

Personal Notes . . .

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

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Black of Toronto visited friends in town on Sunday.

Mrs. W. Douglas spent the weekend with Mrs. Donald Douglas, Trafalgar.

Mrs. Joseph Frank visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Robinson, Milton, over the weekend.

Visiting with Mrs. D. Wilshire this week at Hillview cottage, is Miss J. Wilshire of Toronto.

The Freuler family and Mr. D. Wilshire visited in Toronto last Saturday, with the Ted Grammich family.

The Freuler family were visited last week by Mrs. H. Myers, Mrs. G. Wilshire, Mrs. G. Brown and Diane, Ricky and Paul, all of King City.

Mrs. J. M. Frank and Mrs. Gerry Timbers of Milton visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Corrie, Wingham.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Holland of London, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brian of Garna, Mr. W. B. Flannigan of Guelph visited Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Browne this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weeks, Carol Donna and Bobby of Orton visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. Ballentine Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Deering of Guelph visited at the same home Tuesday.

The annual meeting of the Ontario Progressive Conservative Association was held at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto this week. Among the delegates was Mr. Mac Sproul of Acton. Dr. K. B. Waller of Rockwood was an area delegate.

Mr. Gerald A. Chandler, CA, has been appointed controller of the Canada Starch Company. The appointment is the result of the recent integration of the operations of The Best Foods (Canada) Limited with those of the Canada Starch Company. Limited. Mr. Chandler, formerly an accountant at Baxter Laboratories in Toronto, lives with his wife and family in Belleville now.

Knox church turkey supper attracted quite a few from out-of-town. A group usually comes from the Rev. Andrew McKenzie's former church St. Andrew's, Islington, and this year they were Mr. and Mrs. William Piggott, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Harris and Miss Joan Wardell. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Rumbley, Guelph, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young, Rockwood, Mr. William Gordon, Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gordon and family of Rockwood.

Tongues never stopped wagging at a luncheon party given by Dr. and Mrs. Robert Buckley for Mrs. Grace Shaw and her two sisters, Mrs. H. Nowell and Mrs. A. W. Ogden. Mrs. Shaw is a free lance broadcaster for the Talks and Public Affairs department of the CBC in Vancouver. Readers may re-

Hi-Y Consider Variety Show

Presentation of a variety show sometime in the future was the topic of conversation at the regular meeting of the Hi-Y Club on Tuesday evening, at the Y.M.C.A.

After discussing the possibilities of presenting another fashion show it was agreed to give further consideration at a later meeting to sponsoring a variety show.

At roll call 20 members responded and later heard the minutes read of the last meeting.

During the business discussion it was agreed to obtain a guest speaker for the next meeting if at all possible.

Following the business session the members joined and played "I've got a secret" before the meeting closed.

Painting Goal Posts Latest Shenanigans

With the fall football season comes high school shenanigans and this year the fad was painting your opponent's goalposts with your high school colors!

On the eve of a Milton-Georgetown game, a group of unidentified students succeeded in "plastering" the Georgetown high school's football field goalposts in bright blue and white Milton colors.

Before the latest Acton-Milton game in Acton, a similar incident occurred in Acton. As the artistic exterior decorators left the school grounds they were greeted by Acton students and the police, but alas, the deed was done!

Last week Milton kids lay in ambush the night before their match with Georgetown, and surprised a carload of Georgetowners sneaking towards the Milton goal. There was no rough stuff just a few heated words.

Unfortunately, one Georgetown kid "slipped" and fell, splashing some green paint on himself. The Milton boys were properly compensated.

Smith-Bell Reunion Held at Brookville

The Smith-Bell annual reunion dance was held at Brookville Hall on Friday, October 23. The old time waltz was won by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Elliott of Galt. A good time was had by all.

The Rev. Marr of Nassagaweya Presbyterian church held baptism services on Sunday. Linus Wayne McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don McMillan, and Linda Anne McLeod, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McLeod, were baptized.

Guests on Sunday

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don McMillan were Mrs. Florence Robinson of Guelph, Thomas McMillan of Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Barber of Georgetown, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cairns of Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Munroe of Acton.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Henderson of Chippawa spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Henderson.

