

TWO WERE KILLED and six injured in the car-truck crash pictured in hospital. The driver of the car declared he could not see a stop above. Ernest Sigsworth, 43, of Acton, driver of the truck, lost his sign for a rural mail box. The accident occurred on No. 24 highway life in the accident Monday, and one of the six teen-age passengers at the Belfountain sideroad. The injured received treatment at Lord in the car, Miss Cynthia McKee of Orangeville died five hours later Dufferin Hospital, Orangeville.

# County Council Meeting Bell Rep. Declares Handles Routine Business

Routine business and consideration of communications were the to the members of Lakeside Chapchief concern of Halton County council during the shortest session of the year last Tuesday afternoon. Esquesing Township council requested the county to take over about a mile and a half of road which divides Gordon Ambrose of Guelph. Chinguacousy and Esquesing townships. It was explained a certain portion of the road was now a county road but the balance was in need of repair. Esquesing members felt the road might have better attention if it was declared a county road. It was agreed the communication should be filed until the first of next year, when the new council could include the expenditure in the 1954 estimates.

**Y Opens Friday** 

Over 60 heard Y secretary Dick

The October meeting of St A!

were chosen

Two communications were received from Trafalgar township council, pointing out problems on the seventh line and a lumber pile stored close to the county road at the C.N.R. crossing at Bronte. Members were informed the stop signs on the seventh line and highway 5 intersection were not in a good location and it was considered if it would be wise to erect a third of larger proportions. Reeve Emerson Ford, Trafalgar, said there were a number of near accidents and in come cases, motorists were on the highway before they realized it. The county road committee is to investigate the matter, with a departmental engineer. Some felt that some of the signs should be raised to provide better visibility.

Lumber stock-piled close to the second line at the Bronte railway crossing. obscuring eastbound trains, was the second complaint said as this is a county road, his council felt something might be done to have the owner, the Mid- truck collision in which Ernest Addresses W.M.S. way Lumber Co., move the pile Sigsworth of Acton also lost his back. Reeve L. MacArthur, Oak- life. The 17 year-old girl was ville, pointed out this area was with a party of five other teenzoned as industrial and wondered what the county could do to prevent the owner constructing a curred on No. 24 highway at the factory building up to the line Belfountain sideroad. fence. Members felt it was a matter for Trafalgar council to deal with, possibly having an interview with the owner and requesting him not to stock-pile the lumber so close to the road allowance. Mcmbers were also reminded the crossing in question was protected with a signal system to warn motorists

of an oncoming train. Members were reminded the Schmull tell of plans for the seasdrive to have hospital accounts re- on ahead at the opening night of duced has been successful, as the the YMCA last Friday Both accounts a year ago were consider- children and adults inspected the ably higher. Council approved a alterations and renovations madrecommendation that the treasurer during the summer registered and render hospital accounts quarterly saw a f.lm on England in the to the various munic.palities lounge. Reeve MacArthur felt it would g.v. Mr. Schmull outlined the prothe municipalities a better oppor- gram planned and told of some turnity to possibly collect some of high ghis these accounts. In the past their The group with the most regist county billed the various manacip- ration is the jun it boys

alities yearly. The question of reviewing the Y Ladies' auxiliary county assessor's salary was dis- : During the summer the wast cussed briefly after deputy-reevel rooms have been moved down-Robert Macshall reported on salar- stairs into the room used at one ies received by assessors of other time by the senior arts and crafts' neighboring counties. Council felt group. There is a new meeting it should await a further recom- room upstairs. The roof has been mendation from the assessment tarred and halls painted The Y's committee, when it had an oppor- Men's club has donated \$900 totunity to study the question ward the renovations.

Council instructed the clerk to prepare an amending by-law to establish the remuneration of mem- St. Alban's Guild bers of the County Court of Revision. Warden George Leslie told Selects Conveners to receive the same remuneration as council members, but this had been overlooked last year. ban's Guild was held in the Parish

welcomed E. R. Pearen as deputy- 35 members present The vice-presreeve of Milton, to members of dent, Mrs G Hargrave presided council For the balance of the Mrs C Cook, secretary read the Mrs. Harold Brown were guests at Twere riding. Mr. McDonald was ship. term he replaces B C McKerr minutes of the preceding meeting the wedding. who recently resigned from that and the treasurer Mrs. J Newton office. Council adjourned to meet gave the financial report. again on November 10.

