



THE LORD BISHOP of the Diocese of Niagara, The Reverend W. E. Bagnall, D.D., D.C.L. is shown with St. John's Anglican Church, Rockwood, officials, the Rev. Evan H. Jones, Rector of St. John's Church, R. E. Slipp, Lay Reader and R. Vincent, Bishop's Chaplain. The Lord Bishop was present for the Confirmation of Mrs. Beatrice Nightingale, Roy G. Nightingale, Thomas E. Nightingale, Edwin C. Roadnight, Edward Vincent, Master Grant Rusik, Miss Margaret Nightingale and Mrs. Christina Nelson.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

'Talking Through His Hat' Writer Says of Letter

111 Elizabeth Dr. Acton, 4 November, 1957

The Editor, The Acton Free Press, Acton. Dear Sir, The letter you published last week from the correspondent who labels himself 'Actonian First' was so absurdly prejudiced and illogical that it would not normally be worth the trouble of a considered reply. But as the writer claims that his opinions are those of the average Acton citizen, some re-pudatory comment seems very necessary. And the most succinct one that I can think of is that the man is talking through his hat.

When the average Actonian heard the council's decision to reject the proposed new sewage disposal system, he felt not distress but relief as would any sane person at the saving of some mills on the taxes and another crippling debenture.

However, where Actonian First goes most grievously wrong is in his attitude to Councillors Cook and Lowe, which is not libellous, is certainly derogatory. Let me remind him that all the councillors and the deputy-reve voted against the new sewage disposal plant. Certainly councillors Cook and Lowe spoke openly and persuasively against it but that is their privilege and our good luck, since both men are sensible and conscientious.

And because Actonian First's remarks are for the most part directed against these two councillors in some odd desire to vilify them, his arguments lose point and relevancy. For surely it is apparent even to your correspondent that the surest way to entice industry to the town is to maintain a low tax rate.

The only argument of any worth that Actonian First puts forward is that the new plant would be a long-term investment. It probably

Bannockburn 4-H Club Hold Cooking Practice

The second and third meetings of the Bannockburn 4-H Homemaking Club were held at the home of the leader, Mrs. S. Matthews, on Thursday, October 31 and Tuesday, November 5.

The president for this unit is Joan Brooks and the secretary is Marie Mitchell. Because this unit is called Meat in the Menu, it was decided to name the club the Bannockburn Parkers.

At the last two meetings members practiced cooking meats and all six members unanimously agreed that steak and dumplings and roast steak are both very good.

Entertain 500 at Fowl Supper At Knox Church Anniversary

Approximately 500 men, women and children enjoyed the fowl supper held in Knox church Monday evening. The annual event was part of the church's 112th anniversary celebration.

After the dinner, a variety program was presented in the church, with Rev. A. H. McKenzie acting as master of ceremonies.

Rev. McKenzie welcomed the visitors present. A vocal duet was rendered by Ruth Cole and Anne Duenk, 'Two Young Girls'. A favorite local quartette, The Fox Straws, favored with vocal duets were sung by Les

An accordion solo by Theodore Zoons was enjoyed, as was Norma Elliott's solo, 'How Great Thou Art'. Mr. Elliott also sang a duet with Mrs. John Davidson.

Mrs. George Young gave two enjoyable readings Mrs. Wm McLeod thanked all those who had helped in any way with the supper.

The program was brought to a close with 'The Queen and closing prayer by Rev. McKenzie.



LEGION NEWS

Not only did it appear as though some of the June Taylor dancers had invaded the Legion Auditorium last Friday, but as if some of Clyde Beatty's African beasts had escaped their cages. But jolly old St. Nick was on hand to bring joy to all.

In case you weren't there it was the Halloween Masquerade held in the Legion Auditorium last Friday. Costumes ranged from young school girls (quite masculine) dressed in middie and skirts and

convicts in their prison garb to Frankenstein with a wild-eyed gorilla. How far can you go to keep warm?

All enjoyed the fine music of Norm Robinson's orchestra from Guelph and at 11 o'clock, funnily was abated when the judges picked the winners and everyone unmasked.

First prize went to Harvey Lambert and Jack Haidie, who teamed up at Frankenstein and a gorilla, and second prize went to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crippa, decked out in striped prison suits. Thanks should go to Jim Higgins and his committee for a fine evening.

Just a reminder to purchase your poppy from the canvassers Friday night or Saturday.

A Remembrance Day service is being held Sunday in Rockwood. Those attending are to meet at the Legion Hall before 1:30 for transportation.

Don't forget Remembrance Day, Monday, November 11. The parade forms at the Legion at 10:30 to march to the cenotaph.

The new officers and executive for the Minor Sports Committee were elected on Thursday last with the following officers taking office: president, Vic Masters; vice-president, Ivan Kibby; secretary-treasurer, Mike Bennett; executive, Gord James; D. Ryder, S. Brynnele, Alec Johnstone, E. Marks, Roy Kirkness, Bill Quennell.

Our auditorium got its yearly going over last Tuesday evening when the Minor Sports group played host to over 150 boys at a turkey dinner and entertainment.

This was the annual get-together, which this year was held jointly for the hockey and baseball enthusiasts who play in the Minor Sports league.

