



CUTTING THEIR WEDDING cake at a reception at Club Lyndhurst are a recent bride and groom. Barbara Ann Turner, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Turner, was married to Oliver Evans, the son of Mrs. Evans and the late Mr. Oliver Evans. Rev. J. McKay officiated.

Start Action on New Fire Hall As Municipal Board Approves

(Continued from Page One) the problem. The engineer was authorized to rectify drainage where the town has responsibility. Councillor Cook called to the attention of the engineer the Mill Street and Church Street bridges which, he said, have weakened structures. The engineer was asked to make recommendations for repairs.

Clerk J. McGeachie noted the town receives an 80 per cent grant on bridge construction. Council discussed the impetus to speeding Acton's newly-paved roads seems to be providing. It was suggested a speed trap be brought into operation. Members also mulled over the idea of reducing speed limits still further in some areas of town. Council agreed to see a demonstration of a speed trap device now in operation in Georgetown.

A demonstration of a bulletproof machine in Ferguson is also to be viewed by some council members. Pay for Wallace Land Council received from Hewson and Ord, solicitors, a cheque made out by A. P. Green, Firebrick Co. payment to the town for \$625 for a strip of land on Wallace Street. The solicitors' account of \$35 was ordered paid.

L. Doby, Church Road home-owner, appeared briefly in connection with discussion of fire protection for this area of town. Mr. Doby was informed of council's earlier decision.

Clerk McGeachie reported the Brankiewicz case postponed to October 30. He also read minutes of the last Urban Board meeting and the county council planning committee session. Both these meetings were reported in previous issues of this paper.

Councillors held some talk, none of it favorable, on the proposals that came out of the planning committee meeting. It was reported the P.U.C. had accepted the sickness and accident insurance benefit plan jointly submitted to this body and council to cover all employees. Council also passed a motion accepting the plan.

At request of the Parks Board, Council passed a resolution ordering Theo Papillon paid \$5 for re-painting and renovation of a park bench.

Grading Work Necessary Councillor C. Lindsay called attention to grading work necessary at the Maria bridge, also complained of a dark section near Church and Wilbur Streets which could stand more light.

Councillor Brown noted some broken sidewalk sections on Willow Street.

Councillor Cook told of other dark sections of town where more light should be shed. He also raised a question about the paving of Agnes Street, reportedly done before grading was completed, and was told this situation is under control.

Some time was spent reviewing an efficiency rating schedule for town employees, submitted by Councillor Cook. Several questions were asked about the rating schedule but Mayor Tyler urged it be studied by all councillors before it is brought up at a later meeting.

Would Review Water Rates A question by Councillor G. Barbeau dealing with a query from an industry about the town's sewer costing system, drew a suggestion that Acton's entire industrial water rate schedule be reviewed.

Reeve J. Hargrave pointed out some excavations around town are not being properly soaked and deep gravelled when refilling work is done. Blame was laid on the superintendent in charge for this failure to follow out a town ruling.

Out of the discussion, it was agreed to have the road committee attend the next P.U.C. meeting. A motion was also passed that the P.U.C. take the necessary disciplinary action on employees for not following instructions.

Mayor Tyler reported briefly on the hearing held Tuesday at Trafalgar Hall where gas rates of the United Suburban Gas Co. Ltd. were considered by the Board. These rates include the Acton, Milton and Georgetown market areas.

Novelty Gra-Y Has 10 Charter Members The Novelty Gra-Y club officially received its charter at a brief ceremony in the Y.M.C.A. last evening. Four boys from the Blahop's Gra-Y club chartered the new group of 10 girls. After the charge was given to them, they were presented with their certificate.

Charter members of the club are Helen Benton, Jill Morton, Verna Churchill, Christine Lawrence, Pat Quinell, Jacoba Van der Brink, Cheryl Price, Laurie Bennett, Judy O'Rourke and Elaine DeForest.