After a film on "Telephone Courtesy" was shown, Acton's Bell Telphone Company representative, Miss Connie Hurlbut, spoke ter I.O.D.E. at their regular meeting in the Legion Hall Tuesday evening. The film was shown by

The film showed the importance of telephone manners in business offices. Miss Hurlbut made several suggestions and answered questtimes a day, she said, and doesn't G. Barbeau mean a thing. She suggested answering the phone with your num- and School Association are to be ber, especially on rural lines, or held at the public school on the with your name. Saying "Hello" third Monday of each month. takes precious seconds, especially It was decided that, in addition to BI - MONTHLY SEUCHRE the number you want. These ar' stred

Jacque.

aret Armstrong read an article on yet to be nominated. maritime economics.

LIMEHOUSE

McKenzie.

### registered by Trafalgar. The reeve CYNTHIA McKEE of Orangeville Rev. J. Sutherland was killed in the Monday car-

bellville was guest speaker at the Batkin with 18 present and Mrs. all members present. agers when the fatal accident octhe home of Mrs. H. Norton, Havian Council of Churches, he outlined points of a lecture by Dr. Goodall there, telling of the need for work and the sort of missionaries required in India, of the first musionary and of the origin of our societies and of our responsibility to-day.

Recent Visitors Mills of Toronto were with Mr. J E Whitelock of Milton, who road accounts, \$4,42876. and Mrs Mills, Mas Norma Lane Mr and Mrs farm problems; he showed s'des of \$19.500, being the full contract mated number of customers dom- were Bill Mainprize, Doug David-

with Mrs Ellerby over the no day discussion after the meeting was. Claims for foxes destroyed in domestic 220; commercial 40 Mr and Mrs. Leslie Campbell of enjoyed by all Hamilton with the Norton's and Hostesses for the afternoon were Limehouse 1, \$6. John Ruddell (Rockwood Distributing Station)- and forth to semions Refreshments were served by the

> Geary's. Mr. and Mrs Ralph Turner and Paul Mr. and Mrs. S. Kirkpatrick Three Are Injured

Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Bourne visited in the Ottawa district for a few days a week ago. Mr. and Mrs Fred Briggs and children spent Thanksgiving in

Toronto. Mrs. A. C. Patterson and Joy

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown thee Saloma Bowman) Warden Leslie introduced and Hall, Wednesday, October 7, with Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brown the Harry Brown family. Mr. and

3.700 persons.

# Season's Conveners For H and S Chosen

The Acton Home and School Association held its first executive meeting of the season at the public school Thursday, October 6. J. W. Wolfe presided and there were nine members present. The resignation of Mrs. E. Dawkins was accepted. Plans were made for the annual Over 50 attended the meeting | kindergarten tea to be held Thurspresided over by regent Mrs. Mary day (today) with Mrs. R. Bean as convener.

Conveners were chosen for the season as follows: program, G. Candler, E. Smith; lunch, Mrs. H. Elhott; publicity and membership, ions, "Hello" is said 70 million Mrs J Hurst; grade mothers, Mrs.

The regular meetings of the Home

on long distance calls, she stressed the Dr. Garrett picture award for She emphasized the importance record attendance at the Home and HELD BY MEN'S CLUB of saying "three" and "please" School meetings, the winning class clearly when telling the operator would receive \$2 to be spent as deoften difficult to distinguish s'c.

mittee, Mrs. D. Price, Mrs. H. ey; men's consolation, Mrs Dunn. It was decided to send delegates Cripps, Mrs. J. Hurst, Mrs. R. Bean, to the semi-annual meeting. During Mrs G. Barbeau, G. Candler, G. Me- I. Harris, the business meeting. Mrs. Marg. Kenzie, E. Smith and one member

## SILVER-WOOD

## J. E. Whitelock Shows Group Slides

Rev. James Sutherland of Camp- ute met at the home of Mrs. Ern council Monday, October 5, with W.M.S. thankoffering meeting at Harry Marchington, second vice- Reeve George Leslie presided. president, in the chair. It was a Minutes of the last meeting were ing been a delegate at the Canad- thanksgiving meeting - members read and adopted and correspondanswered the roll call by telling ence read and dealt with.
something for which they were The following accounts were Told of Changeover. answered the roll call by telling ence read and dealt with. thankful; there was a Thanksgiving passed for payment: Georgetown of Thanksgiving."