Our good friends, the Legion Ladies' Auxiliary, had a busy evening but the youngsters were kept well satisfied with the abundance of food provided. Another gold star to the Auxiliary for being able to prepare to feed and satisfy such a large group of hungry youngsters with hearty appetites.

Now to the sports corner. The dart tournament is evenly matched with not too many points between teams. On Tuesday, team no. 8, sitting in the tall gunner position last week, pulled a sneaker and won the evening's play with four points.

Teams 1, 5 and 8 tied with three points each for second place, 3 and 4 tied for third and no. 7, one of the league leaders last week, slipped into cellar position on the night's play with one point.

OSPRIDGE Hold Parties In Local School

Halloween parties were held in both junior and senior rooms of the local school on Friday afternoon. Several of the mothers and pre-school children were interested guests.

Mrs. G. Sinter and Miss E. Baldie spent a day recently with their cousins Mr. and Mrs. James Hawkins, Guelph.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. J. Vander Vliet and two children to the community they have moved into their new home recently built on the lot next to Rev. Raymond's home on the highway.

Mrs. McPherson Sr. of Milton spent the week end with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McPherson.

Mrs. Eddy Stewart was a patient last week at Guelph hospital with pneumonia, following the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Matthews, Guelph, visited on Sunday with Mrs. M. Jackson.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Norman McKenzie included Mr. and Mrs. George Hindley and family Guelph, Mr. and Mrs. S. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kingsbury, Donna, Marilyn and Gordon of Rockwood.

A good crowd attended the Barn Dance on Friday evening at Mr. George Grundy's new barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Atken attended the commencement exercises at Guelph Collegiate Vocational Institute on Friday evening, when their daughter Jean received a scholarship and prizes for high standing. Joan is now enrolled at Western University, London.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Robertson Lynda and Donna, Reddale visited on Sunday with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Robertson.

The oldest trees in the world are the sequoia of California. Some of them date back to the times of David and Goliath and are still in thriving condition.

Tips on Touring

By Carol Lane

Woman's Travel Authority You're a smart motorist - so your car has been serviced for winter. Even so, if we get extreme cold, you may find starting hard. Here are some tips for taking the edge off winter nights.

If you keep your car in a garage stretch a rope across the end of the garage and hang a blanket over it. Then, when you put the car away at night, snug the front end up to the blanket. This preserves some of the heat left in the motor and keeps the fan from scooping up icy early morning air, blowing it into the motor.

If you ever have to leave your car outside all night, you can still cut down warm-up time. Save a large shopping bag, fold it flat and slip it down inside the hood between grill and radiator. To secure the bag, run a cord through one end of it, and tie the cord to the radiator cap. (This also prevents your radiator from freezing up while you're driving through heavy snow.)

Here are three ideas for frozen door locks. On a warm day, fill an old squirt can with a solution of carbon tetrachloride (CCl4) and paraffin (5:1) and squirt it around the outside door push button.

Or if there are no warm days in prospect, get some rubber chair leg tips from your local hardware store and slip them over the ends of the push buttons. This usually keeps out rain and snow.

And if all else fails, try heating your key over a match before putting it in the lock.

Don't wait for a skid to learn the road is slippery. Drive safely.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Spend to Make Pensioner Says

Acton, November 5 1957

The Editor, Acton Free Press, Dear Sir, I was quite interested in reading the letter from Actonian First in the Free Press October 31. I heartily agree with all he said, even if it does put our taxes up for a time. We have to spend money to make money and keep in the good ahead class.

Yours truly, Old Age Pensioner

Members of Staff Fete Retiring Member

The staff of Ledger's IGA supermarket were hosts at a going-away party for Mrs. Edith McEachern last Saturday night when they presented her with a telephone combination gasp bench and twin lamps.

Mrs. McEachern is relinquishing her position as cashier with the IGA after four years of service.

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FRIDAY - SATURDAY NOVEMBER 8 - 9

Movie advertisement for 'Gunfight at the O.K. Corral' featuring Burt Lancaster and Kirk Douglas. Includes showtimes and prices.

MON.-TUES.-WED. Advanced Prices NOV. 11-12-13

Movie advertisement for 'Oklahoma!' by Rodgers & Hammerstein. Includes showtimes and prices.

THURS.-FRI.-SAT. NOV. 14-15-16

Movie advertisement for 'Pat Boone is Singing Love Songs to Bernardine' featuring Pat Boone and Terry Moore. Includes showtimes and prices.

IGA advertisement featuring a woman's face and the text 'Here's Health in Apples'. Promotes various apple products.

IGA advertisement listing various food items and prices, including McIntosh and Spy Apples, Courtland Apples, and P.E.I. Potatoes.

'BONUS BUCK' advertisement listing food features and prices, including Cheese Slices, Potato Chips, and Sodas.

IGA advertisement listing various food items and prices, including Delmonte Juice, Ketchup, I.G.A. Coffee, and Toilet Tissues.

Advertisement for a 'BABY DOLL' for \$5.95, described as an ideal Christmas gift.

Advertisement for 'FREE GIFTS with BONUS GIFTS' from IGA, including important notice about claiming gifts by Dec 7.

Advertisement for Kodak film, offering a promotional special for 50% off on 24 and 35mm film.

Tax Notice -- 1957 from the Municipality of Acton, detailing the fourth instalment of taxes due on November 15.