

LOCAL NEWS

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

The Georgetown Raiders defeated Elmira 6-4 in overtime Saturday in Georgetown.

An article written by Wes Fountain appeared in this month's issue of "Rod and Gun."

Some telephone services have still not been restored north of Acton in Erin township.

Casting has been completed and practices are being held for the annual public school operetta.

Annual meetings of church and other groups are the timely topic this week with many officers appointed.

J. R. Sprowl and sons are this week drilling a well for the new Acton Jersey Dairy building east of the third line.

Last week 43 girls went to Guelph for swimming instruction and 38 boys. The Y's men sponsor the weekly trips.

Hurt when he fell while skating Saturday, young Mac McIsaac suffered a broken nose and damaged his front teeth.

Bernie Freuler received a Hopalong Cassidy gun, belt and holster set from the Milko Company of Hamilton. The set was a lucky draw prize on their Saturday radio program.

Members of the Acton Arts and Crafts groups met twice this week to discuss future plans and courses. The meetings were held in the Y with program committee chairman Cliff Sutton in charge.

Working at Baxter Laboratories Monday evening, Sonny Rognavaldson unfortunately injured three fingers of his left hand, breaking one of them. After treatment, he was back at work Tuesday.

Children have had wonderful skating this week while pedestrians have had very poor walking. The youngsters have been able to skate all around their homes. Over the walks and grass. Although roads and sidewalks have been sanded, walking is still a difficult proposition.

At the annual meeting of the Guelph Presbyterial of the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, held in Guelph recently, Mrs. R. M. McDonald of Acton was elected press and historian convenor. Mrs. Roy Black of R. R. 1, Fergus, is president.

The Halton County police association have announced the names of the winners of the Christmas turkey draw and regret the announcement was not made earlier. These are: first, Sheldon Featherstone, R.R. 1, Milton; second, A. K. Murray, Hamilton; third, Charles Fieger, Oakville.

Bob Redfern, the Y secretary, is still at work but not able to take classes this week because of blood poisoning in his left arm. Sheila Paul is very capably directing classes in the meantime. Opening of the games room has been postponed until Mr. Redfern is able to resume his duties fully again.



NEIGHBORS NEWS, a CBC weekly Sunday morning broadcast will be given this week by G. A. and Jim Dills while the regular broadcaster, Don Fairbairn, attends a dairy convention in western Canada. This paper carried an editorial some time ago criticizing the type of material carried on broadcasts as not being representative of the small centres. A challenge was issued by Don and the editors broadcast this week. Don has promised to reciprocate by writing this paper's editorials in a few weeks. The broadcast is aired over CBL at 10.05 a.m. this Sunday morning.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, Etc.

BORN

SORENSEN - Mr. and Mrs. Eric Sorenson (nee Marie De Forest) are happy to announce the birth of a son at St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto on Tuesday, January 20.

BREEN - To Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Breen, R. R. 4, Acton, a son, Kevin Barry, in St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, on Friday, January 9, 1953. A little brother for Gail.

LOUTH - Constable and Mrs. G. Louth, Louth, Peterborough, wish to announce the birth of twin boys in St. Joseph's hospital, Peterborough, on Monday, January 19. Mother and babies fine.

JOHNSTON - Mr. and Mrs. D. Johnston, 132 Bower Ave., are very happy to announce the birth of their son, Barry Charles, at 15, 1953. A little brother for Darlene. Mother and baby just fine.

DIED

SILCOCK - On January 14, 1953, at Buenos Aires, E. Silcock, beloved father of Mrs. Gordon Beardmore.

LILLYCROP - At her home in Nassagaweya, Ontario, on Friday, January 16, 1953, Evelyn Pearson, beloved wife of E. A. Lillycrop and daughter of Mrs. O. E. Pearson, Milton, in her 41st year.

KENNEDY - At her residence, R. R. 1, Campbellville on Tuesday, January 22, 1953, Letitia Kennedy, daughter of the late George and Jane Kennedy, and dear sister of John, in her 88th year.

SMITH - At Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Toronto, on Saturday, January 17, 1953, Mary K. Smith, beloved daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Smith, formerly of Acton.

