

# LOCAL NEWS

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

Planting has been seriously delayed by the heavy rains of the past few weeks.

Don't forget that there will be no issue of the paper on Thursday, July 9, when the staff has its annual week's holiday.

Decorations for the Coronation celebration have been left up this week in many cases, giving a gay air to the main streets.

The strenuous sound in town Tuesday shortly after 7 p.m. was not a call to a fire, as many thought, but the mutual fire aid demonstration held in Milton that evening.

A member of the Willowdale Rotary club, present at the regular meeting of the Acton club this week, extended an invitation for a golf match. A team of local golfers plans to meet the Toronto district club shortly.

Members of the Friendly Couples club of the Acton United church and their families enjoyed a picnic on Sunday at the Elora Rocks. About 10 car loads of members and families participated in the event that climaxed the winter season.

A well is being drilled this week at the Micro Plastics plant.

A number of ladies of the Women's Missionary Society of the United church attended the W.M.S. meeting in Ebenezer church on Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Houston of the Cedarvale Girls' school at Georgetown was guest speaker.

Dublin W. I. won the rug competition sponsored by the Halton Tea Company at the Halton District Annual held in Trinity United Church, Burlington, on Friday. Mrs. W. Frank received the cheque on behalf of the Institute and made a very suitable reply. The rug will be entered in further competition at the Area Convention in Guelph this fall.

Special features at this year's Halton Federation of Agriculture school day will be the baby show, school champion or school all-star team competitions, races, games, old time fiddler and horse shoe pitching contest, etc. The field day, being held next week at the Community Centre, Lowville, will begin at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, rather than 10 a.m. as in former years.

## NOTICE OF POWER INTERRUPTION

There will be a power interruption on  
**SUNDAY, JUNE 14th**  
from 1 o'clock until 2.30 o'clock  
DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME  
This will affect the town of Acton and all rural areas fed by the town of Acton.  
H.E.P.C. OF ONTARIO

## AUCTION SALE

ACTON Y'S MEN'S CLUB  
will present  
ANNUAL COMMUNITY AUCTION IN SEPTEMBER  
but are currently gathering  
articles for the sale  
Any saleable article - furniture, clothing, stoves, refrigerators, sports equipment, poultry, live stock will be gladly received. A scrap metal department is added this year.  
For pick-up call headquarters Acton 230

## There's a movie you'll want to see at the

FAMILY STYLE ENTERTAINMENT  
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CONTINUOUS SHOWS NIGHTLY FROM 7 P.M.  
MATINEES SATURDAYS AND HOLIDAYS AT 2 P.M.

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WARNER BROS. PRESENT  
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STORMING SEAS AND SHORE IN FEATS NEVER SCREENED BEFORE!  
EXTRA! Short Subject and Technicolor Cartoon

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ADDED: Short Subject - News - Technicolor Cartoon

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## Births, Marriages, Deaths, Etc.

**BORN**  
HITCHEY Mr. and Mrs. H. Hitchey, 192 Main St., Acton, are happy to announce the birth of their son, David Henry, at the Nursing Home, Acton, on June 4th, a little brother for Robert Malher and son both well.

**DECEASED**  
BROWN - Suddenly at his late residence, 46 Whitney Place, Kitchener, Ont., on Monday, June 8, 1953, Norman Karl Brown, beloved husband of Beattie Cook, dear son of G. Herbert Brown of Acton, brother of H. Le Roy of Toronto, Cecil P. of Inlington and Albert W. Brown of Kitchener, age 55 years.  
Funeral service was held Thursday in Kitchener, Interment Memory Gardens.

**IN MEMORIAM**  
GARVIN - In memory of our lovely, Miss Margaret Garvin, who passed away June 12, 1952. The Making Department, Storey Glove Co.

**CARDS OF THANKS**  
Mr. Andrew Johnston and family wish to thank relatives, friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and sympathy in their recent bereavement. Special thanks to Rev. H. Price and V. H. Humley and staff.  
The family of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Kerr would like to thank friends, neighbors and relatives for their many acts of kindness, cards of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, with special thanks to pallbearers, flower bearers, Rev. H. Armstrong and V. H. Humley, in their recent bereavement.  
I wish to thank the kind relatives, friends and neighbors. Helped in many ways by kindness, messages of sympathy and floral tributes, also doctors, nurses and staff of the Guelph General Hospital and London hospital for kindness during the illness and passing of our loving husband and father.  
Mrs. Effie Thompson and family