Miss Betty Yake and Miss Helen Canadian Industry" and introduced Hoskin, \$883; A. W. Benton, \$4, over operations is as follows: Saturday evening Ernest West gave an interesting and instructive Bickle - Seagrave Ltd., Wood- sion-Last week in February 1955 Young Peoples'. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lane and talk on soil water conservation and stock is to be paid the sum of to third week of June 1955 esti- Others attending from Acton Ted Marrow and Elame of Toronto, his trip to the States a year ago price for fire pumper. The account estic 7400; commercial 860 and to the Ottawa Experimental of Dale and Bennett re annexat- Rockwood Hydro-Electric Sys- Ken Mann and Jim Green. Miss Marien Hall of Stayner was farm two years ago. The informal ion of \$404.80, was also passed tem -Last two weeks of June 1955. The convention lasted from Fri-

Mrs A McClure Mrs D William. Georgetown 2, \$3. Thompson of Toronto with the F H Marchington,

# Rathleen and Dorothy, visited at In Two Accidents

Saturday night about 7.30 p.m. on Agricultural Society. \$50. were at Weston a few days recent- Mitchell, Campbellville, sideswip- A grant of \$50, for the Acton Guelph Rural Operating Area don He was born in 1800.

were injured on Tuesday evening. A supplementary by-law granted ial. 72. horse-drawn buggy in which they current expenditure of the town- in these municipalities, some 48,000 in Campbellville. driving south on the Guelph line The road superintendent was to over. These will include an estim- Joseph Crozier. Burk's Falls Ont. about one mile north of Campbell-, advertise for tenders for snow ated 10,800 washing machines, 7,000 a son, Major J. W Routledge, Camp Plans were discussed for the. The CBC owns and operates 19 ville The patients were treated in plowing equipment for 1953-1954 refrigerators and some 4.500 record Petawawa, two brothers, Dr. L A. forthcoming bazzar General con- radio stations, employs about Milton Private hospital Damage Tenders are to be in by November players. In addition, it is expected Routledge, Ridgetown; C. H. Rout-Based on first-quarter figures vener Mrs C Cook, tea conveners 1.250 persons; private owners op- to the car was estimated at \$300 2 |
that 8,000 clocks and 2,600 fans will ledge, Pleasant Lake, Michigan and home-building currently is on the Mrs. J. Moles and Mrs. T Jones, erete 139 stations, employ about The horse left the scene of the ac- | K. C. Lindsay was appointed tax either be standardized or exchang- a sister. Mrs. C. A. Eksley, Camp-

Guelph escaped unburt after riding a '52 model car owned by his father, into the ditch. The accident occurred near the intersection of Highway No. 7 shortly before noon on Sunday. Damage to the car Belfountain sideroad.

was estimated at over \$1,000. The car rose to the top of a hill about 300 feet from the highway. and Johnson braked the car to stop for the intersection. Provinctal police constable Gordon Robinson said the car skidded on some wet leaves and shot into the ditch on the right. The car turned completely around, the rear striking a tree, careened onto the road again, where it turned over on it-

## **Should Be Proud** Of Tots - D. Schmull

The first dinner meeting of the Y's Men's club, commencing fall and winter activities, was held on, October 8 in the Y at 6.30. After a bounteous dinner prepared by tht Y's Men's Ladies' auxiliary, members heard a talk by Dick Schmull who was introduced by past-president Garnet McKenzie.

Mr. Schmull spoke of the fellowship he has experienced in the Y M.C.A., both in Europe and again tinents and added one must experlence it to know of the fellowship that exists in Y work. He spoke of Acton, with interment in Fairthe opening night at the Acton Y, view cemetery. Mrs. Bertha Kentmentioning the possibilities avail- ner, also pictured, was a pas- Mrs. Roy Black, able for the children and adults it town. It is important to give them a good time, he told, and at Mr. Sigsworth at the time of the Fergus, is Speaker the same time there should be fatal accident. She was not serdeeper things to consider in life. His first contact with the child ren of Acton was with the nursery school class. With the high showing, he declared they should Eight Year-Old make good and that their barents should be proud of them. Mr. Schmull was thanked by

iously injured.

day at school suffered a minor

head injury when witnesses re-

port he darted out from between

two parked cars into the side of,

a car driven by Fred Minna, To-

rento, en John St. at noon on

The family of Mr. and Mrs.

