Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bowles spent Christmas at Oshawa.

Miss Eleanor Beatty is home from Toronto for the holidays.

Miss Shirley Sutcliffe, Dearborn Michigan is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Huffnagel and Gordon spent Christmas at Dundalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beatty are spending the Christmas holidays in Acton.

Miss Flora Moffat is home from Bella-Bella, B.C., for a few months vacation.

Mr. James H. Reed is in Toronto Hospital. All wish for him a prompt recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Gordon and Nancy, Toronto, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rognvaldson and children spent Christmas at Oshawa.

Rev. Elvin Gamble visited during Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hamacher of Waterloo visited with relatives in Acton for Christmas.

Mrs. Caldwell had a family reunion at her home on Knox Avenue over the holiday.

Mrs. E. Gibbons spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibbons and baby of Kitchener.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Johnston spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Maxwell, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Browning of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G A. Dills.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston and Virena spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Herb Dyer, Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnston spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Overholt in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McKay of Toronto spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sutcliffe and Bill, Bracebridge, spent Christmas week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs G. H. Lantz.

Mr. Harold Moffat of Innisfail, Alberta is spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Ida Moffat and Mrs. Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Wilds, Douglas and Carolynn of Vineland visited with his parents and brothers during the Christmas holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McCutcheon, Gordon and Jack spent Christmas in London with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McCutcheon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Clarke and family and Mr. P. Papillon of Hamilton spent Christmas with Mrs. S. Papillon and other Acton relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hassard of Strathroy are spending part of their vacation at the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hassard.

Sgt. and Mrs. E. Ryder and Judith Ann of Camp Borden and Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams, Georgetown, spent Christmas with Miss E. Hawthorne.

Friends are glad to learn that Mr. John Irwin was able to return home from the Hospital in Toronto before Christmas and is feeling better.

Mrs. Harvey Palmer, Acton, and Mr. John Sinclair, Ballinafad, are patients in the Toronto General Hospital. Friends wish for them a prompt recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robertson, David, Douglas and Robert, spent Christmas Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson and visited other friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Nutting of Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Nurse and family of Erin, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Irwin spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Irwin.

Mrs. George Campbell, Miss Lucia Campbell of Georgetown and Mrs. John Miller of Miller's Corners spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson and Donna.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowles, Mr. and Mrs. Calvert Rowles, Miss Maureen and Bob Rowles and Miss Shirley Rowles of Toronto spent the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

Church News

United Church of Canada
Acton, Ontario
REV. LOUIS PICKERING
Minister
Parsonage—Bower Avenue

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1949
11.00 a.m.—The Common Worship. Sermon, "Neither the Beginning Nor the Ending."
11.30 a.m.—The Children of the Church.
Our Church School meets at 10.00 a.m.
7.00 p.m.—"New Years and New Moons".

A Welcome to All

Presbyterian Church in Canada
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1949
11.00 a.m.—Morning Service.
12.15 — Sunday School.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Service.
"They that wait upon the Lord Shall renew their strength."

Baptist Church
ACTON
Rev. CHAS. R. GOWER, Minister

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1949
10.30 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.30 a.m.—"How Old Art Thou?"
Week of Prayer—January 2-9.
Friday, December 31st—Watch-night service in Georgetown Baptist Church.

St. Alban's Church
(Anglican)
Rector—Rev. W. G. Luxton, B.A.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1949
2nd Sunday After Christmas
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion Beginners' Class.
7.00 p.m.—Evening Prayer.

A Welcome Awaits You

Robt. R. Hamilton
OPTOMETRIST
OF GUELPH
will be at
Dr. G. A. Sirrs' Office
TUESDAY, JANUARY 11th
7.30—9.30 P.M.
COMPLETE EYESIGHT SERVICE

CATERING
BANQUETS—
—WEDDINGS—
—ETC.
No Gathering Too Small or Too Large
We Supply Sandwiches and Lunches for Small or Large Groups
Prompt attention to all enquiries
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As the Chimes Ring
may they bring in a perfect New Year for you crammed full of Happy Days
R. O. Stapleton
PLUMBING
& HEATING

Acton Club Activities

Two very interesting films were featured at the weekly dinner of Acton Rotary Club on Tuesday. The films entitled "Search Unending" and "Strange Gods of India" were secured by Les MacSwain through the Imperial Oil Company.

