

Second Report on Acton Swimming Pool

\$5713 Now Pledged in First Phase of Campaign and Committee Decides to Proceed with Canvass of Business Men and Manufacturers as the First Phase is being Completed—Second List of Donations Given This Week

With still a half dozen lists of canvassers still unavailable, the Acton Community Swimming Pool Committee met on Friday evening.

It was thoroughly discussed by the committee and a recorded vote taken before decision was finally made to proceed with the other 2 phases of the campaign.

It was hoped that the general canvass and Old Boys and Girls contributions would have brought in a larger amount before this time but if the work is to be completed this year the other two phases could not be delayed any longer.

Here is the second list of contributors in the general canvass. Previously acknowledged

- H. Dron, add. 5.00
Inez McLellan 20.00
F. York 5.00
Ted Footitt, Russel Arbie, George Ware 1.50
W. H. Clayton 10.00
Doris Wilson 5.00
Sam Snyder 5.00
Bob Marshall 10.00
Florence Saunders 2.00
O. Dyriv 10.00
M. Dyriv 10.00
J. McGindery 5.00
F. Sagnaskie 10.00
A. Francescato 10.00
D. Francescato 10.00
W. M. Palmer 10.00
Jas. H. Wilson 10.00
Fred Spear 10.00
D. C. Price 10.00
H. Graham 5.00
Andrew Wilson 10.00
Nora Sweeney 5.00
George Gibbins 5.00
Dorothy McDowell 5.00
Telf. McDowell 5.00
M. Plester 5.00
Mr. Mrs. A. L. Starkman 25.00
L. Youngblut 10.00
W. Duval Jr. 10.00
Eveleen Bralton 10.00
David Dilks 10.00
Roy Kirkness 10.00
Hartley Coles 10.00
G. Fargeter 10.00
J. Turkosz 10.00
T. Todd 10.00
S. Zajac 5.00
Pat Bayless 5.00
A. Turkosz 10.00
Ron Salt 10.00
J. Wilds 10.00
S. Lasby Jr. 10.00
E. West 5.00
H. Bittorf 5.00
Edna Ewers 5.00
Luis Gordon 5.00
Doris Roberts 5.00
Dolores Luppin 5.00
Sydney Fields 10.00
Lila Spear 10.00
Georgina Perryman 10.00
Rachael Mullin 10.00
Aileen McLsane 5.00
Jack Morrison 10.00
Barbara Lawson 10.00
Lena Lawson 10.00
June Wilson 10.00
May Spiess 10.00
Shirley Ralston 10.00
Jean Ford 10.00
Lillian Griese 5.00
Donna Pappillon 5.00
Ronna Pappillon 5.00
Frances Maplesden 5.00
Shirley Fryer 5.00
Muriel Ralston 5.00
Stuart McDonald 10.00
Howard Graff 10.00
C. Vary 10.00
\$5,713.50

BANNOCKBURN INSTITUTE HOLD SEPTEMBER MEETING

The September meeting of Bannockburn Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Russell. Fall activities were discussed. A committee was appointed to look after a booth at an auction sale at Mr. Everett Denny's farm. Plans were made for a cruise and dance.

CHURCH SOCIETIES HONOR MRS. C. L. POOLE COMING TO ACTON

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the Manse when Mrs. MacNeill was hostess to the W.M.S. and Ladies Aid Society of Nassauwaukegan Presbyterian Church.

During the course of the afternoon Mrs. Ed. Dredge called on the ladies to order, and explained that the purpose of the gathering was to do honor to Mrs. C. L. Poole who is leaving our midst shortly to make her home in Acton.

In well chosen words Mrs. Dredge spoke of the willingness with which Mrs. Poole gave of her talents and the cheerfulness with which she gave her efficient services whenever needed.

Cases Heard in Milton Court at Wednesday's Session

Leo G. Adams, alias Brunnell and Sloan appeared before Magistrate Kenneth M. Langdon in Milton yesterday and was remanded in custody one week.

