

## Personal Notes...

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

—Guides are delivering handbills this week as a money-making project.

—A good section of Acton's population moved out of town on the holiday weekend.

—Last night's fashion show sponsored by the Acton H-Y Club was termed a huge success.

—Good golfing weather! We hope the boys are out getting in some practice for the Acton Op.

—Seem to be more trains than ever through Acton these days since the line has been converted to diesel.

—Overheard: "He comes from such a small town they don't even have a village idiot. Everyone takes turns."

—The lack of trees on front streets in Acton will soon be noticed as the sun begins to beam a little stronger.

—Acton park is taking on its summer appearance and soon will be crowded with swimmers and boating enthusiasts.

—Milton is planning to enter its opposition to Trafalgar's amalgamation plan. It had been proposed to unite Oakville, Trafalgar, Milton and sections of Easington and Burlington.

—Snow fell Friday and again Saturday. Since then: thunder, lightning and rain. The frosts mowed down some early planted petunias, but in general the gardens are thriving.

—William Coats of Acton, a former A. V. Roe engineer, will be teaching mathematics at Milton high school next term. Oscar Drijber is leaving Milton high school to come back to Acton, where he taught several years ago.

—The grandstand at the agricultural grounds in Milton was up for sale by auction Monday. It went to Ed Snow of R.R. 5, Milton for \$11. Jack Elliott was in charge of the auction, and there was only one other bidder. The grandstand will be torn down.

—Apparently some kind of survey was made down around St. Helena, just off No. 25 Highway south of Speyside. People have been trying to figure out what the white paper with numbers and blue streamers mean that were left behind on some trees. Highway 25 is an often-surveyed area but apparently this survey went back half a concession. Anybody got any ideas?

—June bugs came out by the thousands last night in the heat.

—Don't forget the Provincial election is coming up soon. Be prepared to cast your ballot.

—Halt county council will be holding its regular meeting on Thursday night this week rather than on the customary Tuesday afternoon. This is quite an unusual departure from custom but apparently the much-talked-of Oakville annexation hearing was before the Municipal Board on Tuesday and many of the municipal representatives were attending it, making a council meeting impractical.

### TENNIS TOPICS

Well, Spring has sprung, and naturally a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of... Tennis, of course. Most folks will have noticed the old tennis courts are wearing a new look this year. The new look means tops of trees just 16 inches from the ground. Minor accessories, such as fencing, are being repaired or replaced, and soon our new look will be complete.

To keep step, the Acton Tennis Club held its first executive meeting on Tuesday, May 12 at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brunelle. The meeting was presided over by the Club president, Ron Lewis. In attendance were Lorraine Root, Doris Graham, Arlene Bruce, Bob Bruce, Mae Dumarch, Stella Brunelle and Roy Gatenby.

Club rules were reviewed and brought up to date. There followed considerable discussion on a fund-raising project and a further executive meeting was scheduled for May 25 to consider this question.

Emphasis this year will be on developing our own Club in both quantity and quality rather than participation in League play. All are invited to try tennis this year. Contact Arlene Bruce Phone 55W, Mae Dumarch phone 385, or Mary Jane Force phone 7 for information re Club membership.

Mr. Bill Miller of Drumbo called on friends here on Sunday last.

Liberal candidate Owen Mullin and his wife have been making calls in town.

Miss Jean Wilson of Toronto called on friends in town on Victoria Day.

Miss Elsie Stewart of Toronto visited in town on the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam Lelshman and Mrs. J. Inglis spent the weekend at Whitney.

Mrs. W. Douglas spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Douglas, Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Warren of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. John Wood on the holiday.

After spending the winter in Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leslie arrived home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Daymond of Hamilton visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Spielvogel over the weekend.

Mr. Gordon Hayward, grandfather of Mrs. Jack McGonchie, is a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robertson of Islington visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Burns, Mary Ann and Gary of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hinton for the weekend.

L.A.W. Mrs. Andy Anderson of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Pink and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Townsend of New York visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Masters and relatives over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jardine of Hespeler, and Mrs. A. Kemp of Galt, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hinton.

Masters Russell, Peter, Johnny and Larry Masales, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Masales visited in Bracebridge over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ralston and Mr. and Mrs. James Ralston attended the Ralston-MacLaren wedding in New Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wood and Steven visited in town on the weekend, with Mrs. Wood and her young son staying on during this week.

