LOCAL NEWS

—Ash Wednesday yesterday; Lent has begun.

—Muddy roads caused quite a bit of trouble on the back roads this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed quietly celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary with their family on Monday, March 1.

—Members of Acton Rotary club prepared their Easter seals for mailing following the regular supper meeting Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. Howard Lambert received word on Friday of the death of her cousin, Mr. Charles Plooard, who died very suddenly in Toronto.

—Don Wilkins of Mount Dennis is the new accountant at the Bank of Nova Scotia. He replaces Campbell Smith, who has gone to Sarnia.

—Dancers from out of town are among those who do-si-do and grand chain at the Acton Square Dance club. There was a splendid crowd again Friday evening in St. Alban's Parish Hall.

—For high euchre score of 99, Mrs. R. Robbins of Acton won an electric toaster at a bridge and euchre this week. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins attended the event in Richmond Hill Monday evening.

—A purple pansy, with a lot of gluck, peeped through ground in the garden of Roy Arnott this week, just before the rain turned to snow. Mr. Arnott picked the premature bloom Monday morning.

—The water level was high at the creek running through the public school property this week. As happens every spring, the water seeped up over the sidewalk and onto the highway.

—Halton night school classes being held in Acton this year for the first time concluded this week. There were classes in elementary and advanced oil painting, and plastics. An open house will be held in Georgetown later.

—Water was running across the road like a river at one spot between the third and fourth line south of the highway in a hollow early this week, following the rains of the week-end. Drivers were forced to detour the flooded spot.

—Following the operetta, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" on Thursday evening last week, Joan Courtney called the director, Mrs. Muriel Heard to the stage, where she was presented with a bouquet of flowers by Linda Lovell. On Wednesday evening, the bouquet for Mrs. Franklin was presented by Diane Newton.

—At the recent euchre put on by the St. Alban's Men's Club in the Parish Hall, there were 12 tables in play, with prizes going to the following: ladies' high, Mrs. M. Osborne; ladies' second, Mrs. M. Davidson; men's high, Mrs. F. Kentner; men's second, Mr. W. Smith; ladies' travelling, Mrs. G. Fountain; men's travelling, Mr. B. Storey. Lunch was served at the conclusion. The euchres will resume after Lent.

Council Advances H.S. Board $10,000

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cil was also informed by the Bank of Montreal that an exchange charge would be made at the times debenture debt payments are made at branches of that bank.

Council considered as well a letter from the Canadian Underwriters' Association expressing opposition to combination of municipal fire and police departments.

After third reading and final passing of the hawkers and peddlers by-law, increasing license fees to $50 and $100, council agreed police action should be taken to curb an unsatisfactory parking condition on Crescent St. Councillor Lindsay informed members that damage was being caused to the pedestrian walk.

A lengthy discussion sprang from Councillor A. Irwin's remark that a group of 65 people were unable to gain access to the local arena last week on a regular skating night. Reasons for the arena being closed, when good ice was reported to exist, were offered from several sources.

Although no action was recommended after council heard the circumstances peculiar to the situation, Mayor Tyler suggested that next season the arena committee devise measures to prevent a similar occurrence.

Talk on speed limits and better warning signs precipitated from a suggestion by Councillor E. Footitt that more effective warnings be erected at the town's approaches.

Pass Regular Accounts

Council passed motions to purchase a 200 gallon oil tank and 45 gallon drum for the town hall and to install a street light on the last pole on Alice St. and relocate another light on the same street.

Council adjourned the regular meeting shortly after 11 p.m., then reconvened as committees to study estimates submitted for the forthcoming budget.

Earlier in the meeting the following accounts, amounting to $1,080.85, were passed for payment:

Thompson's Farm Service	$ 49.91
Ont. Fire Chief's Assoc., dues	5.00
Halton Co. Mutual Aid, fees	10.00
Municipal World, to question submitted	.50
Acton Free Press, printing	18.76
Ont. Prov. Pol., salaries	924.68

—Like a lion or like a lamb" March didn't come in too happily; like a soaking wet, very bedraggled lamb.

DIVISION IN KOREA

Answering a question in the U. K. House of Commons recently on the future of the Commonwealth Division now in Korea, Sir Winston Churchill said Her Majesty's Government was in frequent consultation with the governments of Canada, Australia and New Zealand, about the arrangements affecting the Division.