Two Guelph visitors were welcomed and a new member of the club was initiated. The dinner was a Christmas dinner with turkey and all the accessories including mince pie and President Amos Mason extended the thanks of the Club to Mrs. Watson not only for this special Christmas menu but for the fine luncheons which have been a regular feature each week.

BRITAIN EXPORTS HERRINGS

The people of China are to have an opportunity of tasting, for the first time, herrings from Britain. The Herring Industry Board has just sent over 8,000 samples cured in brine. Several thousand more samples are also being sent to the West Indies. The method dry curing in concentrated brine for 48 hours not only improves the flavor but eliminates the need for cumbersome packing.

CLEARING
AUCTION SALE
IN ERAMOSA
Grade Dual Purpose Shorthorns, Feed, Implements, Etc.

The Undersigned have received instructions from
ALEX BRYDON
to sell by Public Auction at the Brydon Homestead, Lot 21 W., Con. 4, situated on the 4th Line, Eramosa, which is the Centre Inn Line on
TUESDAY, JANUARY 11th, 1948
Commencing at 1 o'clock, the following

GRADE DUAL PURPOSE SHORTHORNS—12 Cows and Heifers. Red and White Cow, due at sale time; Roan Cow, due at sale time; Red Cow, freshened in October, H. Calf; Red Cow, freshened in October, rebred in Dec., 3rd Calf, B. Calf; Red Cow, due before sale date; Red Cow, freshened in November, B. Calf, 2nd Calf; Roan Heifer, freshened in October, H. Calf, 2nd Calf; Red Heifer, 2nd Calf in Nov., B. Calf; Roan Heifer, due at time of sale; Red Heifer, bred in June; Roan Heifer bred on December 2nd; Red Heifer, bred on December 3rd. Cows all milked and Calves pail-fed.

YOUNG STOCK—The Herd bull, a dark red, bred by Thos. Mitchell & Sons, Rockwood, Eramosa Lord (298685) born August 12, 1946; 2 Roan Yearling Heifers; 2 Red Yearling Heifers; 2 Baby Beeves; 2 Steers rising 1 year, also 3 fall Bull Calves and 2 fall Heifer Calves mentioned before.

HORSES & HARNESS—Heavy Bay Gelding, 8 years old; Grey Mare, 13 years old, a good general purpose mare, good in all harness; Gray Gelding 17 years old a real thick horse; 2 Sets Team Harness, Back Band style; Collars, Bridles, etc.

STOCKERS—6 Steers, rising 2 years; 3 Heifers, rising 2 years.

This herd is the result of years of breeding and selection to produce the ideal farmers cow. For over forty years the proprietor has used registered sires from cows that were real producers of milk and butter and at the same time carried the beef qualities of the old Durham Cow. The last three herd sires weighed over 2,000 lbs. as mature bulls and were from the herds of Amos & Black, Moffat; Peart Bros., Caledonia; and Hewett & Sons, York. There are bull calves in this offering while without a paper pedigree would make ideal herd sires for the average farmer.

The herd is TB and Blood Tested, all cows milked and calves pail fed.

You are invited to look this herd over before sale day.

HOGS—York Sow, due at time of sale; 2 York Sows, due in February.

POULTRY EQUIPMENT AND LUMBER—Colony House; Gilson Coal Brooder; Hoppers, Fountains, etc.; Pile of Hemlock Plank; Gravel Box Bottom.

GRAIN AND FODDER—500 bus. Mixed Grain; 50 bus. Wheat; 10 bus. Buckwheat; Quantity of Grass Seed; A quantity of Feed Turnips; 30 Ton Hay, if not previously sold.

