

LOCAL NEWS

Items for this column may be phoned to 174 or sent to The Free Press Office in Acton.

The highways have been remarkably clear for February.

Why can't the mailman ever bring us bills whose first name is dollar?

Ask Wednesday, the first day of Lent, is a week from next Wednesday.

St. Valentine is honored today—in a manner that might surprise the kindly old saint.

Wednesday was the most pleasant winter day yet this year with a warm sun sparkling on the drifts.

The death and funeral of our King will be events to be recalled many years from now as a part of the nation's history.

Mr. Don Force is now associated with the sales department of Force Electric Products Limited and will reside in Acton.

There are some changes this week—now we have Queen's highways. On Her Majesty's Service and Her Majesty's Forces.

A 10-year-old Toronto youth, George Pentiluck, was recaptured in the Rockwood district last week by a posse of guards after escaping from the Guelph Reformatory.

Requesting Reeve George Leslie was appointed Zone Director of the Ontario Agricultural Council when the organization met in Toronto on Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

One of the crippled children under the care of the Acton Rotary Club was reported making good progress at the regular Rotary meeting held in the Dominion Hotel Tuesday evening.

Some store windows have been very timely in their memorials to King George VI.

Winter seems to have a lot more weather than summer... quite a blizzard last Friday and Saturday.

A jaw Engineering of Acton are assisting in the manufacture of certain equipment engineered by Whiteo Enterprises of Toronto for the new Beaverlodge plant of Eldorado Mining and Refining.

The first singing of our national anthem since the death of King George VI surely seemed strange to everyone. Certainly no one could sing it absentmindedly or without thinking of the new young queen.

During the past week we have read of Westminster Hall, where the body of our late King is lying in state. This hall is not in Westminster Abbey, as may be thought, but in the Houses of Parliament close by.

Mrs. John A. Jewitt, who organized the Woman's Association of the United Church in the Halton Presbytery of the United Church, died recently at Dunnville. She lived at Trafalgar from 1923 until 1927 when her husband was in charge of that circuit.

What a variety of Valentines are in the mail to-day! The cent kind up to the fifty cent kind, the straightforward "Be Mine" kind and the flowery kind with a sachet, the ones for the only true Valentine and the others that tell the receivers that the senders wouldn't be their Valentines for all the snow in Alaska!

NASSAGAWEYA S.S. No. 7 W.M.S., Ladies Aid Hold Regular Meet

The W.M.S. and Ladies Aid of Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church held their regular meeting last week. Mrs. S. Robinson gave the first chapter of the study book, "Meet the South Americans" using the map to show the locations to be studied.

The ladies of Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church congregation are to meet with the Ebenezer Church ladies in the home of Mrs. H. Price for the World's Day of Prayer.

The farm forum was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kennedy on Monday evening. Plans were completed for the social evening in the school on review night. A lengthy discussion on "Are commodity groups doing the job?" was discussed by the two groups present.

The members were very interested in the topic told by Mr. and Mrs. F. Hetzel on "Silk worms, the feeding of them and how silk is made."

A memorial service for the late King George VI was held in Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Mr. John Wilson had the hydro turned on in his home last week.

Erin Road Estimate Totals \$54,700

A by-law providing for expenditures on township roads, bridges and culverts for 1952 totalling \$54,700 was passed by Erin township council at its meeting in Hillsburgh on February 4th. Designated for road construction was \$20,000; for bridges and culverts, \$4,000; for maintenance, \$20,000; for new machinery and repairs, \$3,000; and for miscellaneous, \$7,700.

As Charles L. McKinnon could not accept the appointment of solicitor for the township, R. R. Hungerford was appointed to the position.

The Reeve and Clerk were instructed to petition the minister of highways for the statutory grant on road expenditures of \$51,028.87, the total amount spent on roads in the township during 1951.

The collector was instructed to return the tax roll for 1951 together with all former rolls, with unpaid taxes, to the treasurer on or before March 1st.

Goldwin Burt was appointed delegate to represent Erin Township at meetings of the Grand Valley Conservation Authority.

Albert Wheeler, is the delegate from Erin Township to attend the next Credit Valley Conservation Authority meeting to be held in Georgetown.

A donation of \$10 was given to the Western Ontario District of the St. John Ambulance and \$25 to the Canadian Red Cross Society at Guelph.

Miss N. Anderson Addresses W.M.S.

The February meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Acton United Church was held in the Sunday School Room on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Bennett presiding.