The court explained to reporters it felt in the interests of the accused's defense, he appeared in the Magistrate's office and was not consequently brought into court to hear the charge read.

Accused was brought from Vancouver by Provincial Constable Al Lemon, where he was arrested over a week ago.

Harry Parks, convicted on a charge of assaulting Mrs. Fred Stewart, in Acton, September 23, appeared for sentence.

The court ruled he would be placed on suspended sentence for one year should he pay the costs of the court, as well as entering into a bond that he would keep the peace and not molest the Stewart family for the same length of time.

CHANGE IN STAFF AT LOCAL OFFICE BELL TELEPHONE

Mrs. Mary Allan who has been the very courteous and efficient manager of the Bell Telephone Co. in Acton for the past four years has resigned with the resignation effective October 1st.

Fine Concert Presented at Arena Sunday Evening

Acton Boys' and Girls' Band under the direction of Bandmaster C. W. Mason gave one of the finest concerts of the season on Sunday evening in the Dance Pavilion at Acton Park. It was a well rounded program and the only disappointing factor was the size of the crowd who enjoyed it.

Dr. Herbert Moore Speaker at the Acton Rotary

Acton Rotary Club was indeed fortunate to have this week as their speaker, Dr. Herbert Moore of Toronto, well-known industrial psychologist of Stephenson and Kellogg, industrial engineers. Packed into thirty minutes Dr. Moore left a message that was really relished by the members and several visitors, some of them High School boys who were guests.

Personally said Dr. Moore is the biggest factor in determining success in life and the biggest void in the world is lack of leadership. Some of the principles laid down for young folks and parents may have seemed old fashioned but he felt that young people today required a healthy wholesome regard for constituted authority, and this could best be started in the home.

The regular meeting of the Commission was held on Tuesday evening with all members present and Chairman Hansen presiding. The question of supplying energy for flat rate water heaters was discussed and all those having heaters in are to be supplied as far as possible.

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It was decided to get new locks for the various gates and doors of the Commission property and have a key to each at the office for cases of emergency.

With the removal from Acton of Mac Aylsworth some changes were necessary on the club's executive. These officers were elected at this meeting: Jack Royston becomes Club Secretary and Doug Garrett step into his place as Vice-President. The new member of the executive is Ted Tyler.

Council Awards Tender for Fill Railway Crossing

Acton Council met last night, with Councillors W. McLeod, A. McLsane, F. Davison and Deputy Reeve Coon present and Reeve J. McCutcheon, presided.

The tender of Stewart Elliot for supplying fill at the C.N.R. crossing at 50c a yard was accepted by Council.

After discussion Council instructed the Clerk to change the by-law on Waterworks to conform with Hydro arrangements whereby extra services were paid for where more than one family occupied house.

Council again discussed the purchase of a lawn mower ordered from W. D. Talbot when the account was presented. Council refused payment of the mower account.

Town Foreman Kirkness reported that the culverts had been installed in the Wartime Housing subdivision.

The Town Foreman was to secure a supply of wood for heating at the arena.

FOUR SCHOOLS TO COMPETE IN FIELD MEET IN MILTON

The Annual Joint Track and Field Meet for the secondary schools in Acton, Erin and Georgetown and Milton will be held at Milton on Wednesday, October 6th commencing at 1:15 p.m.

Last year the meet was held in Georgetown and Milton won the Championship. This year the competition appears to be wide open as graduation has caused a decrease in the number of Senior students attending these schools.

We have the complete Track and Field program and the public is cordially invited to attend this event.

Power Load for Acton is Still Above Quota

Co-Operation of Industries is Holding to Reduce the Day Load

A special meeting of the Acton Public Utilities Commission was held on Thursday evening. All members were present.

The salaries of the employees of the Commission were gone into and adjustments made to bring the employees more in line with the prevailing salaries about town and also to help take care of the rising cost of living.