Attending the meeting of district number five, Ontario Association of Agricultural Societies, which was held at Barrie, were Mr. Smith Griffin Jr., president; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, first vice-president; Mrs. Irene Swackhamer, secretary; treasurer; Mr. Charles McKeown, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Somerville, Mr. and Mrs. L. Davidson and Mr. Mac Sprowl.

Friends, Relatives Honor Bride-to-be

A bride of last Saturday, Miss Christina Lamb, was feted by friends and relatives. Her maid of honor, Miss Pat Terry, was hostess to a group of about 20 at her new home on October 5. Attractive gifts were presented to the bride-to-be and lovely refreshments were served.

Friends in the Personnel Department at the O.A.C., Guelph, gathered at the home of Miss Vera Reddon in Guelph on October 10 to honor Miss Lamb, who is secretary to the Dean of Men there. About a dozen friends showered her with miscellaneous gifts.

A buffet supper for friends and relatives was held in her honor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Beatty on October 12. Miss Lamb opened attractive gifts. The same evening, friends of the groom, David McVey, gathered at the home of Jim Costigan in Georgetown for a presentation.

Many Draw Winners At Auxiliary Bazaar

The first bazaar and tea held by the Legion Ladies' Auxiliary in the new hall was one of the most successful ever last Saturday afternoon. Highlight was a draw for a \$50 bond, which was won by J. Robertson. Mrs. R. Hulford won the \$25 bond and Mr. Kerrigan the \$15 bond.

Mrs. E. Drysdale was the bazaar convener and Mrs. Finlay convened the bond draw.

Several tables saw brisk business during the afternoon. Mrs. E. Masales was in charge of baking; Mrs. L. Gordon and Mrs. F. Shultis in charge of candy; Mrs. D. Irwin in charge of aprons; Mrs. Footitt in charge of hankies; Mrs. R. Cook and Mrs. M. Dick the touch and take table; Mrs. E. Johnson the penny table; Mrs. M. Hargrave the white elephant table; Mrs. S. Turkosz and Mrs. L. Toth the fancy work.

Tea tables were under the direction of Mrs. A. Drysdale and her committee.

Winners of the draw were: chocolates, Mrs. M. Dick; socks, Mrs. H. DeForest Jr.; smoked dress, Mrs. B. Ashley and cake, Mrs. L. Cook.

Penny sale winners were: Christmas cards, Mrs. M. Jordan; plastic hamper liner, Jean Shaw; box soap, Pauline Lazenby; table decoration, Doris Morton; cake plate, Betty Young; T.V. lamp, Mrs. Fred Lawson; nylon hose, Mary Irwin; hand dust mop, Mrs. Lyle Cripps; cup and saucer, A. Lamarche; table cloth, Mrs. Paul; plastic mixing bowls, Mrs. John Kentner; necklace and earrings, Lula Sinclair; two pair tea towels, Mrs. B. Bayliss; men's socks, Mrs. Joe Massey; pillow cases, Mrs. J. Lovell; bon bon dish, Mrs. Leo McCrellin; refrigerator dishes, Pauline Papillon; two love bird vases, Mrs. Jean Burns; salt and pepper, Sandra Irwin; salad bowl, Harley DeForest; bulb bowl, Mary McIntyre; salt and pepper, Dora Irwin; scatter rug, Stella Brunelle; nylon hose, Dolores Lambert; hand painted painting, W. Chisholm.

Long Peddling Siege Starting in Oakville

OAKVILLE—No one in the Oakville district should have that lonely feeling, what with the service clubs door-knocking campaigns becoming longer and longer.

The Kiwanis Club was given permission by town council for a 19-day door to door campaign to sell nuts. It's to take place from November 12 to November 30. The 19-day siege sets a record, putting in the shade the house canvass of the bulb peddling Kiamens, who were given permission to walk the streets and peddle their wares for only one week.