**Coming Events**  
This office cannot be responsible for conflicting dates of events.  
St. Alban's Guild Fall Bazaar, October 30 and 31.  
Keep June 25 open for Ballinafad W.I. Spent by Social and Euchre Party.  
Euchre, St. Joseph's Church Hall, Friday, June 12, Admission 35c. Ladies serve. Aspires Catholic Women's League.  
Dance Huttonville Park, Wednesday, June 24th. Sponsored by Norval Junior Farmers. Modernaires Orchestra. Admission 75c.  
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**FOR SALE**  
Solid red brick house, seven rooms, hardwood floors, excellent location. Terms reasonable. Mrs. J. C. Matthews, telephone 204.  
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**FOR SALE**  
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LATENT TINK FOR INSERTION - 4 P.M. WEDNESDAY  
--- RATES ---  
No charge for announcements of Births, Marriages, Deaths and Engagements  
In Memoriam 50¢ plus 10¢ per line for verbiage. Articles for Sale, Rent, etc. 2¢ a word. Minimum Cash 50¢ (if not paid until after insertion, 100¢). Box No. to this office 15¢ additional. Coming Events: 10¢ per count line, 50¢ minimum. Cards of Thanks - 50¢.

**For Sale**  
FOR SALE - Good buckwheat. Phone 5115 Rockwood.  
FOR SALE - 3 three-quarter size beds, also washing machine. Phone 394.  
FOR SALE - Wine Sunning prams in good condition. Phone 1410.  
FOR SALE - Williams piano, in good condition, \$50.00. Phone 23-12 Acton.

**Wanted**  
DEADWOOD removed from your farm promptly for military disposal. Telephone Collect Georgetown 11 or Guelph 594.  
GORDON YOUNG LIMITED

**WANTED** - Young man or woman aged 18 and up with two years high school, for position in banking. Apply to the Manager, Royal Bank, Rockwood, Ont. a-49-3

**WANTED** - Married men who must make \$75 weekly, must be type who can work without watching the clock and generally ambitious. If you can qualify, this is steady Must own a car. Write Box 50 Free Press.

**TENDERS WANTED**  
Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned to 1200 tons of paint for the interior of the interior hall and washrooms and the exterior of Acton High School, also one classroom in Acton Public School. Work to be commenced by July 18. Lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted. W. Middleton, sec.-areas, Acton Public School Board.

**YOUNG MEN**  
Between the ages of 18 and 25 for training as Sub-station operators. These positions offer the advantages of a Pension and Insurance and Sickness Plan and 40 hour work week. Only single applicants with matriculation education can be considered. Applications stating age and education should be addressed to: H.E.P.C. of Ontario, Attn: Personnel Officer, Terminal Building, Hamilton, Ont. a-49-3

**BROILER GROWERS WANTED**  
We need broiler growers and can give you a deal that will make you money. Here is a report from one of our growers who raised 2500 New Hampshire cockerels and sold them at 10 weeks, best conversion 2.8, profit per bird 43 cents. You can do the same. We guarantee a floor price at the time you purchase your chicks. Birds weighed at your nearest Municipal scale picked up. We have one of the best deals you can get anywhere.  
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**FOR RENT**  
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**Miscellaneous**  
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## SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION CONFERRED ON 32 BY BISHOP RYAN

His Excellency Joseph F. Ryan, Bishop of Hamilton, made his Episcopal visitation to St. Joseph's Church on Tuesday evening and conferred the Sacrament of Confirmation on 32 candidates. He was accompanied by his secretary, Father Paul Reding, visiting clergy for the occasion included Father A. S. Callaghan of Rockwood, Father John Walsh of Guelph, Father Francis Morgan of Kitchener and Father Philip Lardie of Milton.

Holy Name men of St. Joseph's parish, Acton, and Holy Cross, Georgetown, formed a guard of honor for the Bishop from the rectory to the church. The procession was led by the altar boys, carrying the processional crucifix and the acolytes.

Father Morgan met the Bishop at the church entrance and conducted him to the sanctuary, while the choir sang "Ecce Sacerdos Magnus." Following singing of the verses and responses by the clergy, Bishop Ryan sang the oration of the patron saint of the church, St. Joseph, and gave his blessing to the assembled gathering.

Father Morgan welcomed His Excellency on behalf of himself and both parishes. In responding, Bishop Ryan congratulated the pastor and parishioners on the beauty of the newly decorated church. He gave an inspirational address on vocations to the priesthood and sisterhood and stressed the great need for more vocations because of the tremendous growth of the Church in Canada. He also spoke

briefly on Catholic Acton and congratulated the children being confirmed on their sound knowledge of the Catechism.

