

Personals

Mr. Boyd Clark of Toronto was home for Sunday.

Mrs. Aver of Galt spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. N. Baird.

Mr. Jack Mainprize of Dundas spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. Switzer visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Switzer over the week-end.

Miss Margaret McDonald of Toronto visited in Acton over the week-end.

Miss Shirley and Mr. George Elliott spent the week-end at their home in Acton.

Mrs. B. G. Arnold of Toronto visited Acton relatives and friends during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Overholt and girls were at Mrs. R. L. Johnston's for Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Archibald spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Harris.

Miss Bertha and Mr. Ernest Brown visited with Miss Fern Brown over the week-end.

Miss Nellie Kelly spent a few days last week visiting relatives and friends at Dublin, Seaforth and at Hiyth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Flato and son Michael visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Rumley on Mother's Day week-end.

Miss Joy Homph left Sunday to take up her new position with Maher Shoe Stores in Woodstock. Friends wish her every success.

Mrs. W. Garvey of Toronto, cousin of Mrs. J. Louttit spent the week-end here before leaving by plane for her home in Belfast, Ireland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Martin, Dianne and Bobby of Toronto, visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson.

Miss Mabel Vera Rogivaldson of Palmerston, Ont. is visiting her grandfather, Mr. John Rogivaldson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Rogivaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kentner and son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKesow and son, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Bristow spent Mother's Day at Grassie, Ont., at a family reunion which was attended by forty members of the Bristow family.

Church News

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

SUNDAY, MAY 15th, 1949
11:00 a.m.—The Hour of Communion
Worship. The sermon, "In Our Own Prison House."
11:30 a.m.—The Congregation of the Children of the Church
Our Church School Assemblies at 10:00 a.m.—The Evening Service.
You Are Welcome At Any Hour

Presbyterian Church in Canada
KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
REV. ROBERT H. ARMSTRONG
M.A., Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 15th, 1949
11:00 a.m. Divine Worship
12:15 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class
7:00 p.m. Divine Worship
"They that wait upon the Lord Shall renew their Strength"

Baptist Church
ACTON
REV. CHAS. E. GOWER, Minister

SUNDAY, MAY 15th, 1949
10:40 a.m. Sunday School
11:30 a.m. "The River of Life"
5:00 p.m. 7:15 p.m. Young Women's Mission Circle Annual Meeting at home of Mrs. G. Wagner.
8:15 p.m. Church Annual Meeting and Election of Officers

St. Albans' Church
(Anglican)
Rector—Rev. W. G. Lutton, M.A.

SUNDAY, MAY 15th, 1949
Easter IV
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and Beginner's Class
7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer
A Welcome Awaits You

Pollock and Campbell
Manufacturers of
HIGH GRADE MEMORIALS
MEMORIAL ENGRAVING
62 WATER ST., North GALT
TELEPHONE 1843

Do You Know?

(Continued)

Last week-end, several of our customers took advantage of our low rates to get either a few blocks or several miles to visit their loved ones on that beautiful "Mother's Day."

Too many of us wait for special occasions to do this. A surprise visit to mother or dad is a happy occasion any time. Roy's Taxi will be pleased to serve you for these or any other trips you may wish to make.

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Phone 128 Acton

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Radio Servicing
FOR
HOME & AUTO
For Your
Electrical Appliances
HASSARD'S RADIO
Phone 1918 Mrs.
Temporary Location at
GARDINER'S STORE.

\$150 in Prizes
\$100 in Scholarships
\$20 in Special Prizes

THE 'HALTON MALE CHOIR'
MUSIC
Competition
Sat. June 4, 1949
Milton, Ont.

Adjudicator: Dr. Reginald Cooper, Mus. Doc.; F.R.C.O., F.T.C.L., Organist of Hexham Abbey, Northumberland, England. Conductor of the Bach choir of Sheffield.
See your local principal or school teacher for syllabus and entry forms.
CLOSING DATE MAY 21st

The LETTER BOX

BUTTER vs MARGARINE

I have refrained from making any statement to the press on this question, in the hope that our consumers of foods will see the light themselves, but owing to these childish crusades (propagandist for what they call a butter substitute), the daily press and too often our local Editor, sometimes I feel these press people get a kick out of stirring up the public. However, we cannot always afford to look at things in what we might call lighter vein, there are times when we must be realistic, and on this particular question we really there can be a possibility for the distribution of extreme advertising for the various brands of these cheap spreads, made possible because of the tremendous profit to be realized.

I do not wish to insult anyone, but let me tell you that all you people that fall for this tremendous propaganda are and will be the gullible public that will pay the bill.

Why do I say this? Simply because these various products that are used to manufacture these cheap substitutes cost about 25c a pound or less to manufacture. Now you know what you are paying for these products, add it up yourself, then ask yourself if you are not gullible!

Let's look at this thing. We are told that 90 per cent of the oils used in cottonseed oil. Peanut oil is also used. Such oils as Palm oil and Coconut oil are very highly desirable to use and normally are cheaper than Cottonseed oil, and they cost about 10c a pound plus the duty. Sure we have animal fats. Let's look at them. Suppose we take one of our largest companies which we usually consider derives its chief profit from processing our livestock. Such a company would probably make as much or more profit out of this cheap spread than all the rest of their operations, that is of course, if they are allowed to swing their present plan.

Oh no my dear urban friend, it is not a case of these people being desirous and anxious to assist you to cut your food costs. It's another motive. It is a very successful business financially that can operate on a 100 per cent margin or profit or more.

Look! Margarine a substitute for butter why? Cost of producing butter approximately 70 cents a lb. Cost of producing margarine approximately 25c a lb.