After the opening and reports of the various committees, the worship service was conducted by Mrs. Peter Binnie. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Bert Mowat and prayed by Mrs. Hanna.

Miss Bennett introduced the speaker, Miss Nellie Anderson, who is on furlough from missionary work in British Guiana. Miss Anderson gave an inspiring address on her work there and took as her text, "Ye shall be witnesses unto Me."

Miss Mainprize moved a vote of thanks to the speaker. After the closing hymn and prayer by Miss Anderson, a social time was spent when Mrs. Binnie's group served refreshments.

Machangie News

Weather permitting, we will soon move outdoors to do our chores around the house, so let's catch up on those little faults we found indoors.

You can check those draughts around the windows with a little caulking compound, and a small investment in filling in between those ceiling joints with loose insulation will pay for itself in one year.

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COLLINS — Mr. and Mrs. George Collins, R. R. 1, Acton, are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Margaret Jeanette, at Milton Private Hospital, Tuesday, February 5, 1952, a sister for Frederick.

DIED

KENNEDY — At Peel Memorial Hospital on Thursday, February 7, 1952, Catherine (Kate) Kennedy, daughter of the late Alex and Jane Kennedy.

IN MEMORIAM

SCRIVEN — In loving memory of Frank and daughter Gertrude, who passed away February 14th, 1937 and February 21st, 1949. Gone but not forgotten. Always remembered by the family.

SNYDER — In loving memory of James Edward Snyder, died February 14, 1928; his wife, who died November 17, 1948; their son, William Edward, who died March 17, 1929 and their daughter, Alice M. Lawn, who died March 1, 1939. Lovingly remembered by Irene and Fred MacArthur and family.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chase wish to thank friends and neighbors for kind inquiries and cards sent to Tommy during his recent illness.

Mrs. Lawrence Williams wishes to thank sincerely her relatives, neighbors and friends for the gifts, cards and kind enquiries received during her illness in Acton and St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph.

Coming Events

This office cannot be responsible for conflicting dates of events.

St. Alban's Guild Spring Bazaar April 26th.

Bingo, Legion Hall, Wednesday, February 20th.

Fireside of the Bible Society, United Church, Sunday, February 24, 8.30 p.m.

Child Health Centre will not be held on Friday. Next clinic will be on Friday, February 29th.

Valentine Tea and Baking Sale, auspices Y. Ladies' Auxiliary, Saturday, February 16th in the Y.M.C.A.

Scout and Guide Mothers' Association have postponed their euchre from this Friday to February 14th, 8.30 p.m.

Euchre, Legion Hall, Thursday, February 21, 8.30 p.m. Auspices Legion Ladies' Auxiliary. Prizes, Lunch, 35c.

NOTICE — Owing to the King's funeral being held on Friday, February 15, the date in Brookville Hall will be postponed.

The social evening of St. Joseph's Church on February 14th has been postponed to Tuesday, February 19th. Cards and lunch, 35c.

Fashion Show, Acton Town Hall, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 20-21, 8.30 p.m., sponsored by Friendly Circle of the United Church.

Halton Jersey Club euchre and dance, Stewarttown Hall, Wednesday, February 20, Doris Hull's orchestra. Lunch provided. Admission 50c. Cards at 8.30.

Dance, Brookville Hall, February 22, 1952, sponsored by Brookville Junior Farmers. Remember the date. Give your Juniors a hand. Howie's Orchestra, admission 50c.

A 3-act play "Applesauce" will be presented in Ballinacraig Hall, Wednesday, February 20 at 8.30 p.m. by the Married Couples Group of First United Church, Galt, under the auspices of Churchill W.A.

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TOWN OF ACTON PROCLAMATION

DAY OF MOURNING

Whereas the Government of Canada has by proclamation appointed and set apart Friday the 15th day of February, 1952, as a public holiday to be observed as a day of general mourning for his late Majesty King George VI;

And whereas the council of the Corporation of the Town of Acton has thought it fit and proper that a Memorial Service be held in memory of our late most Gracious Sovereign;

These are therefore to request the citizens of the Town of Acton to observe the said day as a day of general mourning.

A MEMORIAL SERVICE is to be held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Acton at 11 a.m. on FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15th, 1952. It is requested that places of business close to observe a period of mourning from the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 12 o'clock noon, February 15, 1952. In testimony whereof I have at the request of council of the Town of Acton, signed this proclamation and caused the same to be made public this 12th day of February, 1952.

B. D. RACHLIN, Mayor
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