



—Staff Photo
G. A. FRANCEY, representative for the Disston Saw Company in Johannesburg, South Africa, visited the Acton plant on Monday and toured the industry for the first time. On a three month business trip he was quite impressed with Acton and marvelled at the vegetation in Canada. He is shown above on the left with G. Harrap, plant official.

Johannesburg Visitor Tours Disston Saw Plant

A Disston Saw representative for the past 35 years, George A. Francey of Johannesburg, South Africa, paid his first visit to Acton Monday and toured the Disston plant here during a business trip to North America.

Distinguished looking and businesslike, Mr. Francey mixed some pleasure with his business trip and enjoyed a motor trip north to capture Canadian color of fall leaves on his camera.

Amazed at the vast vegetation in Canada, the visitor was quite impressed and stated his delight with hospitality, food and business relations here.

Co-owner of Youdon and Glencourse, a distributing agency in Johannesburg, Mr. Francey pointed out his firm has been established for the past 41 years and has handled Disston products for 35 of those years.

Disston products have a wide acceptance and are important to our firm," he remarked as he completed a tour of the plant in Acton.

Married with three children, the visitor is travelling alone before returning to his homeland he will visit England, Holland, Germany and Italy during a three month period.

His flight from Johannesburg to Paris took 2 1/2 hours and from

Paris to New York eight hours. Before coming to Acton, he toured plants in the States owned and operated by H. K. Porter Company and expressed his amazement at the vastness of the corporation.

Asked about weather in his homeland, Mr. Francey pointed out it was wonderful. His home town is approximately 6,000 miles above sea level. "Johannesburg is hot and dry and everyone is quite accustomed to it," he remarked.

It is his second trip to North America and the South African businessman is quite impressed with noticeable changes since his last visit.

Worrying Situation
Asked about the political situation in his homeland, he said it is a worrying situation to everyone. He enlarged on possible solutions but preferred to leave final remedies up to the United Nations.

He enjoys a hobby and believes every person should have a hobby in order to relax from the tensions of business. His hobby is woodcarving.

Before leaving Acton, Mr. Francey congratulated the officials at Disston on their wonderful plant and modern means of manufacturing.

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4-H Meet, Shower, Visitors Highlight Week's News Events

Willard McMillan's car that was stolen from his garage a week ago was recovered in Kitchener parked near the freight sheds.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Theaker returned home during the weekend from a motor trip to the West where they visited relatives travelling as far as Lake Louise, Alberta.

Attend Convention
Miss Doris Fine and Mrs. Allan McCrae attended the Area Convention of the Women's Institute at Guelph OAC last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bulloch attended the National Gift Show held last week at the Coliseum, Toronto.

The first meeting of the 4-H Club was held at the school with 18 girls and their leaders present.

The project being studied is "The Club Girl Entertains" with Miss Doris Fines as leader for Group 1 and Mrs. C. Storey and Marlene Fuller as leader and assistant for Group 2.

Select Officers
Officers elected for Group 1 are president Muriel McCutcheon, vice president Sandra McEwan, secretary Nancy Grundy.

Group 2: president Toni Vos, vice president Gail Fuller, secretary Laurel Stubbington, press reporter for both groups Nancy Bulloch.

The leaders outlined the requirements of the members for this club and discussed cleanliness, dish washing procedure, and abbreviations in recipes.

Group work demonstrations included use of measurements and flower arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stevenson of Toronto spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McMillan. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parashuke, Erin, were also visitors at the same home on Saturday.

Entertain Ladies
Mrs. Fred Archibald entertained several ladies at a shower for Ros de Jong whose marriage to Jerry Fisher will be an event of Saturday in the local church.

Jack Sim of Toronto spent a few days holidays with Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart.

Mrs. D. G. Robertson attended a board meeting of the Ontario Churches of Christ Disciples held in the Conference Grounds at Selkirk on Saturday.

Ward Bruce is erecting a new

Mrs. Doug Copeland Reviews Convention

Mrs. Doug Copeland was guest speaker at the first fall meeting of Acton's Menettes held at the home of Mrs. S. Sultz Wednesday of last week. She gave a very interesting account of her trip to the international convention at Minneapolis, U.S.A., this summer. Outlining highlights, she recalled some of the forums when the speaker told of the need for children's clothing and shoes in the Philippines.

A letter of resignation was received from the president, Mrs. W. D. E. Smith, and accepted with regret.

Convention Coming
Mrs. C. Rognvaldson, vice-president, chaired the business meeting—and plans—were made for the next meeting. Most members are looking forward to the regional convention to be held at Hamilton in October.

Mrs. E. Masales and Mrs. G. Puncheon were in charge of devotions. Mrs. W. Dubois and Mrs. S. Sultz served a delicious lunch.

SILVERWOOD

Sandy McKay Suffers Hip, Skull Fracture

Sandy McKay had the misfortune to fall down the cellar stairs breaking his hip and fracturing his skull and is in Guelph General hospital recovering. Friends and neighbors wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ford and Maureen of Bulsover, Ont., visited with the Marchingtons over the weekend and attended Georgetown fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Watson of Toronto were visitors at the fair and later with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott.

Miss Shirley Dotzert and Miss Jane Poser of Waterloo spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Wilson and family and visited Milton fair.

Mrs. Harry Marchington attended the fall executive and directors meeting of the Women's Institute in Milton Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Dave Williamson and Mrs. Clare Wilson attended the W.L. District Annual at Guelph last weekend.

Pot Luck Supper Precedes Meeting

The first fall meeting of St. Joseph's C.W.L. was held last Thursday evening with the pot luck supper being enjoyed first. Mrs. Hartley Coles opened the meeting with the league prayer. Rev. Father Morgan spoke to the members.

Reports were given by the conveners of each group.

Plans were made for the annual fall bazaar and tea to be held November 19 in the church hall.

Bus Trip

District meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Christian Reformed Churches of this area was held yesterday (Wednesday) in Niagara Falls and a busload of members from the church here made the trip. As well as attending the meeting, they enjoyed sightseeing. (Free Press apologies to the ladies; the photograph failed to turn out.)

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