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By this means you can do much to make sure that your youngsters will have every chance to earn a good living when they start their own career or when your farm is passed on to them. If you can't manage to set aside the whole cheque, try to bank at least a part of it regularly. You'll find the practice will pay off in the future. So, next time you receive your Family Allowance cheque, why not drop into the B of M and open a savings account in your youngster's name. When you do that, you'll be building security and opportunity into his or her future—and that gives any parent a wonderful feeling!

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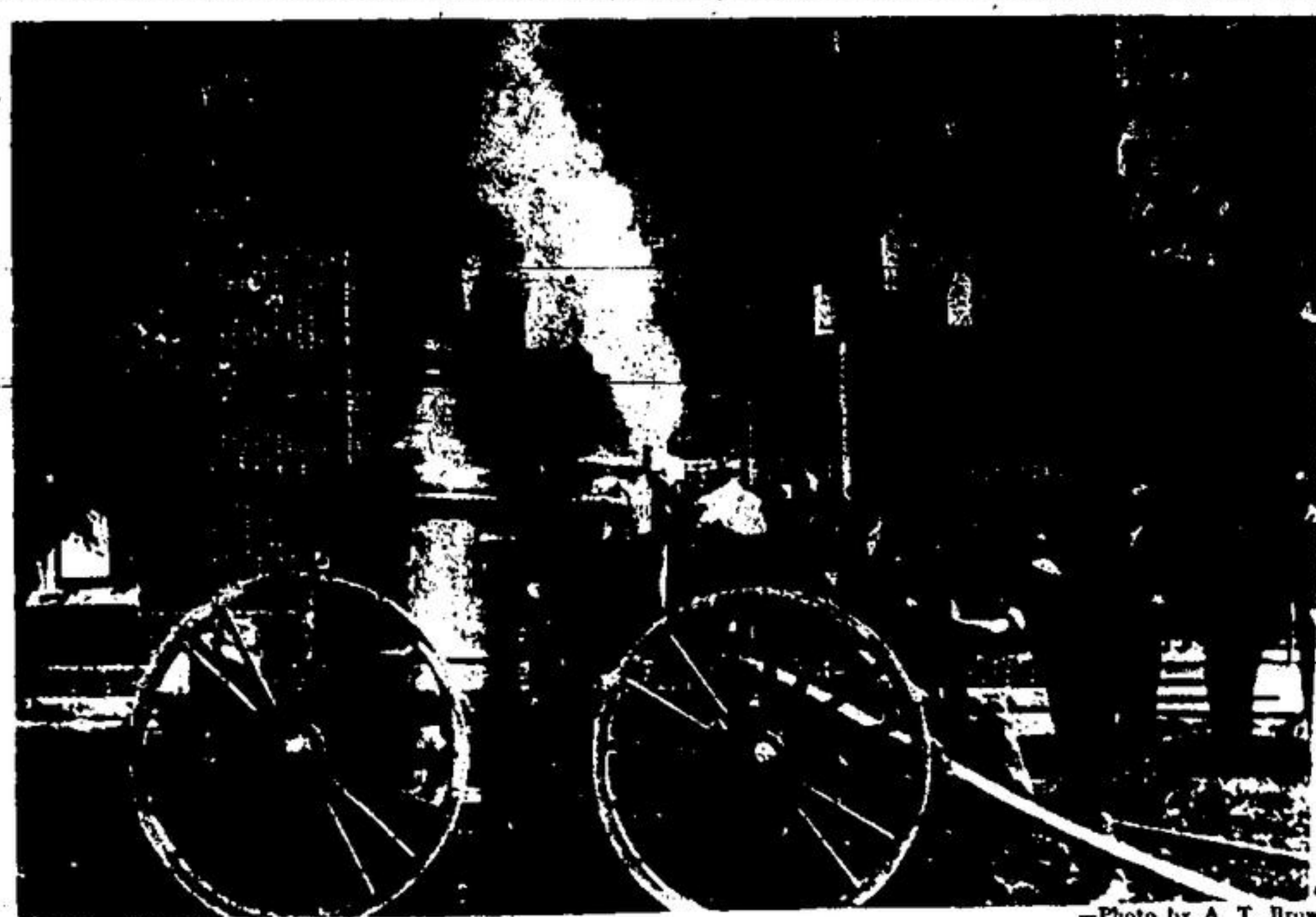
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TALES ON TINTYPES



—Photo by A. T. Brown

Back in 1898 the steam fire engine pictured above was Acton's pride and joy in fire protection. The last big fire it served at was the big Beardmore fire in 1924. Many of us recall that the sirens thrown from the steam fire pumper were bigger than what emerged from the town's newly completed water-works system of that time.