Thomas Shannon arrived in Ac-

ton over the week-end from New

Brunswick and was just getting

settled in an apartment above the

Acton Home Furnishings Store.

The seven-year-old was rushed

to Dr. Garrett for medical treat-

ment by the driver after the noon

hour accident just south of Mill

St. Mr. Minns was driving south

Principal G. W. McKenzie re-

on John St., south of Mill St.

flar pole for one accident-free

Police are to remove the pen-

when the accident occurred.

nant this afternoon.

ed for new 60 cycle models.

Thursday (today).

Ralph 'McKeown,

The Men's Club of St. Alban's church held their bi-monthly The Home and School executive euchre last Friday with a good atfor the coming season is as follows: tendance. Prizes went to the fol-Miss Hurlbut and Mr. Ambrose president, J. W. Wolfe; vice presi-lowing: ladies' high, Mrs. A. Mcwere introduced by Mrs. Kacadent, Mrs. H Elliott; secretary, Mrs. | Eachern; ladies' consolation. Miss Hansen and thanked by Mrs. Helen S. Eisen; treasurer, C. Taylor; com- A. Stalker; men's high. J. Creas-Travelling prizes, T. Ware, Mrs.

## To Prepare By-Law **Re Council Salary**

A by-law fixing the remuneration or salary of members of Esquesing township council was to be The Silver-Wood Women's Instit- prepared, following a meeting of

Rockwood, Area

hymn and Miss I. Moore gave a Hydro-Electric Commission, \$116.25; very good paper on "The Meaning Georgetown Herald, \$14.30; H.E.P. Tentative dates have now been 350 delegates were present, with C. of Ont., \$23.37; Bell Telephone: scheduled for 60 cycle changeover leading Presbyterian churchmen. Mrs. W. Norton gave a full re- Co., \$12.15; Town of Milton, to Mil- of Guelph, Rockwood, Elora, Fer- Miss Inez McLellan was chairport of the directors' meeting held ton Fore Dept. attending fire Aug. gus and surrounding rural areas. lady of the convention committee. Rev. A. Calder sang. Scripture in Milton. Two layettes have been 17, 1953 at L. Bird's, \$50; George- These municipalities form part of Rev. R. H. Armstrong of Knox was read by Mrs. Benton and M.ss placed and further knitting for town Lumber Co.. \$1.56; Arthur hydro's standardization area "L". church, Acton, took one of the dis-Ivens gave a courtesses report. The layettes for the Children's Aid . Scott Motors Ltd., \$5.10; Royal comprising in all an 888 square cussion groups. Members of the ladies served lunch afterwards to being undertaken by members Paper and Supply Co., \$18.; Ontar- mile section in the counties of Acton Young Peoples' were in Mrs. Lindsay was in charge of in Municipal Board, fees re Norval South Wellington Halton and Peel charge of the country fair held in the meeting on "Agriculture and school debenture, \$64.; Lever and The tentative schedule of change- Knox Presbyterian church, Guelph,

Mrs Geary Sr and Mr and Mrs sen Mrs K C. Lindsay and Mrs Council will petition the county July 1955, domestic, 721; commerc- OBITUARY council to take as a county road, ial 44. lots 5 to 10 concession 11 Esques- Elora Hydro-Electric Commis-

> ary line between Chinguacousy domestic 422; commercial, 73 and Esquesing townships. Grants to be paid are: Acton Ag. i Elora Distributing Station No 21 ricultural Society. \$125: Esquesing -Last two weeks of July and third About \$350 damage resulted on Agricultural Society, \$125.; Halton week of August 1956 domestic. 950: commercial, 55. the Campbellville side road when A grant of \$200, is to be paid to Fergus Public Utilities Commis- died at Hespeler on October 12 ata pick-up truck driven by Joseph the treasurer of Glen Williams sion-Last two weeks of August ter six months' illness. Mr. Bout-Ferrier. Campbellville and a 1932 Public Hall Board, to be used in first week of September 1935, dom- ledge had lived at Campbellville Chav. redan. driven by Orville connection with repairs to the hall estic, 979; commercial, 130.

Joseph Currie and Harry Wood made in the grounds.

collector for the township.

# Hits Tree, Misses More at Eden Mills Ernest Sigsworth Killed When the car he was driving hit a tree and missed other trees by inches, William Harry Johnson of In Car - Truck Collision.

