



ACTON FIREMEN paid a surprise visit to the schools in Acton and three rural schools last Monday afternoon during Fire Prevention week. The fire alarms were sounded throughout the schools and firemen timed the pupils as they cleared the rooms. The above photo shows fire chief J. Newton as he talks to the children at the Robert Little School and stresses fire prevention. The lower photo shows the chief explaining fire prevention to the pupils at the new M. Z. Bennett school, while other firemen stand by with the truck to explain any details to the children.

## The BIBLE TODAY

All over the world there is an astonishing revival of interest in the sacred text of Holy Scripture. Never in our history have Christians been committed to such a tremendous volume of translation and revision work. This year 1957 finds the Bible Society supervising Scripture translations into 243 different languages.

Since world war II the work of translation has increased at least six-fold. This is to be accounted for by a perfectly normal stage in the development of the life of the church. Where mission work began about 50-60 years ago, now is the time that it ought to expand, which is the law of expansion growth.

First the blade, then the ear, and then the full corn, applies here. First the tentative pioneer Gospel then by various stages of trial and error, the New Testament now, as the church and community have taken root and grown, the whole Bible, without which no church has the articles of faith.

At a time of profound moral confusion and fear, of the failure of systems, of the revival of ancient faiths such as Islam, Hinduism and Buddhism, and now the action

## Raymond Bryant Is Councillor By Five Votes

Raymond Bryant of R. R. 3, Campbellville, was named to the Ward Two position of Nelson council in a close vote Tuesday when he polled five votes more than Fred Walker, R. R. 2, Milton, for the seat. It was an 81 per cent vote.

A total of 208 votes were cast for Mr. Bryant who will remain on council in the seat vacated by Warren McRae until the end of 1957. Mr. Walker polled 29 votes. Approximately 570 Ward Two residents were eligible to vote.

Along with the election of Mr. Bryant, the council will also elect a councillor-at-large, a councillor for the city, and a councillor for the district.

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## Swimming Classes Continue at Y.M.C.A.

Jim Buckland has been busy at the Y recently with his dry land swimmers, instructing the class on proper methods of breathing and swimming strokes.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Buckland and secretary D. Doherty took a group of handicapped children to the George Y pool for instruction.

## C.G.I.T. News

The meeting of the C.G.I.T. opened with a worship service followed by a story read by Mrs. Lawson.

Julie Holmes was president for the month's agenda that followed, after which the members worked on a musical recording of the life of Jesus.

The meeting closed with taps.

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## List Class Openings Extend Enrolments

Officials of the Night School classes announced this week there are still a few openings in some of the courses.

Classes taking place on Monday evenings are: Millinery, x, aluminum, x, upholstery, elementary clothing, elementary typing, elementary oil painting.

Tuesday evening classes are as follows: shopwork, x, tailoring, x, accounting and bookkeeping, x, copper work, x, advanced typing, x, advanced clothing and advanced painting.

Courses with an x marked behind them denote openings still available.

Officials note that applications for courses will be accepted until October 15.

## Round the World On Farming Tour

CALGARY (CP) — Arthur Williams, a young Australian farmer on a round-the-world agricultural tour, plans to open an Australian version of the Canadian "steak house", an idea he picked up in Calgary.

Mr. Williams stopped here recently after completing 30,000 miles of a world jaunt to gather agricultural information for his own use. He liked the idea of the steak house, and said he found Canadian steaks "good but tough" compared to Australian beef. He blames the long, cold winters in this area for the toughness.

Mr. Williams says he has gathered a wealth of information so far and hopes to get more in the United States, Argentina and other countries before returning to Australia.

"Much of it can be utilized on farms in Australia," he said.

Mr. Williams is president of the agricultural bureau in Dora Creek near Sydney, where he and his mother operate a combination poultry and Hereford farm.

"From what I've seen," he said, "farming conditions in Canada and Australia have much in common."

A fear that wool prices may drop has caused many Australian farmers to move away from sheep farming to cattle farming, Mr. Williams said. Cattle stations — they're called ranches here — are becoming more commonplace throughout the country.

Mr. Williams is making his trip as a hitch-hiker, working to meet expenses when he runs short of cash.

## LEGION NEWS

Six new members were welcomed to the Legion at the regular meeting last Monday evening in the Legion auditorium.

The initiation committee, including Gordon H. Donald III, Franklin Proulx, Sherrill Cannon, Edwin Pope and Alex Frank as full fledged members and comrades in arms.

The poppy day canvass is coming up soon and volunteers are needed, so how about it, comrades. Contact Al Irwin and lend a helping hand.

Christmas is not too far away and volunteers are going to be needed, so let's make it a merry one for the children and all get out and pitch in.

Dude Lindsay has the dart boards all up now and waiting for more volunteers in order to organizing a league. With only a few volunteers so far, Dude is wondering where all the feather-toppers are.

A delicious and pleasant surprise was enjoyed after the regular meeting on Monday night when President Vic Patrick presented a roast of venison, freshly cooked by good wife Phyl, and also buttered bread with Spanish onions and pickles, for refreshments.

President Vic says thanks should go to his boss, Cliff Bradley for having such a keen eye during the hunting season.

Come on out to the meetings, comrades, surprises are in store for you.

## Baptist Church Group Hold Thank-offering

The Baptist Women's Mission Circle held their fall thank-offering meeting Thursday evening, October 3, in the church. The meeting opened with Hymn 201 and prayer by the president, Mrs. J. Chapman.

Mrs. R. Coster's scripture reading was from Acts and stressed the need for us always being in readiness for the return of Christ.

Special musical piano and organ numbers were played by Mrs. L. Bulmer and Helen Landsborough.

Mrs. C. Landsborough then introduced the speaker of the evening, Mrs. A. Wormald, missionary on furlough from Bolivia, who gave a most inspiring and informative talk on customs and life in Bolivia. Mrs. Wormald's pleasing personality and gift of description held the audience's close attention throughout.

On behalf of Circle members and friends Mrs. D. R. Hutcheon moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Wormald.

During the tea hour which followed, greetings were brought by

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