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Superintendent Lambert reported that the break at the Bowling Green had been repaired and also that a hydrant on the Crescent which had been struck had been repaired.

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An enquiry from a construction company in Toronto inquired if Acton Utilities had a spare 3/4 inch water meter on hand. The Commission decided to sell a spare meter to this company.

Superintendent Wilson reported on the effort being made in conserving power. The following facts will be of interest to local consumers:

Average daily power consumption for a 6 day period previous to Sept. 22nd, K.W. Demand 1462, K.W.H. used 21,333. Consumption Sept. 22nd to 27th, 6 days—K.W. Demand 1,251; K.W.H. used 20,533. Daily reduction of K. W. Demand 211; K.W.H. reduction 800.

Comparison of power used: night load in brackets: Sept. 20—1,782 (408); Sept. 22, first day of conservation 1500 (734). Sept. 23rd, 1488 (792). Sept. 24th, 1488 (792). Sept. 25, 888 (744). Sept. 26, 696 (384).

This comparison will show how the power users have transferred the load from daytime to night. Our 24 hours K.W.H. consumption is approximately 4000 above our quota on the 5 week days. The change in load from day to night should help on the quota.

In another column is published a letter received Wednesday morning from the H.E.P.C. notifying of impending interruptions in power service.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

Table with 2 columns: Account Name, Amount. Includes Hydro Dept., H.E.P.C. Ontario, power \$5,773.62, Rem Rand, Service 315, Can. Line, materials 414, McDon. Elec. Supplies 675, Ferranti Elec. Supplies 150, Masco Elec. Co. 31.48, Sangamo Co. Supplies 48.00, Fast Wire, Supplies 151.11, Acton Free Press 24.95, Express, Transport 3.43, Mrs. H. Palmer 12.00.

Waterworks Dept. \$6,069.54

W. Cunningham & Hill 322.16

R. Stapleton 520.80

Wm. Thompson 4.00

Can Brass Co 49.61

Empire Brass 70.79

\$166.76

NEW MEAT CONTRACTS

Under the terms of new meat contracts, Great Britain has agreed to take the whole of New Zealand's export surplus of meat for the next seven years up to 1955. The exception is pig meat, for which the contract runs to 1952, after which the quantities will be subject to review on two full years' notice.

New Instructor At Acton "Y" For This Season

Citizens and particularly those interested in the Acton Y.M.C.A. and the activities of young people will be gratified to learn that a new instructor has been engaged with duties to commence on October 1st.

George O'Donahue of Toronto was the instructor engaged by the board at the meeting on Monday evening. The new instructor received his education in Toronto schools was active in Central Y.M.C.A. in the city and a member of the Central Y.M.C.A. swimming team. He was a physical recreational and training instructor in the Navy during the war and was stationed at Halifax. He served in the English Channel on Motor torpedo boats.

George O'Donahue played Junior B hockey with De La Salle and in the Navy and an Maber's hockey club in the T.H.L. He comes to Acton highly recommended for his duties which commence tomorrow. The past summer he was assistant pro at the Cutten Golf Fields in Guelph.

HARVEST SUPPER AT ST. ALBAN'S CHURCH BY EVENING GUILD

The Harvest Festival at St. Alban's Church was followed by a chicken supper served by the members of the Evening Guild. The conveners were Mesdames C. Nellis, W. Coon, R. Heeley, G. Currie and F. Oakes.

The variety program following consisted of community singing led by Miss L. Stewart with Mrs. F. Oakes at the piano. Musical selections by Messrs. Doby, Fountain and Gibbons. Recitation Miss E. Taylor, piano solo, Miss L. Stewart; solo, Miss Betty Gadd. The address of the evening was given by Canon Brownlee, rector of St. George's Church, Guelph. Miss C. Burgess, a returned missionary from China gave a short account of some of her recent experiences.