Funeral service was held this afternoon at the Victor B. Rumley funeral home for Ernest Sigsworth, who died in a motor accident Monday the county road at Eden Mills and evening. Two were killed when a truck, driven by Mr. Sisgworth, and a ear with six teen-age girls and boys collided on No. 24 highway at the

> Mr Sigsworth, in his 44th year, is survived by two daughters, Marilyn and Shirley, his mother and brother in Chicago. He was predeceased by his wife, the former Agnes McBain of Acton, 14 years ago.

> > # He has been an employee of J. B. Mackenzie and Son for about

ten years. Pallbearers were Mickey Holmes, Gordon Harding, Earl Lambert, Jack Waterhouse, Sam Mackenzie and Comfort Roszell. Interment was in Fairview cometery, Acton. All eight involved in the holiday crash were either killed or injured. Dying in the mishap as well as Mr. Signworth, was Cynthia Mc-Kee. 17, of Mono Centre.

Mrs. Bertha Keniner, a passenger in the truck driven by Mr. Sigaworth, was not seriously hurt. The car was northbound from Belfountain toward Orangeville.

Allan Harrison, Orangeville, the driver, said a rural mail box onscured his view of a stop sign as he approached the highway. Admitted to Lord Dufferin Mem-

orial hospital were Mrs. Kentner Allan Harrison, '18, Orangeville; with bruises and shock; his sister, Jean, 16, with face cuts; Miss Sharon Webb, 18, Orangeville, with FUNERAL SERVICE for Ernest spine and lung injury; Maurice Mcwhen he came to Canada. He said | Sigsworth, pictured above, was | Kee, 19, Mono Centre, with face he found it the same on both con- held today (Thursday) at the Vic- cuts and Gerald Pattullo. 18, Caltor B. Rumley funeral home in edon, with a compound leg fract-

# senger in the vehicle driven by

On October 8, the Senior Auxliary W.M.S. of Knox Presbyterian Church held its thankoffering meeting with guests from local and neighboring churches attending.

The first vice-president, Mrs. A. Buchanan, presided and opened **Injured Noon Today** the meeting with a call to worship in the form of a short address on the theme of thanksgiving. David Shannon, on his third

After the devotions, taken by Mrs R. H. Armstrong and Miss R. C Clark; the ushers, Mrs Smith and Mrs. Blow, received the collection, which was dedicated by Mrs. R. M. MacDonald,

Mrs. Cameron Leishman sang the beautiful solo, "Somebody Cares," Mrs. Mainprize then introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Roy Black of Fergus, president of Guelph Presbyterial. Mrs. Black's message was from the familiar chapter on love as found in Counthians chapter 13, a beautiful message bringing forth the duties of a Christian to his fellow man under the topic, "The Christian Life Where Love

After courtesies by Mrs. R. L. Bennle and the closing prayer by Mrs. A. G. Blow, all remained for ported that the Elmer Safety an hour to meet the guests and en-Pennant would be taken from the joy fellowship together.

### Y. P. S. CONVENTION IS STAGED IN GUELPH

A four-day convention of Young Peoples' Societies of the Toronto-Kingston Synod of the Presbyterian Church was attended by several from Acton in Guelph over the Thanksgiving week-end. Nearly

Guelph Light and Heat Commis- | brought greetings from the Baptist

son. Doug Bennie, Jack Davidson,

day evening until Monday noon Esquesing were: James McBride Guelph Rural Operating Area The Acton group travelled back

## ing township, known as the bound- son-Second week of July 1955. Carpenter by Trade Elmira Rural Operating Area J. Routledge Dies

A carpenter by trade, John Ireland Routledge of Campbellville

ed. Mrs. Ferrier suffered bruises Agricultural Society was to be Guelph Distributing Station and Rev. J Sutherland conducted used in connection with repairs Rural Station)-Month of Septem the funeral service on October 14 ber 1955, domestic, 1.322; commere- Palibearers were Lorne Mitchell, Roy Cairns. Lawrence Sharpe. when a car driven by George Mc- permission to the reeve and treas- It is anticipated that for the es- Lloyd Crawford, Jack Wheelihan Donald struck the back end of the urer to borrow \$20,000 to meet the timated 12,014 domestic customers and Hardy Purdy. Interment was

appliances will have to be changed | Surviving are a daughter. Mrs.