Resting at the Victor B. Rumley Funeral Home, Acton, until Tuesday noon. Service was held in St. Alban's Church at 2:00 o'clock. Interment Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

SWACKHAMMER - At Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, on Thursday, January 22, 1953, Margaret J. Swackhammer, formerly of Limehouse, daughter of the late David and Mary Swackhammer.

Resting at the Victor B. Rumley Funeral Home, Acton, until Saturday when funeral service will be held at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in Churchhill Cemetery.

PRUTER - At the Kitchener-Waterloo hospital on Thursday, January 15, 1953, Mary Pruter, wife of the late Christian Pruter, mother of Fred Pruter of Acton and the late Dr. H. J. Pruter, in her 93rd year (formerly a resident of Listowel).

Funeral service was held on Saturday at Listowel with interment in Fairview cemetery.

BRIMS - At his residence, R. R. 4, Acton on Monday, January 19, 1953, John Brims, husband of the late Margaret Sutherland, dear father of Isabel (Mrs. Cyril Engle), Georgetown and Jessie (Mrs. Gerald McLeod, at home), in his 68th year.

Funeral service was held from the Victor B. Rumley Funeral Home, Acton on Thursday at two o'clock. Interment Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

KINGSTON - On Thursday, January 15, 1953, after eight weeks' illness, Edward James Kingston, aged 73 years, beloved husband of Daisy M. Edwards, dear father of John, Glen, Morris, Ont. and Betty (Mrs. A. J. Creasey), of Acton.

Funeral service was held on Saturday, January 17 from the T. Little and Son Funeral Home, Galt, Ont. Interment Mount View cemetery, Galt.

SHARP - At the Women's College Hospital, Toronto, on Saturday, January 17, 1953, Margaret Ross Campbell of 80 Douglas Ave., Toronto (formerly of Limehouse, Ont.), wife of the late James Sharp, in her 97th year, dear mother of Mrs. Kate Irens, Colena, William, Duncan and the late Mary Sharp, sister of Mrs. John Pollock, Toronto and Mrs. Effie Nickell of Ruckwood, Ont. and William Campbell, Duluth, Minn.

Funeral service was held in Toronto Tuesday, with interment at Limehouse cemetery Wednesday morning.

Always remembered, Helen, Donald, Marian and Elsie Luxton.

GAMBLE - In loving memory of our dear parents, Edith Gamble who passed away December 18, 1943 and Edgar Gamble, who passed away January 27, 1948. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance last forever. Lovingly remembered by the family.

OAKLEY - In loving memory of dear Mother who passed away January 24, 1933, also dear Dad May 30, 1945. When twilight hours draw near And sunset flames the sky We think of you, our dear ones. And happy days gone by. Thoughts of you come drifting back. When our dreams to stay. When twilight ends the day Loving's remembrance is dear. Lovingly remembered by the family.

Remember the boxing 8 to 10 night in the Y.M.C.A. at 8 p.m. Admission 25c.

Valentine cards at Lorne School February 23 at 8:30 sharp. Prizes lunch and door prize 35c.

W. I. Eacker Balladad Hall Tuesday, January 27 at 8:45. Admission 35c. Good lunch and prizes.

Rockwood United Church. Men's Club presents Melody Fair directed by Mr. Campbell McArthur on Friday, January 23 at 8:15 p.m. Admission 50c and 25c.

The Scout and Guide Mothers' Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, January 27, at the Scout Hall at 8:30. All mothers are welcome.

Get your tickets early for the Mother and Daughter Banquet, Wednesday, February 11. Limited number available. Tickets may be obtained at Watson's Dairy Bar, Cooper's Drug Store, Y.M.C.A. or Y. Ladies' Auxiliary members.

WANT-ADS

LATEST TIME FOR INSERTION - 4 P.M. WEDNESDAY

RATES - No charge for announcements of Births, Marriages, Deaths and Engagements. In Memoriam 50c plus 10c per line for verses. Articles for Sale, Rent, etc. 2c a word. Minimum Cash 35c (if not paid until after insertion, 50c). Box No. to this office 15c additional. Coming Events: 10c per cent line, 50c minimum. Cards of Thanks - 50c.

