

LOCAL NEWS

Items for this column may be phoned to 114 or sent to The Free Press Office in Acton.

—Boy Scout Apple Day on Saturday, October 14.

—The sky always seems to look bluer when you look at it between branches of red or yellow leaves.

—The Chicago Black Hawks stopped in Acton on the way to Harris last week and watched the second game of the world's series on television.

—Although the Thanksgiving week-end began with beautiful weather, Monday evening's down-pour was unfortunate for the many visitors returning home.

—The last of the fall fairs prove that the picnic season of the year is over. The principal outdoor activity for a while will be raking leaves and lighting bonfires.

—Fourth year O.A.C. students came eighth in cattle judging competitions at the Dairy Cattle Congress held in Town last week. J. C. Benham of Rockwood acted as alternate for the team.

—Miss Rita Fuller has purchased the business of the Acton Beauty Shop from Miss Edna Dickenson and is planning to rename it the Blue Doll Beauty Shop. She has had five years' experience in her own shop in Toronto.

—To quote the official Weekly Road Bulletin of Ontario: "No 25 highway—the Queen Elizabeth to Acton—37.3 miles. The Queen Elizabeth Way to Nelson, paved, fair. Nelson to Palermo, paved, shouldering. Palermo to Milton, paved, fair. Milton to Acton, gravel, fair under construction and paving until Dec. 1st."

—Walter Grey of Rockwood won the Essex champion's tractor plow special at the Erasmus Plowing Match and then again at the Wellington County Plowing Match held at the farm of Mr. T. J. Gilchrist, R. R. 5, Guelph last week. He had to forfeit his position in the second match since the same prize can only be won once a year.

Acton to Milton Paving Commences

Co. staff, is assigned to the supervision of the paving. An inspector from the Department of Highways will also inspect the work. Assurance that the highway will now definitely be finished before the winter is certainly welcomed by those who live in Acton and Milton and along No. 25 itself. The muddiness of the road in rain and the dust problem on dry days as well as the general unevenness of the road bed make paving a necessity.

New Power Station Goes Into Service

ed every few blocks into 115 volts or 230 for a home with an electric stove. This lower voltage is practical and safe for everyday use. The power leaves the station en route to Acton homes via two three-phase feeders. Have a look at the pole just beyond the Queen St. side of the fence. There are three two-feeders, large conductors which bind three smaller wires each within them. These wires have run underground from the power unit to the base of the pole. The stout fence around the equipment is for our own protection against electrocution as well as the hydro's from willful damage, although the corner is well insulated by several cables which reach underground. On the wire fence in several places are shiny new copper cables which act as ground wires. If overhead wires should fall down onto the fence. Without these ground wires, the fence would become as red hot as a toaster if this should happen. There it is—a corner lot that has already cost the Hydro \$45,000 to which maintenance will be added over the years. The improved voltage regulation is definitely an advantage for Actonians. Previous to the construction of this unit and the change-over two weeks ago, local power service was subject to voltage fluctuations since peak times overloaded the service to such an extent that the demand could not be fully supplied. At 11 in the morning, for instance, lights were dimmer than they should be, irons not as hot and kettles slower to boil. These improvements will assure a more constant load of 110 volts coming into each home. Hydro officials state they hope to keep the voltage even a little higher than that for better service. The sturdy pieces of equipment were approved by the Hydro engineering department in Toronto, built by the construction department, checked and operated by the regional staff in Hamilton. The travelling crew of workmen will be off to Rockwood as construction finishes and the efficiently designed equipment begins its steady hum of operation, checked only occasionally by skilled hands.

Minor Sports Club To Meet on Oct. 24

The first annual meeting of Acton Minor Sports Club will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, October 24th at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to elect officers for the coming year to carry on the sports for boys which was started by the club over a year ago. All ticket holders and others interested are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Church Is Prepared For Anniversary

Anniversary services were held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday with a large attendance at both services. Rev. D. P. Rowland of York Presbyterian Church, Toronto, was guest speaker both morning and evening and brought two great messages which were much appreciated. Mr. Rowland was here as a student some years ago and was welcomed back by a host of friends. Special music was supplied by the choir of the church. Miss Betty McLean was soloist. The male quartet, Messrs G. MacDougall, A. Blacklock, M. Lowrie and R. Gilbertson also sang a number at both services. This was also the reopening service after the painting of the interior of the church. Miss Sadie Roberts and Mrs. Annie Tolton spent last week-end with Mrs. Lloyd Simpson in Hamilton. The September meeting of the W.M.S. and Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian Church were held in the basement. Mrs. W. Lewis was in charge of the W.M.S. Devotions were taken by Mrs. H. Gilbertson and Mrs. J. Milne, after minutes and reports were given. Several items of business were discussed and plans made for the fall thank-offering to be held in the church early in November with Mrs. Kellington of the Salvation Army. Guelph as guest speaker. Meeting closed with a hymn and prayer by the president, Mrs. J. D. Lowrie then took charge of the Ladies Aid meeting and opened with a poem and prayer. Plans were made for attending the Plowing Match next week and several other items of business were dealt with. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer was said in unison. A social half hour was spent with Mrs. J. Milne and Mrs. H. Gilbertson as hostesses.