Duncan Campbell of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Campbell.

For Weekend

Mrs. Joyce Palmer and Linda of Toronto and Gerald Henderson of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Campbell.

The sympathy of their friends goes to Mrs. Robert Edlaca's Miss Nina Cartwright and family of Dundas in the sudden loss of her husband.

Nassagaweya Native, W. Near Honored on Bell Retirement

More than 200 persons paid tribute to William Martin Near, of Waterloo at a dinner and dance at the Roney Square. The event marked his retirement from the Bell Telephone Company of Canada after 49 years service.

Mr. Near with the Bell firm since 1910, and who has been supervising construction foreman in Kitchener since 1940, was presented with a movie camera and projector, with a money book and a life membership in the Telephone Partners of America.

Mr. Near received a bouquet of flowers.

Mr. Near is a Past Master of Waterloo Lodge in Acton and was born and raised in Nassagaweya. His sister, Miss Mayne Near and her mother, Alex Near, still live there. Mr. Near's many friends in Acton join in extending congratulations.

Acton H.S. Gym Used First Time

The brand new auditorium-gymnasium at the high school was used for a meeting for the first time on Tuesday. As students assemble, the young people who had been nominated for office in the students' council gave their pitches to fellow students as part of their campaigns.

Up for election today (Thursday) are the president, secretary and treasurer.

A volleyball match was also played in the gym to open new room Tuesday, with Acton, Georgetown and Milton teams taking part (Georgetown won).

The two-story high gym is vividly painted, with fluorescent flamingo-colored doors, an eye-catching light points in through large high panes.

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List Midget Hockey Schedule For Tri-County Minor League

Acton will be well represented in the Tri-County Midget Hockey League this year and this week officials released the schedule for the coming season.

At present, until ice is provided in the Acton arena, the local team will play their home games in the Milton arena.

The following is the schedule, with the first game played in Milton next Monday evening.

Monday, November 9 - 7 p.m., Acton at Milton.

Wednesday, November 11-8 p.m., Oakville at Brampton.

Thursday, November 12-8.30 p.m., Acton at Georgetown.

Monday, November 16-7 p.m., Brampton at Milton; 8 p.m., Georgetown at Oakville (in Milton).

Wednesday, November 18 - 6.30 p.m., Oakville at Acton (in Milton).

Thursday, November 19-6.30 p.m., Acton at Georgetown.

Monday, November 23 - 7 p.m., Oakville at Milton.

Wednesday, November 25 - 8.30 p.m., Milton at Acton (in Milton); 8 p.m., Georgetown at Brampton.

Monday, November 30 - 7 p.m., Georgetown at Milton; 8 p.m., Brampton at Oakville (in Milton).

Wednesday, December 2-8 p.m., Acton at Brampton.

Thursday, December 3 - 6.30 p.m., Brampton at Georgetown.

Wednesday, December 9-6.30 p.m., Georgetown at Acton (in Milton); 8 p.m., Milton at Brampton.

Monday, January 5 - 7 p.m., Brampton at Milton.

Wednesday, January 6 - 8.30 p.m., Georgetown at Acton (in Milton); 8 p.m., Oakville at Brampton.

Thursday, January 7-8.30 p.m., Milton at Georgetown.

Monday, January 11-8 p.m., Acton at Oakville (in Milton).

Wednesday, January 13-8 p.m., Acton at Brampton.

Thursday, January 14-8.30 p.m., Brampton at Georgetown.

Monday, January 18-7 p.m., Acton at Milton.

Wednesday, January 20 - 8.30 p.m., Brampton at Acton (in Milton); Thursday, January 21-8.30 p.m., Oakville at Georgetown.

Monday, January 25 - 8 p.m., Georgetown at Oakville (in Milton).

Wednesday, January 27-6.30 p.m., Milton at Acton (in Milton); 8 p.m., Georgetown at Brampton.

Thursday, January 28-6.30 p.m., 8 p.m., Milton at Brampton, Acton at Georgetown.