For Sale

FOR SALE - Bell piano. Phone 577.

FOR SALE - Davenport, in good condition. Apply 90 Church St. Phone 354r.

FOR SALE - Console electric radio, in good condition, reasonable. Pair girls' white skates, size 5. Phone 463r.

FOR SALE - 11 York pigs, 11 weeks old. A. H. McPhedran, Rockwood, phone 90r21.

FOR SALE - Set of mechanic's snap-on tools, complete with tool box. New, never been used. Apply 69 Bower Ave. or phone 400.

FOR SALE - 1 pair boy's skates, size 2. Will exchange for girls', size 2. Also 1 Rogers car radio, 27 Main St., Acton, phone 332w.

FOR SALE - 1 Paper ensilage cutter, like new; 1 Cockshutt 1-row finisher row crop cultivator; 1 Farmall tractor, fully equipped, in A1 shape; 1 8N Ford, Lorne Garner Motors, Fergus Sales and Service, phone 452, Acton. a-27-2

ELEVATORS, Kelly Ryan Tractor, away on rubber, for bales, ear corn, grain, 24 to 44 ft. Price complete \$289 up. Everyone likes a bargain! See your dealer or call Xenon Company, Rockwood. Phone 159. a-29-3

FOR SALE - Beef by the quarter quantity of best cuts from front quarter; also fresh pork, whole or half; cured meat cuts; includes pick-up and delivery. Custom slaughtering done on beef and weekly sales. Arrangements made on order to F. Holmes and Son, phone 308m. a-27-4

FOR SALE - Apples, McIntosh, Spy, Delicious, etc. from truck in Acton on Friday afternoon, January 23. Priced from \$2.00-\$4.00 per bushel according to grade. Bring containers please. Picking Orchards, Burlington, At Milton on Saturday afternoon, January 24. a-27-4

FOR SALE - 1951 Ford Sedan, 1950 Mercury Sedan, 1949 Chev. Sedan, 1948 Oldsmobile Sedan, 1947 Monarch Sedan, 1947 McPherson Coach, 1946 Pontiac Sedan, 1941 Oldsmobile Sedan, 1941 Dodge Sedan, 1939 Dodge Sedan, 1939 Pontiac Sedan, 1939 Pontiac Coupe, 1938 Ford Coach, 1937 Dodge Coupe, 1932 Pontiac Coupe, 1947 Willys Jeep, 1931 Essex Coach. Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evenings, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. for car sales only.

FOR SALE

EARLY MOTORS - SALES AND SERVICE - Phone 519W - MILTON, ONT.

Births, Marriages, Deaths, Etc.

IN MEMORIAM

LUXTON - In loving memory of Rev. W. Gruer Luxton, called to Higher Service, January 22, 1952. "By their works ye shall know them."

Always remembered, Helen, Donald, Marian and Elsie Luxton.

GAMBLE - In loving memory of our dear parents, Edith Gamble who passed away December 18, 1943 and Edgar Gamble, who passed away January 27, 1948. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance last forever. Lovingly remembered by the family.

OAKLEY - In loving memory of dear Mother who passed away January 24, 1933, also dear Dad May 30, 1945. When twilight hours draw near And sunset flames the sky We think of you, our dear ones. And happy days gone by. Thoughts of you come drifting back. When our dreams to stay. When twilight ends the day Loving's remembrance is dear. Lovingly remembered by the family.

Remember the boxing 8 to 10 night in the Y.M.C.A. at 8 p.m. Admission 25c.

Valentine cards at Lorne School February 23 at 8:30 sharp. Prizes lunch and door prize 35c.

W. I. Eacker Balladad Hall Tuesday, January 27 at 8:45. Admission 35c. Good lunch and prizes.

Rockwood United Church. Men's Club presents Melody Fair directed by Mr. Campbell McArthur on Friday, January 23 at 8:15 p.m. Admission 50c and 25c.

The Scout and Guide Mothers' Association will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening, January 27, at the Scout Hall at 8:30. All mothers are welcome.