Visiting with Mrs. Jean Hopkins last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brown and children, of Toronto, and Mrs. B. Brown of Owen Sound.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Merkle, of Willowdale and Mrs. W. J. Hall and Marjorie spent the weekend in Wingham with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall.

On the holiday weekend Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Weick and Gerald visited friends in several northern Ontario towns. They drove through a snowstorm in Algonquin Park.

Miss Helen Buckner is in Acton with her parents, spending two weeks vacation after leaving her post as Traffic Analyst with the Department of Highways in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McKenzie and Kathryn visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hufnagel in Alliston on Sunday. Mr. Hufnagel is convalescing at home following an accident several months ago.

Chairman M. W. Coles of the North Halton District High School Board attended the annual convention of the Associated High School Boards of Ontario held in Cornwall over the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ballentine and boys of Lucknow spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ballentine.

Mr. Ballentine is attending a Bankers' Course at the O.A.C., Guelph, all this week.

Guide leaders of Halton Thoroughly enjoyed Guiders' Camp on the holiday weekend, despite chilly temperatures. Mrs. Tom Watson of Acton joined about 20 other leaders at Cedar Ridge camp, south of Milton. Mr. and Mrs. George Haggitt kindly provided her transportation.

Mrs. William Ballentine attended the District Annuals of Women's Institutes in Perth County last week, and is attending the District Annuals in Wellington County this week, and expects to be in South Gray County next week, representing the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes.

Visiting in town last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brown of Brandon, Manitoba, who moved away from Acton in 1912. They are east for the marriage of their granddaughter, Miss Pat Brown of Parry Sound. They noticed that the only place of business which looked familiar were the Free Press and Wiles' Confectionery.

Out-of-town friends attending the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lidkea, 240 Mill St., Sunday, May 17, included Flying Officer and Mrs. Wm. Warnock, Aylmer, Ont.; Mr. and Mrs.

Robert Roale, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. George Topham and Gerry, Toronto; Rev. T. J. and Mrs. Jewell, Brampton; Misses Faye and Mardi Paterson, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sandals and son David, Brampton; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Knoerck, Brampton. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lidkea of Kitchener spent the weekend with his brother and family. Mr. Lidkea was guest soloist Sunday at the service in Acton United Church.

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<p><b>RURAL POWER CUSTOMERS</b> 473,000 220,000 1949 1959</p>	<p><b>RURAL ELECTRIFICATION</b> 90% of Ontario's farmers now have power. Provincial grants totalling \$100 million have increased rural power customers from 220,000 to 473,000 in ten years.</p>	<p><b>HIGHWAYS</b> In ten years, Ontario's investment in our vast provincial highway system has risen from \$65 million to \$238 million a year. Road grants for the improvement of municipal roads are up from \$15 million to \$61 million a year.</p>	<p><b>ROADS AND HIGHWAYS</b> \$238 MILLION \$65 MILLION 1949 1959</p>
<p><b>FARM CASH INCOME</b> \$873 MILLION \$652 MILLION 1949 1959</p>	<p><b>AGRICULTURE</b> Farm cash income in Ontario reached an all-time high last year. Great strides forward have been made in the orderly marketing of farm products. Price supports are a reality.</p>	<p><b>MUNICIPAL AID</b> P-C Government policies have lightened the burden on every municipal taxpayer. Provincial aid has increased from \$82 million to \$310 million annually in ten years.</p>	<p><b>AID TO MUNICIPALITIES</b> \$310 MILLION \$82 MILLION 1949 1959</p>
<p><b>HEALTH, EDUCATION, WELFARE</b> \$329 MILLION \$104 MILLION 1949 1959</p>	<p><b>HUMAN BETTERMENT</b> Ontario's advances in health, education and welfare are unequalled. Investment in human betterment has risen from \$104 million to \$329 million a year—about half of Ontario's total revenues. Personal income has risen much faster than living cost.</p>	<p><b>HOUSING</b> Vigorous government action has abated the acute housing shortage. In 10 years, 425,000 new dwelling units have been completed, a record without equal on this continent. 1958 saw an all-time high of 64,000 completions.</p>	<p><b>DWELLING UNIT COMPLETIONS</b> 64,000 32,000 1949 1959</p>

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