C.G.I.T. News

The meeting of the C.G.I.T. held on October 22 was opened with the Bible study led by Mrs. Greer. The girls were divided into groups. Mrs. Hansen took one for crafts. Dorothy Duffield read—the roll call with girls present. The collection was then taken up. A prayer was read.

The meeting closed with taps.

Heath-Parker Centre Inn Vows Are Solemnized

Baskets of white chrysanthemums, red and white stephanotis, and white streamers. Mrs. Glenna Fryer, sister of the bride, Acton, was matron of honor, wearing a pink taffeta gown with white and turquoise net gloves. She carried a bouquet of white pom pom chrysanthemums.

Miss Marilyn Parker, Ripley, Ontario, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid, wearing turquoise taffeta with net overskirt, white feather hat and turquoise net gloves. She carried a bouquet of white pom pom chrysanthemums.

Miss Phyllis Reed, Hamilton, niece of the groom, was flower girl, wearing pale blue taffeta with net cape and overskirt. Her headpiece was a bandeau of blue roses. She wore white gloves and carried a basket of red roses, white mums and streamers.

Groomsman was Norman Fryer, Acton, and usher was Colin Parker, Everton, uncle of the bride.

Miss Doreen Stewart, Puslinch, was soloist. She sang the Lord's Prayer and Whispering Hope. The organist was Liston Rowsell, Guelph.

A wedding cake of three tiers adorned the table in the church basement. About 45 guests were received by the bride's mother wearing a navy crepe dress, dusty rose and navy accessories, with a pink sweetheart rose corsage. Assisting her was the sister of the groom, Mrs. Wm. Reed, Hamilton, wearing a blue woven satin-back wool dress with black accessories and a pink sweetheart rose corsage.

For travelling to points in eastern Ontario, the bride chose a white wool worsted suit with black tweed effect, black and white accessories and a corsage of red roses. On their return, they will reside at 28 Huxley Ave. S., Hamilton.

Special guests were the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Parker of Everton, and the groom's brother, Ross Heath from Winnipeg.

Telegrams were received from the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Heath, Glace Bay, N.S., and the groom's sister, Mrs. and Mr. Fred Bresson, Glace Bay, N.S.

Out-of-town guests were from Hamilton, Aberfoyle, Winnipeg, Everton, Guelph, Acton and Ripley.

26 Are Killed In Costly Fires

The Ontario Fire Marshall's quarterly bulletin on fire losses and injuries for the months of July, August and September lists the following rather grim facts:— 26 men, five women and six children were killed, and 42 men, five women and seven children were injured in fires during the three months; there were 5,184 fires with a total loss of \$4,203,354, of which three and a half million dollars was covered by insurance; 12 large fires (hotels, stores, apartments and factories) during the period caused an estimated \$867,000 damage; three persons were convicted of arson and three of other fire crimes, while 20 arson cases are pending.

Commission Passes Regular Accounts

Waterworks Accounts Stanton Pipes Can. Ltd. \$ 76.00 Acton P.U.C. Hydro, serv. 112.29 Acton Auto Body, repairs, paint 3.50 Bell Telephone, serv. 6.30 Acton Free Press, supp. 17.71 Grant's Motors, acct. 3.00 Empire Brass Mfg. Co. 10.20 Can. Valve & Hydrant 463.00 Can. Brass Ltd. 329.89 \$1,021.89

Sewer Accounts Bill's Serv. Stat., gas 37.71 K. Marchmont, lettering 4.50 Bell Telephone, serv. 11.05 Acton P.U.C. hydro, serv. 100.71 Acton Woodcrafts, supp. 40.00 \$193.97

Hydro Accounts Petty cash, exp. trans. 16.14 Bell Telephone, serv. 48.75 Vickers-Warnick, helmet linings 13.11 H. G. Barlow, supp. 6.96 Hydro-electric power lamps 50.70 Acton Free Press, supp. 21.45 F. Terry, postage meter 100.00 W. Knell & Co., supp. 19.60 J. B. Mackenzie, desk 35.00 Whitham's Garage, gas 5.35 Micro Plastics, supp. 2.20 Can. Line Materials, supp. 182.92 Packard Elec., supp. 990.06 J. R. Kearney, supp. 138.52 \$1,630.76

Lucky Winners

Mrs. George Holmes was the lucky winner in the Appreciation Day draw, when a 20 per cent. coupon won her \$54. Mrs. D. Williamson won \$5. Next week's pot will be \$280.

