

Personal Notes...

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes

Items of interest to be included in these columns should be telephoned to 174 or sent to the Free Press Office.

Mrs. Mary McAuley of Lucknow is at the Gould's.

Mrs. Anna Smith spent the Easter week-end in Toronto.

Mr. George Jiggins of Aurora was home for the Easter holiday.

Mr. Murphy of Toronto visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perkins.

Mrs. Selwood visited with Georgetown friends during the week.

Miss Doris Wilson spent a few days in New York city the past week.

Miss Margaret Garvin spent the Easter week-end with Toronto friends.

Mrs. G. H. Lantz spent the Easter week-end with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Neil MacDonald of London, Ont. called off Acton friends last Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Watkins and June Watkins spent Easter in New York City.

Mrs. A. Powers of Picton is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elliott.

Mr. E. K. Harrop of Hamilton visited with friends in Acton during the week.

Mrs. Perry Watson spent a few days with her aunt in St. Catharines this week.

Mr. Valler Nielson and his son, Willy, arrived in Acton from Denmark last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Hamacher of Waterloo visited with Acton relatives over Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Youngblut and Paul visited in Mount Forest over the week-end.

Miss Isabel Gammie and Miss L. Bentley are spending the Easter vacation in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clayton spent Easter with their daughter and family in Hamilton.

Miss Marjorie Peaks of Toronto is spending the Easter holidays with Jacqueline Watkins.

Miss Phyllis Lindsay of Toronto Normal School is spending her vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Clarke and family of Brantford visited relatives in town Easter week-end.

Miss Hilda Long of Toronto visited at the home of her brother, Mr. Alfred Long on Sunday.

Mrs. Klassen of Toronto visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Somerville.

Mrs. Stephen Cordner has been ill for several weeks but is now showing some improvement.

Miss Ruby Clark has been spending a few days with friends in London and Lambeth this week.

Misses Shirley and Jane Elliott are visiting at the home of their grandfather, Mr. C. G. Elliott, Comber.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Coles and Stephen of Weston spent the Easter week-end at their homes here.

Mrs. Vera Frowe and daughter, Nancy, of Sundridge, spent Easter with the former's mother, Mrs. Hurst.

Friends are glad to see that Mr. William Cooper is improved in health and is able to be around again.

Mrs. Hutt has been spending an enjoyable few days with friends in Hamilton and Ancaster during Easter.

Mrs. Edna Snyder and Miss Campbell of Toronto were Easter guests of Mrs. James Symon and Mrs. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman of Fergus visited last Sunday with Mrs. George Chapman and Miss Madge Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Weaver and family of Hamilton visited during the Easter vacation with Mrs. Phillips, Frederick St.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crewson and David of Sudbury visited over the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fetterly and family.

Mrs. James Russell of Unionville visited in Acton on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Wood and called on several friends.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Egan and Peter of Guelph were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Mainprize for Easter.

Mrs. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hubbs of Toronto were Sunday visitors at the Davidson home on the 2nd line.

Mrs. John Wood was in Unionville Good Friday visiting with Mrs. John R. Kennedy who was celebrating her birthday.

Miss Eleanor Ross, Mr. Tom Corner and Mr. Don Russ spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Holmes and Mrs. K. A. Mackenzie attended a Lumbermen's Convention in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, last week.

El. Serat, Pfaff, Miss Janie Pfaff and Master Jimmie Pfaff spent Easter Sunday with Mrs. George Chapman and Miss Madge Chapman.

Mrs. William Ramsden, Bill and Cherry of Buffalo visited here on Thursday. Mr. Charles Mason returned home with them for the Easter week-end.

Mr. Thomas Nodwell, who has been in the General Hospital, Guelph, returned home Sunday. Friends are glad to hear his condition is improved.

Mr. George Powers of Picton, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Errington, Faye and Patsy of Ottawa visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Elliott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Reid of Stratford, Mr. Jack Reid of Toronto and Miss Bernice Reid of Guelph were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Reid, Bower Ave.

Friends of Mrs. C. Franklin will be sorry to hear that she has been removed to the Toronto General Hospital after an illness of nine weeks at home. All wish her a speedy recovery.

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BALLINAFAD

Forum Treats Team To Turkey Supper

The Farm Forum sponsored a turkey supper for the hockey team and their ladies on Tuesday night. Rev. Young of the O.A.C. was guest speaker.

The Master Feed Company was host to the Ballinafad hockey team taking them on a tour of their plant and farm, paying all expenses. The boys report a splendid trip.

Farm Forum was held at the home of Lloyd Marshall, it being the last meeting until the fall.

Mr. Alfred Swindelhurst passed away in Guelph Hospital on Monday after a short illness.

Mrs. Gibb and Bruce are spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Brearly of St. Thomas.

Mr. Brearly is in London hospital undergoing an operation.

Y Holiday Program Selection Finished

With the Easter school holidays for the boys and girls and a full compliment of mud and puddles around town, the Y.M.C.A. Easter holiday program provided a welcome pastime. In addition to more than usual casual traffic, the all day gym program is being well attended.