Sure boys, class it with butter what we can put it on the market at around 40 or 45 cents a pound and make a killing of 90 to 100 per cent profit and still undersell butter.

It's great isn't it!

Margarine a substitute for lard why? Cost of producing lard approximately 30c a pound, cost of producing margarine approximately 25c a lb.

Tuff! It doesn't look so good.

No! Oh well you have heard of people that are not content to associate with their own kind or within their means and sham their way into society (some people do this for specific reasons) well it is just another one of those things. Only this one is strictly business.

It is desirable that all our foods be maintained on as high a standard as possible. The manufacture of butter like all other dairy products is under rigid and strict regulations and our farm people are supporting these, all of which is in the interests of the consuming public.

No, agriculture has a product (butter) that has a great value as a food, and it must be safeguarded in the interests of all people. There is no question about this, and furthermore there is no substitute for butter. There are other products but none is a substitute for butter, and furthermore we in the agricultural industry do not intend to allow our valuable and important product, butter, to become an ingredient in the food value of any of these cheap products.

If the people want margarine fine. I have no objection provided these people manufacture and sell margarine as margarine.

This should be sufficient. We could go on into this question further, but the more we study it, the more obvious it becomes as a possible field to take the consuming public for a ride.

R. S. Heatherington

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EGGS FROM THE SEA

The British Colonial territory of Barbados in the West Indies has a year-round supply of the herring-like sea-urchin. Each year during the herring season experienced divers collect eggs from the ocean bed. This provides the island with a delicacy which is worth about \$20,000 a year. The fisherman use no diving apparatus and are armed only with a knife for defence against the sharks. They gather from submerged reefs "sea eggs" which provide a delicious dish peculiar to the Barbados. These "sea eggs" as they are known in the Caribbean, are actually sea urchins. They are broken open to obtain the five golden shells each shell contains. Cleaned and then refilled with about seventy roe each. This unusual industry is protected by the Government. A closed season is enforced from May to September to protect the beds from becoming exhausted by excessive fishing.

THE REASON WHY

Professors, Economists and others are given to deploring the shortage of school teachers. They cannot understand why this most influential of professions fails to attract the right type of men and women in sufficient numbers.

The other day, the answer turned up in the classified section of a daily paper. A public school board placed two advertisements on the same day. The first was for a teacher or to take charge of Grades 5 and 6; salary \$1,500 per annum. The second was for a janitor for the same school; salary \$1,800 per annum.

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BOWLING

The Industrial League play-off ended last week with the curry team from the tannery taking the cup.

The winning team gave them quite a chase followed by the Chrome team.

The tannery had three teams entered with one team each from Force's, Baxter's and Wool Comb-ing.

The following is the final standing:

Curry	15214
Chrome	14941
Wool Comb	14715
Force Electric	14610
Baxter's	13941
Wool Comb	13114

The Wool Combing entertained a team from Simpson's Knitting Co. of Toronto, last Saturday and had a very enjoyable time. The Bowling was close with the visitors having a slight edge. After the bowling the local boys took the visitors for a tour through the Wool Combing and I believe the boys are invited back to Toronto some time soon.

Force Electric's entry in the Industrial Tournament have been practicing for the play-off on Saturdays next.

PICTURES OF THE BRIDE..

To keep forever alive that wondrous wedding day. Our expert photographer will take an exciting album of bridal portraits . . . and if you wish, a candid-picture of your entire wedding day. Pique-pleasing prices.

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SALE OF

MEN'S SUITS

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1 GROUP \$25.00

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EISEN'S Clothing Store
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She cannot see the bright colors nor the interesting pattern on the fabric which she is learning to weave, but with her training with the Canadian National Institute for the Blind is completed, she will have gone one step forward on the way to active, happy life. Last year, several blind Canadians won prizes for woven articles in the Canadian National Exhibition in open competition with the sighted. Weaving is one of a variety of crafts which the C.N.I.B. makes available to the blind people it serves. Without your financial help, the Institute cannot meet the increasing demand for its facilities.

Please Give Now — and Generously
TAG DAY IN ACTON — MAY 21st
Under Sponsorship of Duke of Devonshire Chapter
I. O. D. E.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. A. Crapp, Acton, wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Ella Mae, to Kenneth Ramsey, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Milne, Rockwood. The marriage to take place May 21st.

TOURISTS PAY WAY

Not alarmed is *The Financial Post* over the game the American tourists catches or shoots in Canada.

Taking into account the amount of money these people spend in getting to the places they do their fishing and hunting this game probably costs the visitor its weight in silver if not in gold. If we could get as much real value for all our other exports as we do for the trout, bass, deer, moose and bears the tourists take home, we would all be millionaires.

SWEET CLOVER SEED EXPORTS

Export of sweet clover seed to the United States in the 6 month period July 1st to December 31st, 1948, was more than three times that of the same period in 1947. Nearly fifteen million pounds of this seed has been shipped to the American market in the first half of the 1948-49 crop year. This exceeds the total amount exported last year and there are indications that the present figure will be raised by several million pounds before the shipping season ends.

Canada is dependent on the American market to absorb surplus quantities of sweet clover seed, and in past years varying amounts have been shipped to the United States. Normal domestic consumption is not large, and, with a record breaking crop of over twenty million pounds harvested in 1948, a large exportable surplus has been available. While Canada harvested a record crop, the United States on the other hand had one of the smallest crops in recent years. These factors have been responsible for the heavy movement of sweet clover seed this season.

Watch For
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Acton Public School

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Child's Name (Surname First) _____

Date of Birth (Day, Month, Year) _____

Parent or Guardian _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Please complete this Form and send to Acton Public School Before May 25th

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