Official test of water supply at

the town's latest reserve well, was

revealed to council Monday night

following completion of drilling

The well, located on a triangular

strip of property back of Mason

Blvd houses in Warren Grove,

tests a steady output of between

Of a total registration of 140, 134

(school Tuesday evening. In the

teacher, Phil Caddick. There are 15

es. Harold Muller of Guelph gave

the intermediate and beginners' oil

of Guelph had the same number of

be assisted by Mrs. W. Beatty since

there are 27 in the metal tray etca-

In the children's and elementary

clothing class, the teacher, Mrs.

Frank Webster of Guelph, had a

registration of 22. There were 16 in

the advanced clothing group; in-

structor is Mrs. M. Brown of

The largest class was in typing

where there were 30. Teaching is

Gordon Ringler of the high school

es were unable to be present for the

I. Minshall visited all three

Halton night schools at Acton,

Milton and Georgetown during the

evening and commented on the ef-

ficient way in which the season

Acton, Georgetown

Preston defeated Acton after a

hard encounter of hard hitting,

well trained team. Their passes

This places Preston as champions

of this years series Congratulat-

ions were expressed by coach He-

The Acton team will fight it out

with Georgetown for second place

We at Acton are confident that,

the same as last year, we will de-

feat Georgetewn, only after a well

fought game but who knows in

this weather anything could hap-

**Apron-Clad Group** 

Because the regular meeting of

following the annual turkey sup-

per it was an informal group of

eprot, clad ladies who gathered

round the tables in the church base-

Mrs S Matthews gave the finance

Work, Then Meet

-Dennis Papillon

Several who registered for class-,

ing class.

Guelph.

operations.

## **Board Takes Steps** To Improve Lights In Stone School

Inadequate lighting in the stone school caused members of the Public School Board Tuesday evening to call for a lighting expert of the H.E.P.C. to make an appraisal of proper requirements in the rooms found deficient.

A letter from the Minister of Education, W. J. Dunlop, declared November 11 a school holiday and urged reverence and interest in this day honoring the dead of two world wars. Teachers were requested to impress pupils on the significance of the day. By invitation, tho board was asked to march with members of council in the Remembrance Day parade.

To an appeal by the Home and School Association's sub-committee for a safety patrol at one of two Main street Intersections, the secretary was asked to reply that staff and board responsibility for the children ceases when they leave the

school. Need Pictures of Queen

However, conscious of the need for safety supervision and appreciative of the action of council in ordering stop signs, the board requested that council be told of the hazard of children crossing the highway at Main and Knox or Main Tummy Ache Time . . . and River Sts.

Members granted permission for the Halton Warden's dinner to be held in the public school auditorium subject to the usual provisions. Approval was given for purchase of additional tables for the board and staff room and for a required coat rack.

Principal G. W. MacKenzie reported pictures of the Queen in all new school rooms supplied by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the local Legion, but none in the old school or stone school. Trustee C. Bradley offered to donate one picture.

Secretary W. Middleton noted a total of \$161 paid in non-resident fees for September and presented for payment regular accounts of \$361.99, which were passed.

Before the 10 p.m. adjournmen! members agreed to change the meeting day to the first Thursday of the month.

## **Missionary Tells** Of Work in India

The fall Thankoffering meeting of the Baptist Mission Circle was held on Thursday evening. October 28. at Acton Baptist church. Guests from Guelph and Georgetown, as well as other Acton churches, join-les eight and over, John Hurst, Bried the ladies of the congregation and brought special greetings from Cunningham, the groups they represented.

was in charge of the meeting. Mrs. C. Landsborough took the devotled in prayer Accompanied by Mrs Miss S. Bennett led in prayer Accompanied by Mrs. L. Bulmer, Miss Jessie Coles sang Institute Speaker

Mrs Costerus and thanked by Mrs . Ode was sung, followed by a snort Hugh Reid.