FARM EQUIPMENT—M.H. Binder, 6 ft. cut; M.H. Mower, 6 ft. cut; Sale Delivery Rake; Hay Loader; Dump Rake; Manure Spreader; Cockshutt 2-furrow Rodger Plow; Oliver 1-furrow Riding Plow; Tolton No. 7 Walking Plow; Maple Leaf 2-furrow Plow; Tolton Wide Harrows; Tolton narrow Harrows; Garden Harrows; M.H. Spring Tooth Cultivator, 13 teeth, good as new; Turnip Sower; Cockshutt Disc 17" discs; Bissel Roller; M.H. 13 Shear Drill with Fertilizer and [illegible] teeth; Bench Saws with platform; Farm Wagon; Flat Hay Racks; 2 Rack Sills [illegible] and one-half 9" by 8 inches; Cutter; Buggy; Harrow Cart; Stiffer; Fanning Mill; 2000 lb. Scales; Pulleys and Shaft; Boxes; Fowl's Rack Racks and the usual list of small articles.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT—Delaval [illegible]

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AC-TEEN TOPICS

The annual A.H.S. At Home met with its usual success last Wednesday. The students had prepared for this event well. Lunch was served in a most efficient manner and the decorations were on their usual elaborate scale, with the lights changing color continuously and adding to pleasant atmosphere for the entire evening.

The Acton Boys' and Girl's Band led good old St. Nick to his rendezvous with about six hundred children in the Roxy Theatre last Friday. For the band it was a heavy march but Santa met the many children and lighted the many faces.

Holidays for the school students are the feature of the week with a lucky few enjoying sleep-ins, free time, no worry and late nights. Perhaps school will be a welcome variation but then again the outlook isn't bright.

The Penguin Club will hold their get-to-gether this Thursday (tonight) we understand from the announcement made at the last "do". As yet we haven't heard of any special events scheduled for the evening but there will be the usual teen-age dance with perhaps a few novelty numbers.

The next new thing will be 1949. No doubt it will have new experiences, new interests, new accomplishments and perhaps the inevitable new failures. It is our wish to you that the new year, soon to be ushered in, will be a year of satisfaction, accomplishments, and good fun. Happy New Year.

MILTON

Milton and district lost a highly esteemed active church and Legion member with the sudden passing of Leeming Hamilton Servos at his Victoria Street residence, Tuesday evening.

His Worship, Dr. C. H. Heslop, Mayor of Milton, launched CHUM's salute to Milton, which was inaugurated last Tuesday afternoon at 2.30.

Last Tuesday evening, is one that will not soon be forgotten by the members of Milton Council. The Mayor, Dr. C. H. Heslop, entertained those who sit around the Council table at the meetings throughout the year. Dr. Heslop had made reservations for the party at the Lichee Gardens in Toronto. A full complement of courses were served for the dinner, in Chinese style. — Canadian Champion.

GEORGETOWN

At the regular convocation held in the Masonic Hall last Friday evening, Ex. Comp. Elmer Dron was elected 1st Principal of the Halton Chapter RAM. The new officers will be installed and invested on January 21st by Rt. Ex. Comp. George C. Brown.

A life-long resident of this district, Mrs. William Hitchcock passed away on Saturday, December 4th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Harding in Erin Township. Mrs. Hitchcock who was the former Harriet Sharpe, was born 78 years ago near Norval, and had spent most of her married life on a farm near Ballinafad.

Pere. Cleave was re-elected president of Georgetown Curling Club at the annual meeting which was held in the Rose Room last Wednesday night.—Herald.

ERIN

Mr. A. Smith, 8th line, Erin, picked a bouquet of pansies in his garden on December 13; quite unusual in this district.

Unconscious for 88 days from injuries suffered when she was thrown from a horse Marion Wood 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Wood, formerly of Erin, died at her home in Guelph on December [illegible]

Two telephone operators Norma Spears and Insley Brown saved, [illegible] from destruction by fire early last Friday when a spectacular blaze caused more than $3,000 [illegible] village [illegible]

Final Meeting Esquesing Council for Year 1948

Appointments Made and By-Laws Passes as Council Finishes Work

Esquesing Council met in the Council room, Monday, December 15th when the last meeting for the year was held. Deputy-Reeve, George Currie, Councillors, George Leslie, H. Craig Reid and Wilfred Bird were present. Reeve G. E. Cleave presided.