The enjoyable evening concluded with a hat contest in which Messrs. V. Algar, N. Turner, W. Knight, W. Denny, H. S. Jolley, H. G. Turner, C. Cutts and C. O. Ranney took part.

CCF'S BLUNT WARNING

If Canadians ever allow the CCF party to take over power at Ottawa, they know now exactly what is in store for them, states The Financial Post. There are no ifs or buts about the platform approved at Winnipeg last week. There are no suggestions for careful investigation of realities and probabilities to be followed by possible action. Here is a straight one, two, three proposition.

In one way and another the program would give the CCF direct, permanent and absolute control over all production, distribution and consumption and over the lives and savings of all people engaged in those activities. That means revolution and the regimentation of an entire people by a political party.

HALTON PRESBYTERY WOMAN'S ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS

The first semi-annual meeting of the Halton Presbytery Women's Association of the United Church of Canada was held in St. Paul's United Church, Milton, Thursday, September 23rd. The President—Mrs. T. J. Hedley of Burlington, presided.

Mrs. Galbraith welcomed the ladies. Miss Hume brought greetings from the Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. A. G. McChie, President of the Hamilton Conference Women's Association was the guest speaker. As this is a new organization, Mrs. McChie was very helpful answering many questions and giving information.

It is hoped many more Women's Associations of Halton will be affiliated and so become part of a great federation of Christian women.

Officers elected for the following year were: President—Mrs. T. J. Hedley, Box 295, Burlington; 1st. Vice-President—Mrs. E. W. Hall, Trafalgar; 2nd. Vice-President—Mrs. Ivan, Goddard, R.R. 1, Waterdown; Secretary—Mrs. G. M. Housden, Box 245, Burlington; Treasurer—Mrs. C. D. Wilson, Milton; Literature—Mrs. F. Smith, R.R. 1, Georgetown; Press—Mrs. A. O. Flumerfelt, Bronte.

Acton Fair Offers a Two Day Program This Week

MASS CHEST X-RAY SURVEY IN RURAL AREAS HALTON COUNTY

Beginning on Monday, October 25th a free mass chest x-ray survey will be held in the rural areas of Halton County. The survey will last 4 or 5 days and will be held in at least 2 centres in each township.

Last year mass surveys were done in each of the 5 towns. There were 12,569 people x-rayed. 29 cases of tuberculosis were found and 5 of these were active cases. By this survey much was accomplished in bringing tuberculosis under control. The benefit to those who were found to have the disease was also great. By early discovery of the disease their period of hospitalization and loss of earning power has been greatly reduced.

As was the case last year, this survey is a joint effort of the Halton County Seal Committee, the Ontario Tuberculosis Association and the Ontario Dept. of Health. This year, in addition, the Federation of Agriculture is also co-operating.

Meetings to organize the campaign in the various townships will be held very shortly and the dates and places of the clinics will be announced in the near future.

Your contribution to the Christmas seal campaign has made this mass chest x-ray survey possible. Even a small contribution may mean much to the Health and well being of your community.

SOURCE DRIES UP

Employers who occasionally ask employees to work overtime at time-and-a-half or double time are saying that tax deductions at the source are a mistake. The extra income for the one day in the week doesn't make it worth while, the worker says, to put in the extra time.

Thus, in effect, there is a tax-payers' strike. One employer recently said that some of his workpeople said they would work overtime if the pay was given them in cash and not shown on the company's books or reported to the tax collector. It was revealed in the prices inquiry that some workers have week-end jobs, for which they get cash, and presumably pay no tax thereon. The tax collectors are smart, persistent, unrelenting. But they aren't likely to catch more than a small number of such tax strikers.

Deduction at the source is fine in theory. The practice is different and the working people of Canada still consider the rate of tax much too high. — The Printed Word.

The Newfoundland Railway, a deficit operation for all but four of its fifty years, is to be taken over by the CNR under terms of confederation.