# Church Anniversary by Mrs. M. McCullough.

minister of Dublin St United church, and all those who took part. The in Guelph, was the guest speaker Queen was sung and a social half both at the morning and evening hour was spent service when Acton United church observed its anniversary last Sun-A good congregation heard, him speak on Jesus Christ, the Hope of the World in the morning. In the congregations attended and the sermon topic was The Whole Armour

Guest soloists were Mrs K Ran- Full Story on Page Six dell, formerly of Acton and now of Guelph, and John Kitching of

Guelph At the evening service Rev E. Jones and Rev R Armstrong also took part Rev E A Currey was guest speaker at Dublin St church in Gueiph in the evening, but was present at the morning service The choir was under the direction of the organist, Miss O Lampard

## **Explorers Enjoy** Hallowe'en Party

The home of Mr and Mrs. L. Bulmer was opened to the members of the Explorers' group of the Baptist church for their Hallowe'en party on Friday evening Mrs. J Chapman and Mrs. Bulmer were in

charge of the group A session of woodcraft, in congram, began the evening. Mr. Bul- He hastened to remind the large Another point was that a good kers were Warden J J Stewart, from J L Graham, Guelph Counmer instructed the girls.

by Ruth Landsborough and Marg-

devotional period. Refreshments were served

conclude the special meeting.

sions in staggered stages of development involved council in a drawn out. Test 60 Gals. Per session that didn't break up until 1 a.m. Tuesday morning when members groped out of the blue haze of the chamber satisfied with the pro- Minute at Well gress of two housing developments, optimistic about a third and worried;

about the fourth. ities commission who met with council in the newly-painted room Hurricane Relief and sewer services to the 14-lot; area be installed by town employed labor and under local supervis-

of the street where necessary.

Glenlea, hitherto known as the Public School children col-Braida subdivision, rose for attention in the forms of the builders, engineers and selling agents -seven

After slight changes in the plan layout were approved, a snag was struck on the point of subdivider's Total to date reported land dedication to the municipality. In order to retain eligibility for educational grants or future building,

groups. Prizes were awarded the lieu must be fulfilled. Reach Compromise A spokesman for the builders, there was no mention of such

government ruling.

town and builders. der, grades five and six, Jack Mc-Kenzie, John Leatherland; grades other roadway. No delegation ac- McIsaac, Mrs. Jocque, Mrs. Charles companied this plan of subdivision Davidson and Mrs. W. Masales.

Land purchase terms cannot be whose property an entryway into First in Series met with T. Brankiewicz, over the proposed subdivision must pass. the letter informed members. In view of this, the Hamilton subdivders, who have already advertised in Acton for interested potential

Discussion following clerk Me-

meetings at the parish hall. The 40 gallon water heater but installat-

ported further regarding a request

Council, upon request granted a license to operate a billiard hall

The clerk reported more money d agreements with the contractor at the Warren Grove sewer extersion, this time over well points payments and use of grave! Contract r ant's cottage and is absent from the Geo Schultz also submitted a bill to council for \$300, itemized for "engineer's mistake at the corner of Wallace and MacDonald Sts." A motion that the bill be paid was

gathering however, that academic citizen should be idealistic, receli- Reeve Emperson Ford. Stanley cil also had no ready solution to of-

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order council concurred. "I feel number of industries are not finishperfectly satisfied we can handle ed, although many are expected to it," Mayor E. Tyler commented and be completed this week. In Seven Subjects councillors agreed with him that it Beardmore & Co. employees \$1579 00

> Bank of Montreal returns Wool Combing Corporation

Mason Knit employees and Acton Rotary Club

Duke of Devonshire Chap-150 00 registered, among them three ladter 1.0 D.E.

ployees Acton Free Press employees and company 65.00 pupils in the advanced painting

### (nox Group Taken On Imaginary Tour

to the Knox Evening Auxiliary at her home on Park Ave. The president, Mrs. Alex Mann, was in charge. The worship period wataken by Mrs. Wes Masales and Miss Florence Elliott. A most interesting program was presented by Mrs. R. H. Armstrong, taking the group on a tour to the different mission fields. She was a-sisted by Compromise was ultimately Miss Isobel Smt.h. Mrs. Stewart

presenting the work. During the business session the report of the baking sale was given Brief attention was given to sub- New business included the plans for mission of a revised plan of the the fall fireside to be held in Novone and two, Sandra Hargrave, Ka- | Wool Combing subdivision on ember. Committees were appointed Queen St. The plan, yet to go to as follows: guest speaker, Mrs. O'the local Planning Board, was re- Hara and Mrs. F. Anderson; proviewed by council and suggestion gram arrangements. Mrs. Clarence was made that one cross street be Coles, Mrs. J L. Davidson and Mrs. moved in order to line up with an- Mann; luncheon group, Mrs. A

> Long grind of the evening came At the conclusion of the program inter-school football on November when the proposed Jany property the monthly group served lunch I. The score at the end of the game subdivision, in the western corner and Mrs. G. W. Masales conducted was 15-1 for Preston. Acton's only of town, presented itself for coun- a contest. A vote of thanks was ten- point was scored by Arbic, who cil's consideration via a letter from dered the hostess and all who had kicked a rouge early in the second the Hamilton subdivider's lawyers, contributed to the enjoyment of the quarter. Preston outweighed the Acton team and had an extremely

### were successful and they were fast and hard hitting, whereas the Acton team was just short of good luck during the entire game.

