



—Staff Photo

FACIAL CUTS and shock were suffered by John P. Dunne, 29 Mill Street, when his car struck a guard rail on the Main street south bridge and rolled over on its roof into the tannery creek property Sunday evening. The wrecked car is pictured above after it landed in the deep gully. A cut over Mr. Dunne's nose was stitched by Dr. W. G. C. Kenney.

Softball League Schedule Set at Wednesday Meet

At a meeting last night (Wednesday) the Acton Softball League schedule was finalized. Games are to be played on the softball diamond, all games to commence at 6:30 p.m. Scheduled games consist of seven innings.

Mon., June 6, Acton Citizens' Band vs Acton Legion; Tues., June 7, Acton Junior Farmers vs Dominion Hotel; Thurs., June 9, Station Hotel vs Junior Farmers; Mon., June 13, Legion vs Junior Farmers; Tues., June 14, Dominion Hotel vs Station Hotel; Thurs., June 16, Fire Fighters vs Band; Mon., June 20, Jr. Farmers vs Station Hotel; Tues., June 21, Band vs Dominion Hotel; Thurs., June 23, Legion vs Fire Fighters; Mon., June 27, Dominion Hotel vs Legion; Tues., June 28, Station Hotel vs Band; Thurs., June 30, Fire Fighters vs Jr. Farmers; Mon., July 4, Band vs Jr. Farmers; Tues., July 5, Legion vs Station Hotel; Thurs., July 7, Dominion Hotel vs Band; Mon., July 11, Legion vs Band; Tues., July 12, Dominion Hotel vs Junior Farmers; Thurs., July 14, Fire Fighters vs Station Hotel; Mon., July 18, Jr. Farmers vs Legion; Tues., July 19, Station Hotel vs Dominion Hotel; Thurs., July 21, Band vs Fire Fighters; Mon., July 25, Station Hotel vs Jr. Farmers; Tues., July 26, Dominion Hotel vs Band; Thurs., July 28, Fire Fighters vs Legion; Mon., Aug. 1, Legion vs Dominion Hotel; Tues., Aug. 2, Band vs Station Hotel; Thurs., Aug. 4, Jr. Farmers vs Fire Fighters; Mon., Aug. 8, Jr. Farmers vs Band; Tues., Aug. 9, Station Hotel vs Legion; Thurs., Aug. 11, Fire Fighters vs Dominion Hotel.

CHURCHILL

W.A. Meeting, Misfortunes Church Activities in News

The monthly meeting of the Churchill W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Leslie Swackhamer and the men met at Mr. Arthur Swackhamer's on Wednesday evening, May 11.

The president, Mrs. MacArthur, opened the meeting with a verse. Mrs. Frank Freeman gave the scripture reading, Proverbs, chapter 16.

Business was then dealt with. It was decided to have a paper drive around June 6. Plans were made to hold a chicken barbecue in July, and Mrs. Whitman was to see about getting tickets. The meeting closed by prayer.

The men joined for lunch and Mrs. Griffin moved a vote of thanks.

Guest Speaker

Mr. Chuck Beaton of Sarnia, a student minister, was guest speaker at the church on Sunday, and gave a wonderful message.

Bee Held

A bee was held on Monday at Churchill cemetery.

Meeting

A meeting of the Stewards of the church was held at the home of Mrs. Swackhamer.

Two Paintings At Area Show By Town Artists

Acton artists were represented at the area show of paintings held at Brampton last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Walter Dubois and Mrs. J. Whitman each exhibited one canvas, among the 78 which competed for nine awards.

These two paintings were chosen at the Five Counties Regional Show at Grand Valley to go to Brampton. There were 30 to 40 picked from each of three regional shows.

Mrs. Dubois' painting was titled, 'Birches in Winter' while Mrs. Whitman's was a portrait of a girl.

Several from town were down to the show on the weekend.

Postpone Schedules For Minor Sports

Unfortunately a list of the Pee Wee and Bantam teams and schedule is not available for this week. President Vic Masters of the Minor Sports Committee reported the list will be published next week.

The president pointed out that quite a number of boys have enrolled for these groups and the team managers are having a difficult time sorting out the players.

It was noted, however, the schedule will begin next Thursday evening at the M. Z. Bennett school playground and a later announcement will be made over the school P.A. system.

Near Halton Manor

Seek County Building Location

Plans for the erection of a proposed \$730,000 Halton County administration building in Milton, including two floors and a basement with a total floor area of 30,000 square feet, were strongly criticized in County Council's May meeting. Tuesday afternoon, in a committee report, the buildings committee asked permission to obtain a suitable site and outlined plans for the building, to include administration of justice, municipal offices and other related services.

Permission was given the committee to arrange for a site for the building, and three choices were suggested. First choice, the

committee explained, was Province-owned land on Highway 25 just south of Halton Centennial Manor. Second choice was Department of Highways land on Highway 25 north of town, on the southeasterly corner of Highway 401 and Highway 25. Third choice was property in the vicinity of the new Milton District Hospital, on No. 10 Sideroad south of the town.

Price Too High

However, criticism was levelled at the committee when the size and price of the building were included in the report. Burlington Reeve F. I. Ryckman began the blast when he said a 10,000

square foot building would suffice, and at the accepted \$20 per square foot price, \$250,000 should cover the cost.

Objections to the immediate removal of the administration of justice from the present building, was voiced by Nassagaweya Deputy Reeve Archie Service. "We should leave the administration of justice here (council was meeting in the present Court House) until we absolutely outgrow it," he stated, urging the committee to proceed now with a smaller building to house the municipal offices needed.

Warden Douglas Sargent, Reeve of Georgetown, replied the court is often cramped for space now, and added his view that stage development is not the best type.