He said he could make no statement at present about the future of the Division but he hoped that as long as Commonwealth countries were making a contribution in Korea, a Commonwealth formation would be kept in being. If any proposals were made for constituting a standing U.N. defence force as had been suggested, they would receive careful attention from Her Majesty's Government.

Coming Events

W. I. euchre in Ballinafad hall, Tuesday, March 9 at 8.45 p.m. Admission 40c. a

Installation of officers, program, at regular meeting of Lakeside Chapter I.O.D.E., Tuesday, March 9, Legion Hall, 8.15 p.m. a

The Friendly Circle will hold its Spring Tea in the United church parsonage on Saturday, May 1st, 1954 from 3.00 p.m.-5.00 p.m. a

Easter program by Dutch choir will be held in the Public School Auditorium, Thursday, April 15. Everyone welcome. a

Bible Society anniversary service and Fireside, Sunday, March 14 in the United church, beginning at 7 p.m. Rev. Frank Keys, speaker and Moody science film. a

Monthly meeting of the Acton Junior Farmers will be held at the home of Allen Bowen, first farm north of No. 7 highway on first line, Wednesday, March 10. a

Remember the annual St. Patrick's Bingo at St. Joseph's church hall, Tuesday, March 16, 8.30 p.m. Fifteen games. Specials and door prize. Procure tickets from parishioners. Admission 25c. a-35-2

The World Day of Prayer service will be held in Acton United church on Friday, March 5 at 2.30 p.m. a

Lorn Home and School Association are holding a euchre, Saturday, March 6, at 8.30 sharp. Lunch, door prize and prizes. Admission 35c. a

Georgetown Lions' Club annual St. Patrick's dance, Georgetown Arena Rose Room, Friday, March 12, featuring Warren Owens and his fine Kitchener orchestra. Dancing 9.30 to 1.30. Novelties. Lunch. Make up a party. Come and enjoy yourselves. Dress optional. Couple $3.00. b

Everybody welcome! Stewarttown, March 9, 8.30 p.m. A special welcome to all rural people, farm forum and Federation of Agriculture members. Social evening. Speakers on subjects of vital interest to our rural people. Ladies provide. Silver collection. Esquesing Federation of Agriculture. b

The Acton Lawn Bowling Club wishes to thank the following for generous donations for their bridge and euchre: Brown's Bread, Ledger's I.G.A., Mayfair Restaurant, Blow Press, John Labatt Ltd., Force Electric, Micro Plastics, C. and F. Young, Storey Glove, Woods Dry Cleaners, Mason Knit, A. P. Green Firebrick, Sutter and Perdue, Clinton, Swift's Co., W. Wolfe and Mrs. W. Beatty.

Births, Marriages Deaths, Etc.

BORN

HALL — Mr. and Mrs. Grenville Hall (nee Jean Holmes) announce the birth of a daughter at Toronto Western Hospital on March 1, 1954, a sister for Marilyn.

CULP—Rose and Ross, Hillsburgh, are very happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Donna Marie, at the Nursing Home, Acton on March 2. Mother and daughter doing well.

McGILLOWAY — Doris and Leo, Bower Ave., are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Debora Lee, at the Nursing Home, Acton, on Monday, March 1, 1954. Mother and baby just fine.

DIED

WALKER — At Guelph General hospital on Friday, February 26, 1954, William Walker of R.R. 1, Acton, beloved husband of Amelia Rolston, dear father of Jack, Garry and Bryon, in his 42nd year.
Funeral service was held at the Victor Rumley and Son funeral home, Acton, on Monday. Interment Fairview cemetery, Acton.

CLARKE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Thursday, March 4, 1954, James Clarke, son of the late John and Margaret Clarke, formerly of Erin, dear brother of Andrew, Toronto; Robert, Vancouver; half brother of Stephen, Georgetown; Jennie (Mrs. Smith) Toronto and Albert and William G. Norrie, deceased.
Resting at the Victor Rumley and Son funeral home, Acton, where funeral will be held at two o'clock on Saturday. Interment Erin cemetery.

