



GOLDEN WEDDING anniversary was observed Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey, Queen Street. The couple were married in Shelburne 50 years ago and have resided in Acton for the past 18 years. Over 90 assisted the couple in celebrating their anniversary at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Many happy memories of 50 years of marriage were recalled Saturday when Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bailey, Queen Street, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Over 90 guests including family and friends were present to honor the couple.

During the reception held on the lawn the couple cut a wedding cake made especially for the occasion by a daughter, Mrs. Elwin Hood, Hopeville, and an anniversary cake made by Holschem's Bakery.

Mrs. Bailey wore a gift corsage of yellow roses, presented by Mrs. George Musselle, while her husband favored a boutonniere of white carnations.

Given TV Set
Included in the many gifts and congratulatory messages was a television set which the couple hope to enjoy very much. A welcome visitor for the occasion was Mrs. Tom Mills of Dundalk, who is 94. She was a foster mother to Mr. Bailey when he arrived in Canada from England at the young age of 12.

Mr. Bailey and his bride, the former Nellie Orvis, were married 50 years ago in Shelburne Presbyterian Manse by Rev. J. A. McKenzie where they lived 32 years before moving to Acton 18 years ago.

The couple's secret for a happy marriage is "a sense of humour and to learn to give and take." The bride of 50 years stated "If I had another 50 years to live, I would still choose marriage and with the same partner."

Raise Five Children
The happy couple claim raising a family left little time for hobbies but the gift of a television

set will allow them more pleasure. Mr. Bailey prefers the western and sport programs while his wife enjoys mystery plays and serials.

The Baileys have five children, four daughters and one son, 10 grandchildren and two great grandchildren, who were all home Saturday to enjoy the celebration.

Their daughters are Mrs. Bertha Kenter, at home; Mrs. Elwin Hood, (Olive) Hopeville; Mrs. Woodrow Schaldemose (Beatrice) Victoria, British Columbia; and Mrs. Kenneth Travis (Gertrude) of Port Elgin. Their only son Bill resides in Georgetown.

Anniversary gifts from the family and friends included a lawn chair, three lamps, pillow slips, chinaware designed with a gold pattern, travelling alarm clock and blankets. Many cards were also received by the popular couple.

Retired in 1950
Mr. Bailey worked as a carpenter while residing in Shelburne and after moving to town was employed by the Wool Combing Corporation until his retirement in 1950. In his younger years he played football and still retains his interest in baseball and hockey.

Among the ones helping the couple to celebrate their anniversary were guests from Georgetown, Port Elgin, Victoria, B.C., Shelburne, Weston, Toronto, Hopeville, Fergus, Rockwood, Holstein, Dundalk, and Acton.

—The asphalt topping over the C.N.R. crossing at Queen Street is a vast improvement.

"Informed Guesses"

Survey Predicts Halton Population Will Triple to 216,000 by 1976

"Halton and Peel may triple their population between 1956 and 1976" according to the first Economic Survey of Ontario since 1957 which has just been released by the Ontario Department of Economics.

The 340-page study suggests that the population of Halton in 1976 will be 216,000 as compared with a 1956 population of 68,297. It is noted that the figures are "merely informed guesses" based on estimates made in the Ontario submission to the Royal Commission on Canada's Economic Prospects modified by changes in trends.

Concrete Facts
There are some interesting concrete facts on Halton as revealed in the study.

The county's population in 1956 had a greater percentage in the age range (17.1%) than any other bracket. Only 2.6% of the population was aged 65 to 69 but 4.5% were 70 or over.

Halton's population in the 1956 census figures showed males and females pretty well evenly balanced with men (50.7%) holding a slight edge over women (49.3%).

Between 1951 and 1956 the county's rural population climbed from 12,977 to 20,420 while urban population jumped from 31,031 to 47,877.

The average Halton family is made up of 3.5 persons and the birth rate of 29.27 per 1,000 population exceeds the provincial average of 26.4%. It is exceeded only in sections of Northern Ontario.

Fewer Horses
The county's farms have experienced changes too. The number of horses in the county has decreased from 2,700 in 1951 to 680 in 1960. Cattle, swine and sheep have increased in quantity while milk cows have shown a slight decrease.

The production of limestone has taken a tremendous leap from 283 tons in 1946 to 1,962,777 in 1958.

Surveying the province's manufacturing the report notes: "Although manufacturing is widely dispersed from one boundary to the other, the 'Golden Horseshoe' of Ontario, which extends from Oshawa to the Niagara Peninsula, contains the most concentrated structure of manufacturing activity in the province. The two economic regions in this area accounted for about 59% of Ontario's selling value of factory shipments in 1958."

List Manufacturing
The 1958 figures on manufac-

uring show Acton with 18 establishments employing 934 for a payroll of \$3,195,000 and producing \$12,511,000 of goods.

Burlington records 54 establishments with 2,054 employees, a payroll of \$7,153,000 and goods of \$30,606,000.

Georgetown had 24 industries in the 1958 figures with 1,244 employees, a payroll of \$4,809,000 and production of \$16,645,000.

In the intervening years Georgetown has expanded very rapidly. Milton had 15 establishments, 888 employees, a payroll of \$3,627,000 and produced goods valued at \$13,235,000 according to 1958 figures.

Oakville shows 48 industries, 1,869 employees, a payroll of \$7,338,000 and production of \$31,420,000.

Milton's Top Wage
On the basis of these 1958 figures Milton had the highest average wage at \$4,084 followed by Oakville at \$3,926, Georgetown at \$3,850, Acton at \$3,485 and Burlington at \$3,482.