J. R. Persons New Manager For H. K. Porter

Effective October 15, J. R. Persons became manager of the Refractories Division of H. K. Porter Company (Canada) Ltd. according to an announcement by H. F. Nunn, vice-president and general manager of H. K. Porter Company (Canada) Ltd.

Formerly district sales manager for the Refractories Division, M. K. Porter Company, Inc. in the Buffalo, New York area, Mr. Persons possesses extensive experience in the foundry and refractories industries. His former associations include Small Steel Casting, Inc., Mexican Refractories, Mullite Refractory Co. and Refractories Division of H. K. Porter Company, Inc.

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Dancing, Singing Skills Seen At Wellington Teachers' Meet

Members of the Teachers' Institute of Wellington No. 2, that includes teachers from the townships of Erasmus, Erin, Guelph, Pilkington, Pushtine and Elora village held their annual convention in Erin village on Monday, October 26.

Following the opening ceremonies, they were entertained by children from Orton, Ospreng and Erin public schools. The children did intricate dancing and choral singing.

Two Speakers

A. E. Jardine, social studies consultant from Toronto, was one of two guest speakers during the morning. He spoke for an hour, illustrating his talk with drawings. He had little time for the amount of material but managed to include something for all the lower grades.

Second speaker was J. Young, physical instructor, Toronto, who put a group of pupils from the Erin public school through their paces, demonstrating how to give a class a five minute break during the day. They "shook it out" did rhythmic exercises most creditably under Mr. Young's instruction.

Word Skills

The afternoon session was devoted to several workshops. Mrs. Gertrude Kinnee, a Rockwood teacher

and supervisor of primary methods, addressed a large group on the subject, "Word Attack Skills in Vocabulary Independence."

At the close of the day, David Armstrong, principal of Rockwood public school, announced the new officers for the coming year. William Woodcock is president and Winston Watt, secretary-treasurer. Representing Erasmus is Mrs. Ruby E. Turner and Erin Township, Mrs. A. Rathburn.

"School's out!" said Mrs. Elgie, bringing the fourth annual convention of the group to a close.

Turkey Dinner

Orton United church W.A. catered to the teachers. The delicious turkey dinner was served in the new Masonic Hall and featured as well many varieties of relishes, cookies and delectable pies of the home-made kind.

Head table guests were W. R. McVittie, B.A., inspector of public schools for the No. 2 area, Rev. E. Culley of Orton United Church, Milton and Mrs. A. E. Jardine of Toronto. Rev. Frank Johnston of Erin village, Mr. J. Young, Mrs. Gertrude Kinnee, Mr. and Mrs. W. Elgie, Mrs. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Brown and Fraser Hoyle.

Entertainment

Following dinner, guests were briefly entertained by Mrs. Gillespie, who told "how she read the daily newspaper." The humorous tale, suggested by the reading on the women's page of her "homescape." Dire things happened and she ended her story with "Homescape, thy name is delicious!"

W. R. McVittie expressed his pleasure at the dinner, which he described as a feast. "It is the highlight of my career convention-wise," he said.

New Tri-County League Starts

The new Tri-County Minor Hockey League with four juvenile entries and five midget entries starts the season's action this Monday at Milton Arena with their first triple header.

In the midget section Milton meet Acton while Georgetown clashes with Oakville and last year's league champions the Milton Sportsmen meet the highly improved Brampton crew.

Five Midget Entries

Georgetown replaces Orangeville in the juvenile section while the newly formed midget league has entries from Milton, Acton, Georgetown, Brampton and Oakville.

A triple header will be played every Monday during the season with both the Milton and Oakville teams using the Brown St. Arena for home games.

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Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown, Linnhouse, will be at home to their relatives and friends on Tuesday, November 10 from 2 to 4.30 p.m. and 7 to 9.30 p.m. on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.

ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement is announced of Nancy Bernice McCombe of Toronto to Arthur L. Swackhamer, son of Mr. Stanley Swackhamer and the late Gertrude Swackhamer of Acton Marriage to take place Saturday, November 7 at Toronto.

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