McEACHERN—At Guelph General hospital on Monday, March 1, 1954, Norman James McEachern, beloved husband of Edith Russell, dear father of Vera (Mrs. J. A. Smethurst), Douglas, Islington and Helen (Mrs. Graham Kennedy), Sarnia, in his 55th year.
Rested at the Victor Rumley and Son funeral home, Acton, where funeral was held on Wednesday at 2.30 o'clock. Interment Fairview cemetery, Acton.

IN MEMORIAM

BRUCE—In loving memory of mother, Isabella Bruce, who passed away March 7, 1948.
Ever remembered by the family.

SNOW — In loving memory of a dear son and brother, Kenneth Ross Snow, who passed away March 4, 1952.
We who loved you sadly miss you
As it dawns another year,
In our lonely hours of thinking,
Thoughts of you are ever near.
Lovingly remembered by Mom, Dad, sisters and brother.

FRANK—In loving memory of a dear son and brother, who passed away March 2, 1947.
Every day in some small way,
Memories of you come our way;
Though absent you are always near,
Still missed, still loved and always dear.
Always remembered by Mother, Dad, sisters and brothers.

JENNINGS—In loving memory of Mrs. John Jennings, who left us suddenly March 6, 1951.
We who loved you sadly miss you
As it dawns another year,
In our lonely hours of thinking,
Thoughts of you are ever near.
Always remembered and sadly missed by her husband and daughters, Ruth and Frances.

CARD OF THANKS

Mere words are inadequate to express our gratitude to each and everyone who has helped us through these days of sorrow with beautiful flowers, words of sympathy and deeds of infinite kindness. We can only say "thank you so much." We would especially like to thank Dr. Garrett and the nurses of Guelph General for their kindly care of our loved one; also Rev. E. A. Currey for his consoling words.
Mrs. Wm. Walker and the boys, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rolston and family

BAILIFF'S SALE

Under and by virtue of a Warrant dated February 9, 1954, issued to me by John A. Elliot, I have distrained under chattel mortgage dated November 12, 1953, given by J. W. Stewart Elliot to the said John A. Elliot, the following chattels, which will be sold by public auction on the 10th day of March, 1954, at 1.30 o'clock p.m., at Elliot's Sand and Gravel pit on the fourth line of Esquesing Township, about three miles south of Highway No. 7.

On Lot Number Twenty-three (23) in the Third Concession of the Township of Esquesing in the County of Halton: 1 Woodstock conveyor on hard rubber wheels, 1 G.M.C. dump truck (1948) serial no. 8976301730, engine no. 620452, license 1953 C55191, 1 anvil and vise, 1 acetylene outfit, wrenches and socket set; 3 fuel barrels, 2 spare tires, hammers, chisels, etc. Quickway model J shovel, serial no. J1182, boom and bucket serial no. J613 mounted on a whit truck serial no. 380.

On Lot Number Twenty-three (23) in the Fourth Concession of the Township of Esquesing in the County of Halton: 1 sand washer Woodstock jaw crusher size 5.24 [illegible] 143, 2 [illegible] conveyor and screen, 1 [illegible] Dominion crusher, [illegible] 4 [illegible] screens, 4 shaft conveyor and 4 hopper and belting, bed and stand, spare parts, 1 Rotary pump and pipe, 4 cans [illegible] steering equipment, belts and pulleys, 1 crushing plant conveyor and belts, 1 motor, 4 drive belts, tool shack; spare wheel and tire; 2 fuel barrels; gas tank and 2 pumps; dump box and hoist (Wood) spare screens.

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FOR SALE — '52 Pontiac coach, dark blue, air conditioning, heater, low mileage, immaculate. Phone Acton 52. a

FOR SALE—3 good cows, 1 due March 5, third calf; 1 due April 26, second calf; 1 Jersey, in full flow. John Harris, R.R. 4, phone 47j4. a

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WANTED — Sealed tenders are invited by the undersigned up to 12 noon, March 13, for the painting of the designated Acton Public School classrooms. Rooms 301 and 302: walls to be thoroughly scraped and 2 coats of paint applied. Room 303: walls to be thoroughly scraped. Ceiling to receive 1 coat paint and walls 2 coats of paint. Main hall: Ceiling to receive one coat and walls to be painted 2 coats of paint. Adjoining lobby: 1 coat paint. Best quality semi-gloss paint to be used. One classroom and hall to be painted during Easter holiday. Principal McKenzie will furnish color scheme. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. Middleton, secretary-treasurer, Acton Public School Board. a

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