The first of a series of concerts by Acton Citizens' Band was held in home buyers, requested the town to the public school auditorium on ron to the Preston officials on their fast succe-sful year of the series Sunday evening after church servic-

hour-long concert Bill Phillips and pen told about the W.A. Deanery. It was finally agreed, after near- Jack Learnings of Guelph, each of meeting which she attended at ly two hours' talk, to withhold liets whom have won over 100 medals, Denver, the leader of the Red Chev At the outset of the meeting K ron Band in Guelph and a former

> Accompanying the soloists was A light bunch was served after the

## by the A. P. Green Co. to erect a By Harvester Choir pointed secretary for the meeting

clerk was asked to inquire if school vester Male Chorus concert in the support the previous night with its warring signs for Acton could be public school auditorium on Friday gratifying financial return acquired from a large soft drink evening About 300 enjoyed the. The group was asked to cater to. warring for other nearby municip. The event was sponsored by the Thenecessary plans were made for

United church choir

## Conversion Crews Here Nov. 10 Area Changeover on Schedule

conversion crews now working in Commission

conversion would also be carried customers.

Georgetown have been able to keep. Conversion is already underway be the largest tannery in the Brit-

# Four Subdivisions Put Problems to Council

It was subdividers' night at council this week Four local subdivi-

Order By-law Prepared would undoubtedly cost the town less to put down the services than by calling for a contractor. A rough

estimate of the cost was \$14,000. A motion was unanimously passed authorizing preparation of a bylaw for installations of sewers and water mains and raising the grade

the town contended, either a land dedication or settlement by cash-in-

Thomas and Thomas Ltd., objected provision in the town's original agreement. Whether an agreement existed or not, it was emphasized in reply, a land dedication or cash settlement could be demanded by

reached when a certain area in the Sinclair and Mrs A K. Mann as subdivision for park lands was set aside to the satisfaction of both the

Can't Come to Terms

Expropriation was doubted by seve master of ceremonies a Mrs. Denny read the list of art eral members to be the means of . Guest soloists were included in the

## License New Pool Room

company which has supplied the program of singing and solos

here to J C Soanes

Easements and other difficulties

HALLOWE'EN HI-JINKS may have been at a minimum this All Hallows Eve, but costumed children were as much in numbers as ever. Shown at the Roxy Theatre party Saturday afternoon, at left, are a prize-winning trio as Snow White and two of her dwarfs, three children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seelen. At right, dressed as a cake, is a first prize winner at the Y's Men's Party in the arena Saturday even-

youngsters converged on the Roxy theatre Saturday afternoon for a Hallowe'en party. The most successful party was directed by the \$200 For Relief Roxy manager, Henry Deveau, assisted by Jack Holmes dressed as

a clown. The crowd of children, their commotion in enthusiastic appreciation of the planned program, enjoyed contests and costume judging. About a quarter of those attending were in Hallowe'en cost-

Contest winners were: bobbing for apples, Terry Papillon, Peggy Ann Cook, Fred Landry, Donald Long. Harris; pie cating, Jean Laing, George Johnston, Barbara Churchill. Mike Churchill; pop drinking, D.ane Dedels, Marg Wilson, Georgina Waller; balloon bursting, Wayne Spiers, Frank Mariscak, Roger Lambert: shoe scramble. Verna

Churchill, Blair Hotchen, Mary Lou Costumes, six years and under, K. Seelen, S. Seelen, Karen Gervais, Ella Seelen, Val Marsha'l;

an Barbeau, Teresa Arbic, Sandra Popcorn was given to all the The president. Mrs. H. Helwig, youngsters, A special program of films was shown.

