single game 379 and holds the highest average.

The Dominion Hotel team took their three games and seven points from the Baxter entry while the Station Hotel did the same with Beaudinore and Storeys likewise with Miera Plastex.

**Major League Scores**  
Dom Hotel 1050 1034 995 3079  
Baxter 863 976 797 2736

Beardmore 775 702 824 2301  
Station Hotel 860 950 882 2692

Miera Plastex 740 729 825 2294  
Storey 1031 826 838 2695

**Standing**  
F. W. T. P.  
Station Hotel 18 15 0 36  
Storey 18 13 0 31  
Dominion Hotel 18 13 0 29  
Beardmore 18 6 1 18  
Miera 18 3 1 18  
Baxter 18 3 0 6

The announcement of the formation of a new, as yet unnamed, men's league for Friday night bowling has caused considerable interest. Twelve teams make up the league and it is expected they will play a single series and then arrange the play-offs. It is busy drawing up a schedule and will likely have it posted up by the end of the week.

# OFFICERS INSTALLED FOR HALTON BRANCH GARAGE OPERATORS

The January meeting of the Halton Branch of the Garage Operators Association was held in the Old Fellows Hall in Milton on Monday, January 5th. President James Wainwright presided.


The secretary reported on the last regular meeting and the last director's meeting. A financial report was presented by the auditors which showed the Branch to have a small bank balance, having ended the year with expenditures slightly more than receipts.

Mr. Fred Simerin, provincial director, introduced the Rev. Todd of Georgetown, who conducted the installation of the 1948 Directorate. The Rev. Todd gave a very inspiring and interesting address on the part that religion played in everyday working conditions, comparing a man who did not take an active part in church activities to an automobile which was running on only 5 cylinders. Mr. Todd was thanked by the Lynn.

The new president, Laurie Mannell, took the chair and promised the members that he would do everything within his power to make this the best year yet for the Branch. He pointed out that due to adverse business conditions and increased pressure from the big companies the independent garage man was going to have to get together with his fellow tradesman and fight bad conditions or he would soon be forced out of business.

The new directors each added a few words of advice to the meeting. The main objective for the year was to be a concerted effort to get educational programs for the members and to try and get the membership out. Mr. Leo Lynn endorsed a motion which unanimously carried to the effect that all meetings should start on time and should end early. The serving of coffee and sandwiches brought the evening to a close.

Be changeable when the weather changes. The Ontario Department of Highway suggest that motorists make it a habit to adjust their driving practices to fit safety into any sort of weather. Also may affect visibility and the surface of the roads and streets.



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**WED.-THURS. JAN. 21-22**  
7 AND 9 P.M.  
**RONALD COLMAN**  
**THE LATE GEORGE APLEY**  
and introducing **PEGGY GUMMINS**  
Directed by JOSEPH L. MANKIEWICZ - FRED HODDARD