Results of activities to date are as follows: The high scorers among the 40 young bowlers in action Monday afternoon were: high individual (3 strings), Don Wilds 577; Ron Sheppard 553; Ross Morton 450.

The high team total of 2220 was bowled by Joan Chisholm, Ross Morton, Ena Jennings, Elizabeth Jany, Joe Jany and Jean McCrean.

In the junior girls' basketball tournament, the Red team of Peggy Bradshaw, Peggy Oakes, Cheryl Morton and Joan Chisholm were the victors by a margin of 10 points.

In the boys' athletic meet, the all-round best performances were made by the following: A Class, Bill Skilling 150.2 points; Peter Hurst 136.06 points; Bob Heatley 136.7 points. B Class, Emmerston Baxter 144.16 points; Don Wilds 138.95 C Class, Mike Hurst 114.2 points; Wayne Ridley 96.1 points.

In the girls' division, the high scorers were as follows: A Class, Cheryl Morton 152; B Class, Francis Oakes 129.75; Marilyn Woods 110.25 points. C Class, Betty Bean 122 points; Annie Boillac 121.75 points; Patsy Smethurst 116.95 points.

MOFFAT District President Held Many Offices W. A. Wilson Dies

The Nasagaweya Women's Institute held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Mahon with a good attendance. Mrs. M. Brown, district president, was the guest speaker.

Mr. Clark Donaven, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Donaven and daughter of St. Catharines spent the holiday with their mother, Mrs. C. Donaven.

Pte. J. Keith Robertson, who was wounded while serving with the 2nd Battalion of Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, returned to his parents' home on Saturday.

Miss E. Roberts of Guelph spent the week-end at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Early visited on the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Dunnett of Toronto.

The Women's Missionary Society of Nasagaweya Presbyterian church held a special Easter service Sunday evening, with Rev. Mr. Sutherland as speaker and Mr. and Mrs. E. Watson and family of Eden Mills giving special music.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Dixon and sons spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hathaway.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McDonald and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Linham and family are in the midst of moving this week having exchanged farms.

The Young Married group of St. David's Presbyterian Church, of Campbellville, put on an excellent performance of their play, "Raggedy Nan", under the auspices of Limehouse W.I. in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Thursday evening.

Owing to the illness of Miss Rudell, the teacher at S.S. No. 9, holidays for pupils there began a week early.

All hope to see Mr. Sam Gishby improved in health following treatment in Sunnybrook hospital for arthritis.

Rev. A. Calder sang during Sunday's services at Limehouse Presbyterian Church. The Easter lily on the communion table was in memory of the late Wm. Ritchie, placed there by Mrs. Ritchie and family.

With Mrs. Lane on Easter were the A. W. Lane's and the Ted Morrow's of Toronto and the Bob Lane's of Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Smith of Weston and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Patterson were with Mrs. Patterson and the A. C. Patterson's on Sunday.

Miss Helen Swackhamer of Detroit was with Miss Margaret Swackhamer for the week-end and Mrs. C. Buck and Mr. Jim Buck on Sunday.

Mr. A. C. Bourne is home from Ridley College for two weeks vacation.

Mrs. A. J. Smethurst spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smethurst in Barrie.

Miss Doris Mitchell spent Easter in New York.

The A. W. Benton's visited Mr. and Mrs. Greenless, Campbellville on Sunday.

Mr. Lyxter of Burlington visited his daughters, Sylvia and Linda, at the O. S. McDonald's on Sunday.

Of 44,320 Canadian business firms subject to taxes in 1948, more than a third operated at a loss.

OBITUARY Held Many Offices W. A. Wilson Dies

The secretary of the Esqueping Agricultural Society for fifteen years and reeve of that township in 1946, William A. Wilson passed away at his home, Valleybrook Farm, on March 14. He was in his eighty-first year.

Mr. Wilson was also a township municipal officer and in 1920 he became the mayor of Credit Masonic Lodge A.F. and A.M. He was a past president of the Halton Farmers' Institute and reeve of the Halton Mutual Insurance Co. An enthusiastic carter, he was also a hockey fan.

Mr. Wilson was born on a farm in Nelson Township near Milton. The funeral service was held on Saturday March 17th in Georgetown with interment following in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

The pallbearers were J. C. Cunningham, Thomas J. Brownridge, Frank Wilson, Everett Cole, Nelson Robinson and Ern Batkin.

Friday evening a service was held in St. John's Church which was fairly well attended considering weather conditions of late afternoon and evening. Rev. W. G. Luxton conducted the service.

Sunday morning a large number were present for 10 o'clock service, with Holy Communion being observed. The organist for the occasion was Ruby Ramsay Rouse of Toronto, accompanied with a soloist who contributed a few numbers, which were enjoyed by the large congregation. The altar was decorated with lilies, flanked with lighted candles which presented a pretty scene.