Music for the meeting was played. The regular monthly meeting of gifts. Mrs. W. T. M.lls. on behalf by Mrs. Bulmer on the piano and Bannockburn Women's Institute of the community, asked them to public school while all the lights Mrs. Lorne Garner on the organ, ; was held in the school on Friday accept an occasional chair, a pair of Mrs. Leslie Wilton, a missionary evening, October 22 with about 50 chesterfield lamps, a cap and saucto India who is home on furlough, present. A short business meeting er and a sum of money, and Mrs. was the guest speaker. She describ- was called when arrangements Sidney Kirkpatrick presented a ed her work in the Telegu district were made for a cuchre to be held; beautiful dish from the W.I. and later, during the social period in the school, proceeds to go to the

held in November Mrs. Wilton was introduced by After the business the Institute; home, program consisting of a solo by Marjorie McDonald, reading by

Mrs. Ballentine and a plano soli The president introduced the guest speaker Miss Sybii Bennett MP, who took as her topic, Wills - Rea. Estate and Income Tax Mrs. Rev Ernest E. Baskier, B.A. the T. Gordon thanked Miss Bernett

William Young of the fourth . Ray Costerus grade four.

birthday today, November 4.

Skies Frown on Plowing Match bright setting for the annual Hai- success with a soul and not be walked in his mecassins a week farm of George Brownridge in he stressed.

Trafalgar township on Friday of "A good citizen should try to be built by people who didn't werry ast week " Camaxing the competition in the coward is not being afraid, it's be- | Summing up his address. Mr Elfield was the usual successful ban- ing afraid to go ahead when you'll it pointed out the initial letters quet provided this year in Trafal- know you should. There are no of the points formed the word sec-

Bethel church. Miss Sybil Bennett, M.P., intro- leave a heritage." duced the guest speaker. George Mr Elliott urged the good citiz- castles E Elliott, who titled his subject, en should be ultimate minded, des- "If your sunset is to be bright

Outlining the points he would you do it all." He suggested a pends on one person -yourself It's like to see in a good citizen. Mr good citizen should be resolute all in your mind," he concluded. Elliott chose as the first requisite. 'Take your hat off to the past and Harold Pickett presided at the Council filed a statement the mental attitude of a scholar your coat to the future." he urged 'evening's program and other spea- charges on well drilling (not a bill) The games period was planned training was "merely the scratch ing the people in the lonely wil- Hail, M.L.A., Victor Hall, Alex, for a local resident who is applying you do with the plow. It's the fin- derness of 1820 who stayed and Black. George Ostroser and J. E. for connection to the sewer main eret Sunter. Mrs. Chapman led the, ish that counts." A lot of people are worked, forming the foundation of confusing academic training for ed- | what is today Halton county.

to ucation, the speaker pointed out The second desirable mental at- citizen should be thoughtful and re- News column on page six.

ducted as a member. There were tour visitors from Guelph. Fred Wright reported on the 50th anniversary of Rotary. Appointed to the ladies' night committee were

Community Groups

week the ladies of the Women's Association of Knex church, Limehouse, made a surprise visit to the McM:llan, Douglas Cook; grades home of Mrs. Stuart Wright who, with her family, is leaving shortly six to eight years. James Ironside, for their new home in Willowdale, Shirley Price, Bob Agnew; costum- Toronto, Mrs. Wright, who has been a valued member of the Association since its organization was presented with a beautiful gold necklace as a

> A., in a few well chosen words made the presentation. The following afternoon a few ladies representing the community and the Women's Institute, called on the Wright's and presented several

Mrs Wright, on behalf of the demonstrated how to put on the flood relief fund A china demon- family, conveyed to all their deep New Meeting Place graceful, one-piece Indian dress, the i stration was also arranged to be appreciation and invited everyone to come to see them in their nev.

## Religious Teaching

Religious instruction began in Monday at the public school. The Protestant children are meeting by grades, while Father V. Morgan : en ldren in the grades affected sever and eight, Rev. R. Armstrong grade six and part of grade seven, Rev E Currey grade five

week until about Eister

ban's W.A was held at the home

evening, members of other Acton, line. Acton, celebrates his 90th | The classes will emtirate every bazant work was discussed and ion is to be the board's responsibility program to members of the band

St. Alban's W.A.

Acton like the mice followed the

Pied Piper of Hamelin - except ev-

eryone was dressed as strangely as

the famous piper-several hundred

poured into the arena for the an-

nual Hallowe'en party Saturday ev-

ening. The Y's Men's club again

conducted the event, which began

with the judging of costumes by age

The program, which was not

lengthy, included trampoline dis-

play tricks by Alex Robertson and

Jim Metro of Guelph and a pie eat-

ing contest which was won by Bill

Most successful feature of the ev-

ening was the exciting knock-'em

sock-'em contest, with two boys at

a time mounted on a pole swatting

at each other with soft sacks. One

\*Costume contest winners were:

kindergarten and pre-school. Anne

Gordon Ramsden, Geraldine Cal-

seven and eight, Douglas Gregory,

Theresa Arbic; adults, Mrs. F

Crump and Mrs. J. Calder; Mrs.