Get your tickets early for the Mother and Daughter Banquet, Wednesday, February 11. Limited number available. Tickets may be obtained at Watson's Dairy Bar, Cooper's Drug Store, Y.M.C.A. or Y. Ladies' Auxiliary members.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. Frank Gutierrez wishes to thank her many friends and neighbors for the lovely cards, gifts and many other acts of kindness during her stay in hospital. They will always be remembered.

We wish to thank all our kind friends and neighbors for their many kind expressions of sympathy and tributes extended during our recent sad bereavement.

The Guthrie Family My sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses and cards during my recent illness in hospital. I would like especially to thank those friends who arranged for transportation for Mrs. Coon and the family to make visits to the hospital. Bill Coon.

Hansen Encourages Native Art, Crafts

Beginning his address to the Acton Home and School Association Monday evening, Thor Hansen offered "all honor and congratulations" to Acton for the atmosphere of Canadianism in the new public school auditorium, where a crowd of about 75 had gathered to hear him.

"This is one of the few places I have been where the atmosphere of Canadianism has been carried through," said Mr. Hansen, who lectures regularly encouraging Canadian arts and crafts.

Mr. Hansen was introduced by Mrs. Jane Gamble, who explained he came to Canada from Denmark 23 years ago and has done much to stimulate local cultural achievement.

A large man with a booming voice, distinctive gait and a slight accent, Mr. Hansen said, "something is wrong not only in the state of Denmark but in the rest of the world, too." This was frustration, which could be overcome by an interest in handicrafts.

Happiness has its source in creative imagination, he said.

He told of hunting for Canadian souvenirs to send home to Denmark and finding only junk. He was both glad and sorry-sorry this country had not more to offer, and glad we had not made such cheap articles for them all made in Europe and Asia.

He said Canada imports eight to 12 million dollars worth of Canadian souvenirs a year.

He showed slides of needlepoint and quilt designs with Canadian subjects, and then the interior decoration of the British American Oil building in which he had developed a plan of decoration which included the native crafts of wood-carving, metalwork, block-printing, weaving, hooking and painting, all based on Canadian themes.

He was thanked by H. Hinton.

W. Wolfe was in charge of the meeting, which began with the secretary's report given by Mrs. H. Cripps and the treasurer's report by W. Ross.

It was decided to install a work-table in the kitchen.

Claude Cook was announced as chairman of the committee on a theatre night, with Mrs. K. Alger and Mrs. C. Sutton, H. Hinton and Mrs. H. R. Force are to act in an advisory capacity.

Attendance was taken of mothers and fathers with Mrs. Shirley Dills' morning kindergarten class winning the travelling picture.

Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue" played by G. Heard, was much enjoyed.

Coffee and cookies were served at the conclusion of the meeting.

Name Committee To Review Survey

The regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Children's Aid Society of the County of Halton was held in the Society Office, Milton on the evening of January 13 with nine members in attendance.

Mrs. W. A. Weaver, President, Burlington, presided when the meeting was opened with prayer.

Accounts for the month of December amounting to \$1,852.33 were passed for payment.

By resolution it was decided to contribute \$25.00 to the Harry M. Cassidy Memorial Research Fund and also to send \$10.00 to the Provincial Association of Children's Aid Societies to assist in the publication designated to interest university students in Children's Aid work.

It was decided to make an increase in the boarding rates, to foster mothers who are caring for the Society's wards.

The Advisory Committee, consisting of Mr. W. G. MacKenzie, Robinson and Dr. H. V. Cranfield, both of Oakville, and Mrs. Louis

OSPRINGS Mrs. G. Aitken Heads Ladies' Aid

Mrs. G. Aitken was hostess for the Ladies' Aid meeting on Wednesday evening, the president presiding. The meeting opened with the hymn "O Love Divine." The devotional and study book, "African Life Old and New" was taken up by Mrs. B. Bruce. The roll call was well responded to by 12 members.

Mrs. Matthews gave a report of the bazaar which is to be held at Guelph Market in March. The "Cent A Day Fund" was to be carried on for the following year.

A bale of clothing is being sent to the needy in Korea.

This being the annual meeting, the following officers were elected for 1953: president, Mrs. G. Aitken; vice-president, Mrs. Ward Bruce; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. G. Sunter; card convener, Mrs. Howard; program committee, Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. Harris and Mrs. Sinclair; pianist, Mrs. B. Bruce; lunch committee, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Struthers and Mrs. Bulloch; auditors, Mrs. Nicholson and Mrs. Bulloch.