The Sacrament of Confirmation was administered to the following: Paul Coles, Martin Marks, Raymond Brada, Chester Lewandowski, Leonard Zion, Michael Bennett, Theresa Arbie, Edith Francosato, Judith Sargent, Pierrette Riddley, Patricia Barr, Denise Riddley, Marie Cole, Avelina Rocher, Helen Brankiewicz, John McHugh, Mrs. M. Bennett, Mrs. H. Coles, Mrs. E. McGilloway and Mrs. K. Papillon, all of Acton, and Larry Hawes, Barry Jeffrey, John Cummins, Leo Tucker, Allan Beaney, Joan Cummins, Brenda Hawos, Kathleen McGrath, Linda Beatty, Mrs. G. Wilcox, Mrs. J. Milton and Miss M. Wingfield, of Georgetown.

The girls being confirmed were dressed all in white, with white dresses, veils and wreaths. The boys wore white arm bands and boutonnieres in the lapel. Following confirmation, all recited together the Lord's Prayer, Hail Mary and Creed.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was given by His Excellency, assisted by Father Callaghan, a deacon; Father Lardie, sub-deacon; the pastor and visiting clergy.

Special music for the ceremony was provided by the church choir and the altars were beautifully decorated with spring flowers for the occasion.

## SPRING FLOWER SETTING FOR CHURCH WEDDING

Baskets of lovely spring flowers decorated Knox Presbyterian church for the wedding on Saturday, June 6, of Ruth Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Smith and William T. Watkins son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Watkins, Acton. Rev. R. H. Armstrong officiated. Miss Ethel Franklin played the wedding music and Miss Margaret Campbell, Long Branch, was soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white lace and net over satin. Her fingertip veil of tulle illusion was caught to a crown of seed pearls and satin and she carried a bouquet of red roses and lily of the valley.

Miss Frances Jones, Long Branch, was maid of honor wearing a glazed cotton floor length gown of green. Miss Peggy Oakes, bridesmaid, wore a floor length gown of yellow glazed cotton.

Ann Watkins, sister of the groom, was junior bridesmaid and wore pink. All had matching accessories and carried bouquets of roses.

Gloria Heron, niece of the bride, wore pink and carried a basket of roses.

Best man was Grant Withers and ushers were Robert Holmes and Dennis Smith.  
The reception was held in the church hall and later the couple left on a motor trip to U.S.A. For going away the bride changed to a pink suit with pink accessories and corsage of orchids.  
Friends were present from Cleveland, Brockville, Kitchener, Long Branch and Toronto.

## CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS WITH MUSIC, DANCING

About 50 guests from Acton, Guelph and Campbellville were present Saturday evening, June 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McIsaac, R. R. 4, Acton, to participate in birthday celebrations for Miss Gladys and Master Allan McIsaac. Music and dancing were the main features of an enjoyable evening.

Miss Gladys McIsaac welcomed her many friends on behalf of herself and her brother. A delightful lunch was served by the hostess and her helpers and dancing concluded the event.

## OBITUARY

### Was Well-Known In Erin Township

Alexander Thompson, well known farmer and resident of Erin township, died in London hospital, Sunday, May 17, in his 75th year, following a short illness of two months. He was the son of the late Joseph Henry Thompson and Sarah McLean. Mr. Thompson lived in the area all his life and was a member of Burns' Church, Erin.

He was married to the former Effie McEachern, who survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Ada (Mrs. R. B. Kirkwood), Erin township; Annie (Mrs. Bert Fowler), Toronto; one grandchild, Bobby Kirkwood; three brothers and one sister, Harry of Flesherton, William of Acton, Angus on the farm, lot 6, con. 4, Erin and Jamie (Mrs. S. J. McCutcheon), Erin. He was predeceased by three brothers, Jack, Arthur and Comfort and two sisters, Annie and Tena.

The funeral service was held from his late residence on Wednesday, May 20 and was conducted by his pastor, Rev. A. H. Vair.

Pallbearers were George Binnie, Leslie Hotchen, William Kirkwood, Kenneth Kirkwood, Joseph Musgrove and Fred McLaren. Flower bearers were Comfort Thompson, Ernie Thompson, Ronnie McEachern, Ray Thompson and Elliott McDowell.

Floral tributes were received from the following: Mrs. W. H. Adams and R. B. Kirkwood, Annie and Bert Fowler, grandson Bobby; Mary and Norman McLean; Mary and Herb McEachern, Edith and Norman McEachern, Laura and Wilfred McEachern, Jennie and Jack McEachern, Angus and Rollie McEachern, William and Elva Thompson, Angus and Margaret Thompson, Prudence and Charles Mason, Kay and Les Hotchen and family; Mr. and Mrs. George Binnie; Young family; Miss Irene Young, Georgetown; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson; Catherine and Bella Rossell, Mary and Russell Patterson, A. V. Roe Electrical Department.  
Interment was in Erin cemetery.

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