Easter services in United and Presbyterian Churches were well attended and special music was given by the choir.

At the evening service in the United Church, an Easter Pageant, "His Day of Triumph" was presented by members of Glee Club and C.G.I.T. group with their leaders, directed by Mrs. Dave Armstrong and Mr. Wm. Goad, director of the church choir, which was impressive throughout. During the service, Rev. Mr. Erwin offered prayer. Rev. John W. Oliver, pastor, conducted the service.

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Preceding the play, "O Canada" was sung, and announcements concerning the program were given out by Mr. John Freeman. Between acts, music was supplied by members of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bauer's family, trombone and cornet duet by Martin Bauer, Jr., and Thelma Thatcher; piano and violin duet by Mr. and Mrs. Bauer.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Wm. Pinkney and members of the family in the passing of Mr. Pinkney in his 80th year, last Friday.

The funeral took place Monday with service at his late home, Rev. John W. Oliver conducting. A large number were present to pay their respects for one well known in the community, who before moving to the village from the farm on the fifth line was well known and also a member of township council.

Pallbearers were Messrs. Dave D. Gray, John Henderson, Charles Birge, Ernest Benham, Charles and Fred Oakes. The flower bearers were six young men, four of them grandsons of the deceased.

Numbers of floral wreaths bore silent testimony to the high esteem in which deceased was held. Besides his wife, he leaves to mourn his loss, three daughters, and one son, Bert, Mrs. Leonard McDougall (Helen), Mrs. E. Gillfillan (Edna), Mrs. Nelson Mino (Evelyn). Interment took place in Crown Cemetery, Puslinch.

Sunday, March 25th, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Day celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary. All members of family were present, except Roy of Toronto. Congratulations, Mr. and Mrs. Day.

Easter visitors who were noticed include: Miss Minnie Nickell, Toronto; Miss Enid McNabb, Toronto; Miss Reba McNabb, R.N. Sunnybrook Hospital, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Allan and family, Toronto; Mr. Don McArthur, Simcoe; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day and babe, Hamilton; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Greer, Milton; Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, and Mrs. Slack and family, Hamilton; and Mrs. Elizabeth McPhedran of Orangeville High School is home for Easter holidays.

Miss Mary Reid of the Public School staff here is spending the holidays at her home in Noval.

School closed for the Easter holidays last Thursday.

In connection with the passing of Mrs. Wm. J. Peal, she leaves to mourn her loss, Mrs. N. S. Alder, son, (Etta), Maidstone; Edward of Durham, N.H. U.S.A.; Harry of Hamilton, a son, George, predeceased her, also a brother, Joseph Hinan, Troy, and sister, Mrs. D. Bayne, Guelph.



ERNEST WESTY delivered the message at the Young People's Sunrise Service Easter Sunday morning. The service was held by the young people of all the Protestant churches.

ROCKWOOD R. Ramsay Rouse Organist for Easter

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Tentative Plans for Father, Son Night

Those who recall the smash-hit Father and Son Banquet last year, will be delighted to learn that plans are now under way for another of these popular annual events.

The function will again be sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. Club, whose intentions are to maintain the high standard of education and entertainment established in the past. Several outstanding personalities are on the prospective list as speakers and final selection will be made shortly. In addition, other special entertainment will be on the program.

PLEASE NOTE NOTICE OF SPECIAL SERVICES IN ACTON UNITED CHURCH Sunday, April 1st 11 a.m. - Annual Service of the Women's Missionary Society SPECIAL SPEAKER The Rev. Norman MacKenzie, M.A., an outstanding speaker, recently returned from China and now studying at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, for further service in China. 7 p.m. - The Willowdale Male Quartette A challenging sermon by Earl Leslie, McMaster University student in training for the Christian ministry. Subject: "I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ". Recorded music (our own choir and congregation) before the service. 8.30 p.m. - Inter-Congregational Fireside Hymns, Music, Pictures, Refreshments Offering for the Bible Society Sunday, April 8th 11 a.m. - Induction of Elders' Service of Holy Communion 7 p.m. - Service of Sacred Music by the Junior Choir SPECIAL FEATURES

HALTON COUNTY LIBERAL ASSOCIATION CONVENTION To Choose a Provincial Candidate will be held in TOWN HALL, MILTON on FRIDAY, MARCH 30th at 8.30 p.m. John James, M.P. for Durham GUEST SPEAKER Delegates only will Vote ALL ARE WELCOME KENNETH Y. DICK, Secretary JAS. C. CUNNINGHAM, President

This advertisement will appear in this space weekly Hockey O.H.A. INT. "A" 7TH GAME-IF NECESSARY FORT ERIE VS. MILTON CO-OPS SATURDAY, MARCH 31 - 9 P.M. ICE REVUE APRIL 6th 8.30 P.M. Presented by Hamilton Skating Club OVER 40 SKATERS Auspices Maple Leaf Group, Knox Church GET YOUR TICKETS EARLY MILTON ARENA