The financial report was given by Mrs. Sunter which showed a very gratifying year had been held. A duet "God's Way is the Best Way" was rendered by Mrs. B. Bruce and Mrs. Wesley Bruce. A piano solo "Onward Christian Soldiers" was given by Mrs. Aitken and a reading by Mrs. W. Bruce. Scripture questions were taken by Mrs. Struthers.

The meeting was brought to a close with prayer, after which a lovely supper was served by the hostess, with Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Grundy assisting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baple and Mr. George Robertson attended the funeral of the late Mr. Woods Sr. in St. Catharines on Monday.

Mr. Woods was the father of Ernest Woods, who with his family resided on the farm now owned by Mr. Len Buck on the highway.

W. I. Eacker Party - Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Avey were hosts on Thursday evening for the Institute euchre party. Six tables were in play with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Barry Clark and Mr. Norman McKenzie for high scores. The lucky chair prize was won by Mrs. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McKenzie assisted the hosts in serving delicious refreshments at the close.

Sunday visitors with Mr. R. Hunter included Mrs. Thelma Pettinger, Mr. Wilfred Dunn, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Craig and Joan of Georgetown.

Miss Shirley Grundy entertained several of her friends on Monday on the occasion of her 15th birthday. Skating and games were enjoyed followed by a beautiful supper served by Mrs. Grundy.

J. Lee and Mrs. W. A. Weaver, of Burlington was requested to review the report on the County Survey covering the needs of Child Welfare, presented to the Provincial Department.

After the meeting adjourned the members were treated to coffee and sandwiches by Mrs. Weaver and Mrs. Lee.

Arts and Crafts

OFFER THE FOLLOWING COURSES TO ALL LADIES INTERESTED

PLAIN SEWING
KNITTING
CROCHETING
SHELL WORK
ASSEMBLING LEATHER ARTICLES
SMOCKING
RUG HOOKING

ARTS AND CRAFTS MEMBERSHIP FEE - \$1.50

Instruction for each course will be from 25c to 50c per class

If interested in any of these courses please cut this ad out and return to

BOX 100 ACTON FREE PRESS

with course marked and name and address

A membership fee in the Y.M.C.A. is not required for these courses

MR. 2 BY 4 BY "COON" VAREY

NEW Ripple Blend

FOR STUNNING ROOM BEAUTY

Lumber, hardware, wall-board, lathing - just name it and we have it - and more reasonable than you ever imagined. We specialize in better building items for better building. Tell us your problem and we'll help you figure out your needs.

YES!

If its insulation we have top quality at the right price

We carry in stock at all times

WALLBOARD
BATTS
SHEETS
BAGS

It is never too late to insulate

SAVE FUEL NOW

Approximate price for Ceiling Tile Board and Finish Plank for Ceiling and Walls of 10' x 12' Room.

\$69.50

CELOTEX Insulating INTERIOR FINISHES

See Ripple Blend - exclusive new color and texture surface on Celotex Tile Board and Finish Plank! Now, more than ever, it's Celotex insulating Interior Finishes for beautiful low-cost interiors. Ideal for a recreation room - any room in your house. Remember as they build and decorate, these board products insulate, providing greater year-round living comfort, with reduced fuel bills!

NO EXPOSED NAILHEADS

Celotex "T" Joint on Tile Board and Finish Plank hides nailheads and insulates seams securely, neatly.

ACTON WOODCRAFTS

THE BEST IN LUMBER & BUILDING MATERIALS

PHONE 149 ACTON, ONT.

Want Ad Page: Where Old Friends Meet

NOTICE

The Annual Meeting of THE ACTON FALL FAIR will be held in the Council Chamber at Acton on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 24th, 1953 At 2:30 P.M. BUSINESS - Receiving Directors to meet at 2:00 o'clock. Receiving the Annual Report of the Auditors. Election of Officers and Directors for 1953. Transaction of such other business as may be necessary.

GEO. WALLACE, President.
C. B. SWACKHAMMER, Sec.