Critical Situation In Hydro Ruin to Ontario Industry

Messages of vital concern to every citizen in town or district appear in other columns from the Ontario and local Hydro Commissions. If the Ontario Hydro Commission carries out its threat to interrupt power for fifteen minutes every hour during the day there isn't an industry that can operate. Electric power is used not only for driving machines but in many cases for applying heat to certain parts. This threat of interval cut-offs is the most serious blow to industry in Ontario that has been dealt since Hydro became such a universal servant.

It may mean that thousands will be thrown out of employment because no industry can afford to lose such unproductive time, with interruptions. No newspaper without an auxiliary power other than Hydro can publish an edition. A lot of heating systems will only be half efficient. The confusion is a bit difficult to conceive.

We don't know how you can save electric power. Most industries are already co-operating in the fullest, but we understand that domestic users are showing few reductions. The situation is critical. If you think pay day is an important day of any week you'll save Hydro every conceivable opportunity.

First Night Performance Features Western Riding and Trained Horses and Comedy Acrobats—Saturday Program will have fine Stock Exhibits, Races and Many Novel Events—Casey Shows will be on the Midway at the Fair on Friday and Saturday

Plans are all complete for the annual Fall Fair in Acton tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday. The first night will have all of the carnival flavor—Casey Shows with at least four rides such as ferris-wheel and merry-go-round and a large section of the midway will be lighted and in operation.

In the arena the attraction will be Joan Ross and Barbara Fairchild with their trained horses. They will give exhibitions of trick and fancy riding, rope tricks and bull whip. There'll be a real western flavor to their act and something entirely different for the program. For many years the directors have been unsuccessful in getting this type of performance and are pleased to be able to present it this year. Nickling Bros. a team of comedy acrobats are among the top performers in this class and present a program never seen here on any previous show.

There will also be classes for high-jumping horses which are always a feature of Acton Fair. The old stand-by of potato race and musical chairs have been left off the program this year.

The Acton Boys' and Girls' Band will provide music for the evening and of course visitors will have an opportunity to view the hall exhibits which are judged on the first day.

Second Day It's only good weather that is needed to ensure the success of the Saturday show. On one of the finest fair grounds in the province there will be an exhibit, cattle, fine horses, a big poultry show and a fine entry of pigs and sheep. There will be trotting races on the track and judging in the various rings. Again the Boys' and Girls' Band under C. W. Mason will handle the musical program and lead the parade of school children at one o'clock and the parade of livestock before the grandstand at four o'clock.

There's a contest for the freckled boy and other innovations and of course there'll be the baby contest with a fine lot of boys and girls who will be the future citizens of this community.

Nowhere else can one get the variety of entertainment, the opportunity to meet friends and a meeting place for town and country as at the Fall Fair and at no place will you get a better welcome than at Acton Fair. This week-end. Make it a date for Acton Fair on Friday and Saturday.

And if you are still energetic, you can attend the fair night dance in the Town Hall. There's something for every age at Acton Fair.

Coming Events

Announcements of Meetings, Concerts, or Other Events, under this heading, are charged, no extra per line, with a minimum charge for any announcements of 3c.

Bazaar and basking Sale, October 30, Sunday School Room, United Church. Auspices: Friendly Circle.

Euchre and Bridge, Y.M.C.A. Acton, Wednesday, October 30, 8:15 p.m. Admbalton 40c, Auspices: Lake-side Chapter I.O.D.E.

Opening euchre and dance, L.O.I., 467 Creswell's Corner, Friday, October 8 Refreshments, Good prizes. Admission 25c.

On November 29, Mrs. Kate Aitken will speak in the United Church at 8 o'clock. Auspices: Friendly Circle United Church.

An event to remember, Turkey dinner and musicale, Acton United Church, Monday, October 25. Auspices the Church Choir.

Barn Dance at Claude Pickett's Farm, Seventh Line 1/4 mile north of Hornby, Tuesday, Oct. 5th. Modernaires Orchestra. Admission 50c.