C. Leatherland and Mrs. W. Wil-

Hallowe'en damage was slight

with windows traditionally soaped

and some street signs pulled down.

Several men stood watch at the

High school, Dianne Newton,

before falling to the mats.

Oakville Mrs Jolley and Mrs Price ton on the request pend of further played cornet solos and a duct newly formed Girls' Auxiliary Mrs.

book and Mrs E Jones read an the YMCA board, requested town solo and conducted the band it a Krox Lades Aid came on the day account of the World Council of assistance in replacing a worn out march Churches meeting at Evansten, It' hot water heater at the Y Council , and part of grade six and Paster | It was decided to hold future agreed to bear the cost of a new Mrs Ted Denver

the meeting closed " with prayer ity

An overcast day and scattered titude of the good critizen was to called the old Indian proverb. showers failed to provide the usual be emane pated. "You must have that me criticize no man till I've ton County Plowing Match on the shackled by business or popularity." "Be youthful," the speaker urged declaring that Canada was courageous," he urged. "Being a about themselves

gar township hall by the ladies of heroes more brilliant, than the urity. He described security that Higure of a plowman trying to its sometimes found in the peascribing it as "when you do a job and vivid or dark and sombre de-

Whitelock. Results of the plowing and other are involved in this case. The speaker suggested a good details will be found in the Farm

# Cobble Hill came first, along the public utilit- Local Donors Assist

Following is the progress report on the campaign in Acton for the 50 and 60 gallons per minute, the Ontario Hurricane Rebef Fund All mayor informed members industries have been contacted re-The P.U.C. indicated it was fave ever the result of this is far from a 134 Begin Classes garding payroll deducations. Howorable to the proposal and in short complete and the returns from a

103.00 173 00 began night classes at Acton high 300 00 | school shop, woodworking is under 200.00 the instruction of the regular shop

65.00 instruction in sketching to 14 in J. B. Mackenzie & Son em-28.00 painting class, while Frank Reed

-- group \$2947.00 Mrs. F. Leland, R.R. 4, Acton, will

Mrs. James VanFleet was hosters

of Mrs. Thomas Jones with 13 Geachie's reading of the letter ww Bandmaster A Perrott conducted members present The president op- long and involved. Circumstances the uniformed band members in a ened the meeting with the daily surrounding were at the least, one variety program of marches, overprayer and the secretary and treas- councillor intimated, "complex" times and waltzes. Tom Jones was

### ment following the clean-up Mrs. and special guests F J McCuteneon, the president called the meeting to order, a hymn Deputy-reeve R. Thompson re- 300 Enjoy Program was sang and Mrs. O'Hara led in a priever Mrs. F. Arderson was ap-

During the sign discussion, the A good crowd attended the Hir- rat report and also reported on the

the mer's club for the : banquet.

Recent flooding conditions have out for 210 domestic and commercnot impeded 25 to 60 cycle changes and customers in the section of the over operations in the Georgetown- Guelph Rural Operating Area serv-Acton-Brampton district Hydro ed by the Acton Public Ut hites

to schedule, and no changes have at one of Actor's major industries -had to be made for future operat. Beardmore and Co Ltd., said to Georgetown changeover w.l. be .-h Empire and will begin about completed by November 9 and the first of November at anothercrews will move immediately into Wool Combing Corporation Other Acton, where the switch is schedul- industries will be changed over ed to begin November 10 and end during the normally planned per-November 22 During this period iod for domestic and commercial





ing, Sandra Hargrave. Trying for a bite of the cake are Jane McCrea, the Queen and Karen Gervais

Hallowe'en Fans Go A-Partying Following the bandwagon through

**Rotarians Donate** 

A donation of \$200 was made to the flood relief fund at the regular meeting of Acton rotary club on Art Padbury presided at the meeting when R. H. Elliott was in-

# Bill Mattocks, R. H. Elhott and All

Make Presentations Ltd knocked down 16 opponents On Wednesday afternoon of last parting gift from the ladies. Mrs.

Jack Crichton, president of the W.

For Senior Grades

ar r gave their reports

The October meeting of St. Al- take expropriation action.

ticles required for the next bale and solving the complications astructing all the Roman Catholic reported on the activities of the investigations. Rev E Jones is taking grades. Themas Jones read from the study K: x and J Ridley, representing Acton band member played a cornet