Plan Introduction Catastrophe Policy

For two successive years the Halton Co-operative Medical Services have turned their surplus funds into catastrophe benefits for members having sickness costs in excess of \$1,000 in 1954 and \$500 in 1955. In recent months, nine members have received cheques ranging from \$23.89 to the larger amount of \$494.37 to a member who had expenses totalling over \$2,000. In the near future, it will be possible for members to take out a Catastrophe Contract covering costs up to \$5,000.

The Halton Co-operative Medical Services have also recently endorsed a plan in co-operation with the Co-operators Insurance Co. whereby employee groups can get a comprehensive coverage. The rates will compare favorably with any other coverage available.

Official delegates to the Co-Op Convention being held at the Royal Connaught Hotel in Hamilton on October 28 and 27 are Wm. R. Hume, president of the Halton Co-operative Medical Services and Mrs. Roy Coulter, secretary-treasurer.

MISSING LINKS PARIS, Ont. (CP)—A chain link fence which council hoped to have on the old highway bridge over the Grand River here before children returned to school, was not ready. The recent U.S. steel strike held up delivery.

Personal Notes...

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes

Miss Ruby Clark spent a few days in Buffalo with friends this week.

Miss Doris Wilson of Toronto visited during the week-end with friends in Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allan and Albert Ford motored to North Bay over the week-end.

Mr. Murray Smith returned last week-end from a business trip to Indianapolis, Indiana.

Miss Helen Lamb, occupational therapist from Vancouver, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Gray of Brigidon were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. John C. Dennis.

I.O.D.E. Members Aid In C.N.I.B. Fund Drive

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind is making an earnest appeal to residents of Acton and district to support their current financial drive. Members of the Duke of Devonshire chapter of the I.O.D.E. are calling door-to-door during the coming week.

Money is needed to supply the many services offered free to the 33 registered blind persons living in Halton county, four of whom live in Acton. These services include training, job placement, library service, recreation and many others which help the blind to achieve a large measure of independence and self-sufficiency.

The Canadian National Institute for the Blind maintains in this area a complete service program for both those persons losing their sight and those persons already without their sight.

The Institute has a special department for the care of the preschool blind children, as well as vocational training and rehabilitation for all adult blind persons. Some of these services are: employment, supervision of industrial stands and cafeterias, library service, which includes talking books, braille and Moon type books, provision of social and recreational activities, such as the annual picnic which was held this year near Oakville with over 100 in attendance.

All these services and many others are made possible through contributions to the current drive for funds. I.O.D.E. members are hoping for generous responses when the volunteer canvasser calls.

Hold Costume Parade At Halloween Party

The October meeting of the Friendly Circle took the form of a Halloween party in the Sunday school room of the United church, Wednesday of last week.

During the business portion of the meeting, with president Mrs. Shirley Armstrong presiding, the bazaar and bowl supper were discussed. Mrs. Laura Lovell read the scripture and led in prayer.

Dressed in costume, members paraded to music. Prizes for the best costume went to Mrs. Freda Perkins as Mary and her lamb, Mrs. Elsie Johnston as a gypsy, to Mrs. Annetta Van Fleet and Mrs. Irene Masters as a horse.

Games followed. Mrs. Helen Waterhouse and Mrs. Mary McKenzie led the group in charge of the program. A lovely buffet luncheon was served by the group in charge.

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