Y Worker Overseas To Address Board

At Thursday night's annual meeting of the Y Board, Mr. W. J. Macdarmid, who has spent 25 years in Y work, will be the guest speaker. During the war, Mr. Macdarmid was responsible for the development of Y.M.C.A. work in the army, navy and air force, travelling extensively in all theatres and operations, including the British Isles, North Africa, Sicily and many countries of Western Europe. He was in Germany with the army of occupation. In October of 1946 he returned to Canada and is now the Executive Secretary of the Central Y, Toronto.

Mrs. Ellen Daniel of Toronto spent several days recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lewis. Mr. Joseph Lasby of Toronto spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lasby. Mrs. Peter Wilson of Guelph spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. Mino and Mr. Mino. Several from this district attended the fall fairs at Acton and Milton.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths, Etc.

BORN

YOUNGHLUT Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Younghlut wish to announce the birth of a son on October 10, 1950 at the Guelph General Hospital.

BLATT Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blatt, R. R. 1, Acton, wish to announce the birth of a son Robert Clarence, Saturday, October 7, 1950 at Guelph General Hospital. A brother for Sharon, Nancy and Peggy.

DIED

FINNIG In Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton on Monday, October 9th 1950 Margaret Jane Leslie, beloved wife of William W. Fisher, in her 75th year. In her home at Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

GRIEVE At St. Joseph's Hospital, London on Thursday, October 5, 1950, Hazel Lucille (McDonald), beloved wife of Andrew Grieve, died daughter of Mr. Neil McDonald and the late Mrs. McDonald formerly of Acton and dear sister of Mrs. David Johnson (deceased) of Guelph, in her 47th year.

MACDONALD Suddenly at Guelph on Tuesday, October 10, 1950, Hugh Arthur MacDonald, beloved husband of Effie Henry, dear father of Royden, Earl Falls, Wilford, Durham, Glen, Mount Forest, Ian (Mrs. Norman Becker), Durham, Ian Acton, Jean (Mrs. Norman Scarrow), Flesherton. Burial at the Victor B. Humley Funeral Home, Acton, until Friday where funeral service will be held at 12 o'clock Standard Time. Interment Durham Cemetery on arrival about 2:30 p.m.

IN MEMORIAM

MILYIN In loving memory of our dear mother, Isabel Hilton who passed away October 13, 1947. May the joys you missed on life's highway be found in God's garden of rest. Remembered by Doris, Marjorie and Gordon.

Coming Events

The Friendly Circle of the United Church Bazaar in S. S. room October 14.

Lakeland Chapter I.O.G.E. Annual Bazaar Saturday, October 28th Town Hall 2:30 p.m.

Coming to Brockville Hall, November 24th, brass band and choir sponsored by the Busy Bee Institute.

St. Gerard's Club Euchre, Fri. day, October 20, St. Joseph's Church Hall 8:15 p.m. Lunch served. Admission 25c.

Ladies Auxiliary Canadian Legion Annual Bazaar Saturday, October 21, Legion Hall, 3:30 p.m. Sale of work, baking, touch and take, aprons, penny sale, afternoon tea draws for chair and doll. 4-12.

The regular monthly meeting of the Acton Home and School Association will be held in the Public School kindergarten room Monday, October 16 at 8:15 p.m. Parents and friends welcome.

WANT-ADS

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FOR SALE Half ton Fargo new 1949 Mercury 1949 Plymouth Coach radio heater back up lights, fog lights slip covers. '39 Plymouth Coach nice and clean. Call 29 Ford A. 875, MacSwain Motors, phone 85, Acton.

FOR SALE Used cars 1945 Dodge 1936 Oldsmobile Coach price \$300. Trucks 1947 Mercury. All condition. Tractors 1950 Ford Tractor and plow with lights and tires loaded, used 1948 Ford Tractor. Thompson Motors, phone 67, Acton, Ontario.

Mackenzie News

The cool fall weather seems to be here to stay and with it there are those numerous odd jobs of getting the house patched up to keep the cold winds out. For those who need combination doors we have them complete with glass and screen at \$16.50. The locks for these doors are now made of bakelite which will not tarnish or mark with the small fry hand marks and sell for the moderate price of \$1.95. We also have caulking for those cracks around windows and doors at \$1.30 per gallon.

For those in charge of the streets we think they are doing a grand job of keeping the gravel and levelling done. See you around town.

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Notice to Creditors

AND OTHERS
IN THE ESTATE OF JAMES R. CREE.

All persons having claims against the Estate of James Russell Cree, late of the Township of Erin, in the County of Wellington, retired farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 22nd day of September, 1949 are required to file proof of same with the undersigned Solicitor on or before the 21st day of October, 1950, after which date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims then filed.

Dated Acton, Ontario, this 22nd day of September, 1950.
Sarah Jane Leitch, Executrix,
By her Solicitor,
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