The fire pumper purchased by the village in the 90's was kept until the last war when there was a need for scrap and the equipment was sold. The steam pumper gave efficient service and its chief handicap was the delay in getting water on the fire.

OBITUARY

Former Resident Interred at Acton

Rev. R. H. Armstrong conducted funeral service in Acton on Wednesday, May 20 for Helen Mae Skippen, the former Helen Barber, who died May 17 in Kitchener-Waterloo hospital. Friends from Toronto, Huntsville, Stratford, Kitchener, Georgetown, Shequandah, Gore Bay, St. Marys, Hamilton, Woodstock, Milton and Acton attended the service which preceded interment in Fairview cemetery, Acton. The late Mrs. Skippen attended Acton public and continuation school, Humberstone Collegiate in Toronto and Stratford Normal school. She taught school in Gore Bay until she was married in November, 1935, at Espanola. At the time of her death, she was living in Kitchener. Mrs. Skippen was active in the work of the church and W.A. at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Stratford. Mrs. Skippen had been ill for a few years.

Pallbearers were Allan D. Leishman, Huntsville; Norman Richards, Stratford; Orrie Lamb, Acton; Robert Appel, Stratford; Kitchener Manning, Stratford; and Newton Hurst, Acton. The many floral tributes attesting to the esteem in which Mrs. Skippen was held, were from the following: Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Appel and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber, family, Mr. Jim McCaig and Jeannie, Marg and Toots, Mrs. John K. Leishman, Mrs. D. Gage and Pat, The Newell family, Imperial Oil Ltd., Hamilton District Management, Ivan and Neil Purvis, Mr. Levard, Mr. Gibbons, Mr. McLean, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Justian, Mr. and Mrs. Kitch Manning, Don and Ellen McQuarrie and family, Mary and Clarence Purvis, Rita and Bill Smith, Dr. and Jean Kinds, Cameron and Jean Leishman, Allan and Hazel Leishman and family, students Gore Bay high school, the Hurst family, Imperial Oil "Staff" Kitchener, Mrs. Gage and Rae, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Richards and Mrs. Richards, Uncle Allan Leishman, Mr. and Mrs. Don McFadden, Mary Foxy and Echo McDougall, Mrs. J. Slater, Miss A. Lillfoot, Mrs. W. Scourie, the Steele family, Eleanor and Elwood McCulloch, Harry and Phil Watson management and staff Imperial Oil Ltd., Ontario Marketing Division, Mr. and Mrs. George Skippen.

Surviving Mrs. Skippen are her husband, N. J. Skippen, a son George Barber Skippen and a daughter Nancy Gale Skippen, a brother, John L. Barber, Georgetown and a sister Jean Barber, Gore Bay.

Poet's Corner

A FARMER'S WIFE
By Mary Ellen Varley

I see you in the fields my dear,
I see you all day long,
And watching you and loving you,
My heart is filled with song.
And as the eventide draws near
The farm is hushed and still,
I waiting, see the sun sink low
Beyond the furthest hill.

Tis now I hear your steps ring clear
Across the long, old porch,
In your arms, our love complete,
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"FIRST AID FOR APPLES" or "a tonic for tomatoes" could describe the work carried out in C-I-L's new soil-testing laboratory at Montreal as a free service to farmers. For sick plants and poor yields are usually the result of a deficiency of one or more essential plant foods in the soil. Chief soil chemist, Jean Leclerc, points out that soils can vary greatly even in one locality, says Chambly County, Quebec has some 30 types.

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