Work Out Details

Milton Reeve Art Desjardine, chairman of the building committee, and Acton Deputy-Reeve Jack Hargrave expressed support of the proposal to build the complete building now, while Reeve Ryckman and Trafalgar Deputy-Reeve Fred Neer lent their support to Deputy-Reeve Service's views. As the heated discussion waged on, Reeve Desjardine called out "give us permission now to go ahead and get the site, and we'll work out the details on the building later." Council agreed.

Council also approved a verbal motion that they drop former plans to have the new building located in the present County block surrounded by Mary, Brown, Queen and Hugh Sts.

EVERTON

Many Visitors In Local Homes

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hindley were Mr. Ross Dampier, Johnson City, Tennessee, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hindley and family of Hillsburgh.

Mrs. Clara Blacklock of Toronto is visiting this week with Mrs. John Alton and Miss Jennie To-vel.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bagg of Guelph visited Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Dolson of Hamilton spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cutting.

Mr. Roy Hindley spent a couple of days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McEnery visiting his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Dampier. Mrs. Dampier has just returned from spending the winter months with her sons Joe and Ross in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Murray and Mrs. Will Head of Guelph visited Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jestin, Patsy and Nancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Conling visited on Sunday with Mr. Chas. Hamilton.

Miss Evelyn Dolmer, Guelph spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dolmer.

Mrs. Cross of Fergus visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bruce.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ware were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Bayley, Toronto, Mr. Tom Ware, Acton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert McKersie, Rockwood.

Complete Course In Home Nursing

Eleven local ladies successfully completed a 12-week course in home nursing conducted by the St. John Ambulance Brigade and on May 10 tried examinations under the supervision of Miss M. Gibbons, R.N.

Mrs. W. M. Coates, divisional officer of the brigade, acted as instructor for the course. Candidates included Mrs. S. Jerome, Mrs. F. Pink, Mrs. S. Magee, Mrs. D. Frizzell, Mrs. M. Hattness, Mrs. T. Lazenby, Mrs. B. Platt, Mrs. R. Hart, Mrs. R. Chew, Mrs. T. Cook and Mrs. D. Cohen.

Results from the final examinations will not be known until a later date and will be published in the Free Press reported R. S. Hart, brigade superintendent. Also on May 10 regular re-examinations were taken by Mrs. E. Helferman, Mrs. G. Hargrave, Miss Bella-Maye Rozell and D. Spick.

The balance of the brigade members took a re-examination in first aid under the supervision of Dr. R. Buckner.

Reports Out

The town auditor's report has been completed. Copies are available for all residents and may be secured at the town office.

Road Barred

The track at the park is barred to cars. The roadway was gouged into deep ruts by vehicles during the spring thaw.

However, signs of summer are rampant. Children are swinging and sliding, ball players huffing and fishermen sitting silently along the shores. Grass cutting takes hours... and YOU complain about your lawn?

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Save-a-Life Week Program Held by St. John Brigade

Save-A-Life week got away to be a good start for the St. John Ambulance Brigade Monday evening when they taught 25 Home and School Association members the principles of artificial respiration at the Robert Little Public School.

Tuesday evening 11 guides were present to take artificial respiration supervision and Wednesday evening 24 Cubs were taught the main points.

Superintendent R. S. Hart reported today the brigade is willing to teach any organization or individual the principles of artificial respiration.

Tonight (Thursday) the brigade will conduct a course at the Y.M.C.A. and will train the Y's Men's Club, Y board members, Y's Menettes Club and members of the Y.M.C.A.

PROPERTY OWNERS WEEDS

Notice is hereby given to all property owners in accordance with the Weed Control Act, Ontario, Sections 3, 7, 10 and 12, that unless weeds growing on their lands within the municipalities of Essex and Nassagaweya are cut down or otherwise destroyed by June 15th, 1960 and also throughout the season the Municipality may enter upon said lands and have the weeds destroyed charging the costs against the lands-in the taxes, as set out in the act.

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NOTICE

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Your attention is drawn to section 5 of By-law No. 903 which governs the collection of garbage in the Town of Acton.

This section sets out the amount of garbage which shall be collected from each property or family as follows:

Your co-operation is requested in adhering to these provisions as they will be strictly enforced.

1. No more than five (5) containers for each family living in one dwelling or from each assessed property.
2. No container or bundle to weigh more than fifty pounds.
3. All garbage or refuse to be in proper containers.
4. All bundles to be a maximum of four (4) feet in length and not weigh more than fifty (50) pounds.
5. All empty cartons to be broken down and securely tied.

TOWN OF ACTON

J. McGachie
Clerk-Administrator

Problems of Women In Africa Related

The Women's Missionary Society of Acton United Church met at the home of Mrs. Robert Hart, May 10 at 2:30 p.m. with 23 members present.

Mrs. H. R. Force, the society president, opened the meeting with a hymn and prayer. The secretary's report was read and the correspondence attended to. Mrs. J. Lambert presented the treasurer's report.

Shows Articles
Mrs. Cleave reported on Community Friendship. Miss Mainprize reported on the bazaar and showed the members some articles purchased.

Miss Simmons read an article "Christian Stewardship." The president reported a few highlights of the meeting with the C.G.I.T. and the interesting guests they had from Africa.

After the offering was received, Miss D. Simmons sang a beautiful solo in memory of the late Miss Henderson. Miss Simmons was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. C. Pickett.

Mrs. A. Shoemaker was in charge of the devotional service. Mrs. J. Lambert read the 126th Psalm and a poem by Mrs. Stern. Comments on the poem were made by Mrs. Shoemaker.

Miss M. Z. Bennett gave a most interesting talk on the women of Africa, telling of some of their difficulties.

Mrs. Shoemaker extended a vote of thanks to the hostess. The meeting closed with a hymn and the Mizpah benediction.

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