Accounts passed for payment included: The Acton Free Press, $4.20; The Canadian Champion, $4.20; Bell Telephone Co., $6.06; Acton Public Utilities, $19.77; Denby Duplicating $84.50; Hornbuck's Funeral Home, $30.00; Province of Saskatchewan, $20.00; R. H. Thomson, $8.20; Claims re sheep killed, $162.50; Hawes and Nelson, $1.80; J. Sanford, $68.73; Cecil Adams, $75.00; Ted Bludd, $102.50; J. Sanford & Son, $5.00; Doris Hull's Orchestra, $25.00; W. Townsend, $10; A. W. Benton, $38.52; Georgetown Herald, $49.56; A. C. Patterson, $4.50; G. C. Brown for Bond, $36.50 and J. Sanford, relief officer $59.90.

A by-law appointed Alldon C. Patterson as Building Inspector for the township.

Another by-law passed provided for the holding of the Municipal elections for 1949.

Moved by Reid, seconded by Leslie, that the Treasurer be empowered to accept $15. from Mrs. Carter, repayment of account for assistance received for November, re Mothers' Allowance. Carried.

The treasurer was authorized to pay for meetings mileage and comm., G. E. Cleave, $169.50; Geo. Currie, $151.60; George Leslie, $146.20; H. Craig Reid, $146.20; Wilfred Bird, $146.20.

Moved by Reid, seconded by Leslie, that the Road Superintendent be instructed to transfer from Capital account to Road account the amount of $5,000.00 for Garage construction, as part payment re Auditor's statement of expenses. Carried.

Moved by Bird and seconded by Reid, that the Treasurer pay the road accounts of $2,373.54 as presented by the Road Superintendent. Carried.

Moved by Reid, seconded by Leslie, that Mr. Arthur Beaumont be appointed Member to the North Halton High School Board for the years 1949 and 1950. Carried.

Moved by Bird, seconded by Reid that the Reeve do now vacate the Chair and it be taken by the Deputy-Reeve. Carried.

Moved by Bird, seconded by Currie, that the Reeve and Treasurer be empowered to pay December road accounts as presented by the Road Superintendent, as of Dec. 31, 1948. Carried.

Mr. Currie then called on the members of Council and officials who expressed regret that the Reeve would not be on the 1949 Council. Mr. Cleave, in his reply stated that he would miss very much not being among the members of 1949 Council, but he had definitely made up his mind to retire. He said he would have liked to be on the Council one more year to see how the new garage would fill the required need for which it had been built and just how it would work out.

Moved by Reid, seconded by Leslie, that the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to the Reeve G. E. Cleave, for the courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over the meetings of this Council during the past year.

Notice to Creditors
AND OTHERS

In the estate of ROBERT JOHN FISHER and FLORA FISHER.

All persons having claims against the Estate of Robert John Fisher, late of the Township of Erin in the County of Wellington, Retired Farmer, Deceased, who died on or about the Twenty-third day of September, 1948 and all persons having claims against the estate of Flora Fisher late of the Township of Erin in the County of Wellington, Married Woman, Deceased, who died on or about the Eleventh day of April 1948, are requested to file proof of same with the undersigned Solicitor on or before the Twenty-second day of January, 1949, after which date the said Estates will be distributed, having regard only to the claims then filed.

DATED at Acton, this Twenty-ninth day of December, 1948.
C. F. HEATHERLAND,
Acton, Ontario.
Solicitors for the Executors.

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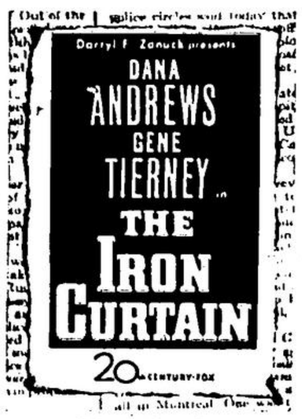
FRIDAY-SATURDAY JANUARY 1st-2nd

MONDAY-TUESDAY JANUARY 3rd-4th

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY
January 5th-6th
The Picture that Caused the Riot in New York



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