The growth of manufacturing in Halton has climbed from 4,004 employees in 1946 to 10,752 in 1958 with an annual payroll of \$42,041,000.

The metropolitan region, which includes Halton, Ontario, Peel and York counties, accounted for 48% of the value of building permits issued in the province in 1960. Detailed figures by counties were not included in the report.

Motor vehicle registrations in Halton quadrupled from 7,263 in 1946 to 31,898 in 1959 or from 1% of the Ontario total to 1.7%. In the Metropolitan region there are 31.7% of the total Ontario vehicles.

According to the Ontario survey 94% of Halton homes have television or 20,000 sets in the 21,900 households.

—Many employees in various plants are still enjoying holidays!

Two Type Demonstrations Given At Calf Club Meeting July 17

The third meeting of the Acton 4-H Calf Club was held on July 17, at the farm of Calvin Aitken, R.R. 3, Acton, with all members present. Club leader Nino Braida introduced the hosts and praised them for their support to the 4-H program. He went on to explain to the members that Maplewood Farm was engaged in the commercial production of beef cattle using a highly-bred sire to upgrade the quality of his progeny.

Mr. Aitken welcomed the members and expressed the pleasure of the family for being part of the 4-H movement in Halton County.

Vice-president Murray Tatt conducted the business session and invited the club to hold their August meeting at their farm at R.R. 1, Campbellville. Secretary Frank Anthony read the minutes and called the roll.

Type Demonstration
Club leader Sandy Buchanan of Moffat conducted the instruction period and using the herd sire, gave a detailed type demonstration of a Scotch Shorthorn male pointing out the desirable qualities to look for in judging beef bulls. He repeated the demonstration with a mature female from the Maplewood herd.

Instructions on the proper grooming of beef calves for the showing and on showmanship

Accident, Visits Of Interest Here

Stella Johnson of the sixth line is wearing a cast after breaking her arm in a fall late last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brown and family were guests at the Donaldson-Ismond wedding and reception in Norval Presbyterian Church last Saturday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McDonald and to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, each of whom had a little son born last week.

Mrs. Gordon Flanagan was hospitalized for a few days last week. We are glad to hear that she is better.

Mrs. Mills spent a few days in Toronto last week with Mrs. Harris, who was recently bereaved.

Mrs. Al Inglis and Terry spent last week in Buffalo, Al driving over for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Service spent a few days last week with the Russell McDonalds and all enjoyed a motor trip to Camp Borden and Collingwood.

Miss Linda Clarke of Georgetown spent part of last week with Miss Gail Gilmore.

Mrs. Adam Hall and some of her family are staying at her cottage here.

Mrs. E. Sanford and Mrs. J. Sanford are holidaying at their cottage Wambashene.

Mrs. Ethel Thompson of Toronto is holidaying with Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell.

—Many employees in various plants are still enjoying holidays!

Band Still Tooting But Soft Pedal Concerts

Holidays and new members not quite ready to perform in learning to toot horns have played havoc with planned concerts.

He regrets having to cancel some engagements but stressed the band will be able to begin concerts sometime in August.

Band president Ted Tyler Jr. pointed out this week that a number of younger members have joined the band and are progressing quite well but are

concerts.

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Acton bandmen will play a return engagement for Oakville August 27.

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The Ninth Sunday after Trinity
SUNDAY, JULY 30th, 1961
8:30 a.m. — Holy Eucharist.
10:00 a.m. — Mattins: Mr. D. Ditrich, B.A.
All Are Welcome!

ACTON PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
33 Churchhill Road P.A.O.C.
Rev. Kenneth J. Reid, Pastor
75 Cook St., phone 649-W

SUNDAY, JULY 30th, 1961
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m. — Evangelistic.
Tuesday, 8 p.m. — Prayer and Bible Study.
Thursday, 8 p.m. — Christ Ambassadors.
You Are Always Welcome.

BAPTIST CHURCH ACTON
Pastor: James M. Rudd
39 Nelson Court, phone 208

SUNDAY, JULY 30th, 1961
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School.
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m. — Evening Worship.
Wednesday, 7:30 — Prayer, Praise and Bible Study.
All Are Welcome

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Acton, Ontario
Rev. Dwight Engel, B.A. Minister
Mr. George Elliott Organist and Choir Master

SUNDAY, JULY 30th, 1961
10:00 a.m. — Service.
11:15 a.m. — Sunday School for Senior Section.

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
Rev. J. Nutma, B.A., B.D., Minister
301 Queen St., Box 66, Phone 693

SUNDAY, JULY 30th, 1961
8:30 a.m. — Tune in to the Back to God-Hour program. On your dial CKKW-1320.
10:00 a.m. — English Service. Text: Isaiah 1. "Man Before God's Judgment Seat."
2:30 p.m. — Dutch Service. Text: 2 Thess. 2: 6-12. "The Man of Lawlessness."
3:45 p.m. — Sunday School.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA KNOX CHURCH, ACTON
Rev. Andrew H. McKenzie, B.A., B.D., Minister
Mr. F. A. Hansen, B.A. Organist and Choir Master

SUNDAY, JULY 30th 1961
10:00 a.m. — Church School. (Church School to be closed during August.)
11:00 a.m. — Divine Worship. Guest minister, Rev. George C. Vais, St. Giles' Church, Galt, Thero. "What on Earth is the Church Doing?" Junior Congregation (ages 3 - 7) meets during sermon.

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