

Elect Officers, Hear Reports During Annual Church Meet

(Intended for last week)
The Churchill United Church annual meeting was held on January 19 at Churchill. Rev. D. Engel conducted the meeting. Frank Freeman read the minutes and the yearly reports were given by the different officers.
H. Griffin read the treasurer's report, L. Swackhamer the missionary report, Mrs. H. Griffin the W.A. report and also the Sunday school report in the absence of Smith Griffin.
Officers for 1962
The election of officers for 1962 were: secretary, F. Freeman; missionary, L. Swackhamer; elders, S. Griffin, Robert Kerr, Arthur Swackhamer, Frank Freeman and Wallace Swackhamer. Mrs. H. Griffin and Mrs. R. Denny were also elected to serve on the board.
Auditors are Wallace Swackhamer and Ted Freeman; parsonage committee, S. Griffin and R. Denny; music committee, Mrs. R. Denny, assistants, Mrs. R. Saunders, Mrs. N. Turner and Mrs. E. Anderson.
The remaining committees will be chosen by the stewards. All reports showed a good financial year. A committee was picked to

plan a supper and entertainment for the Churchill congregation. The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mr. Beeton.
W.A. Meeting
The Churchill W.A. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Dave Williamson. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. F. McArthur and Mrs. Ralph Denny read the minutes. The scripture was taken from the second chapter of Luke, verses 41-52, and was read by Mrs. W. Thompson.
Business was discussed and plans were made for the Acton Fair Board banquet. The meeting was closed by prayer, after which lunch was served.
Fred Thompson is home from the hospital.
Arthur Sanders had the misfortune to jab a fork in his knee while doing chores and was under the doctor's care for a few days. He is much improved.
Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens have moved into the community and are residing with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. Damm.
Bannockburn Stitch-n-Rip 4H Club have completed their sewing course and are preparing for Achievement Day on February 3 in Milton. Nine girls completed the course, under the leadership of Mrs. William McDonald and Mrs. Linham.
Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald and Gordon visited in Streetsville on Sunday.
The Acton Fair Board held their annual banquet on Tuesday, January 16, at Churchill United Church. The Churchill ladies catered. Allen Neelon was guest speaker and spoke on the work of the Salvation Army. An enjoyable program concluded the evening.
Friends extend sympathy to Mrs. Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williamson on the death of a son and brother.
Holy Communion was observed in Churchill United Church on Sunday. Rev. Engel took the service, assisted by Mr. Beeton.

\$1,500 for Brigade Sought in February
Sydney K. Lamb has been appointed chairman of the February St. John Ambulance appeal. Plans were made to raise \$1,500 to enable the Acton division to continue its work.
The announcement was made this week by General Sir Neil Ritchie, president of the Ontario Council, St. John Ambulance Brigade. Mr. Lamb will be assisted in the campaign by R. R. Willie, appeal treasurer.
Mr. Lamb reported this week the canvass will be conducted by direct mailing and no door-to-door canvass will be conducted.



"BREAK CLEAN but come out fighting" seems to be the instruction Y secretary Sid Saltz gives two youngsters as they participate in boxing during Y.M.C.A. week. Left to right are Ray Saltz and right Terry Cole as they square off ready to box. Physical fitness is one of the foremost aims at the Y and this can be accomplished by means of the extensive program.

Take Stock at First of Year Mrs. Velma Norris Tells W.I.

Mrs. Velma Norris was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Nassagaweya Women's Institute meeting held at the home of Mrs. Jack Robertson. The conveners of Citizenship and Education, Mrs. E. D. Young and Mrs. Leafa Anderson arranged a very interesting program.
The members and visitors responded to the roll call by telling why they appreciated living in Canada. One member, formerly of Holland, told of many things she appreciated in this, her new country. The president, Mrs. Malcolm Moffat reminded the ladies of the 4-H Homemaking Club Achievement Day to be held in William St. High School in Milton on February 3, the completed project being Separates for Summer. Many thank you notes from people who had been remembered with boxes at Christmas by the flower convener secretary were read.
Mrs. Malcolm Moffat and Mrs. John Henry were appointed leaders for the next 4-H Homemaking Club, this being The Supper Club. The theme for Milton Fall Fair, Dress up The Bathroom, was brought to the attention of the ladies. The members voted to send the president to the 65th W.I. luncheon to be

held in the Queen Elizabeth Building at the C.N.E. Park in Toronto on February 19.
Take Stock
Mrs. Leafa Anderson introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Norris opened her talk by reading a very appropriate poem, Happy New Year. Her comments were very thought provoking. Mrs. Norris pointed out many ways we should take stock at the first of the year and in our daily lives. Worthwhile ways of considering citizenship and education were pointed out. In concluding Mrs. Norris brought greetings from her branch, Mountain Union and also from the District.
Mrs. Anderson read an article on the new plans in our secondary school curriculum, that are to be introduced in September. Mrs. Jennings and Mrs. Robertson won a contest on nursery rhymes. Mrs. John Henry and Mrs. Murray Mahon won a contest on Rags to Riches.
At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. John Henry, Mrs. Malcolm Moffat and Mrs. Murray Mahon assisted the hostess with serving a cup of tea and lunch, during which the ladies enjoyed a friendly chat. Mrs. William Fraser was courtesy convener.

Mrs. Mansell Nellis Hostess For Dublin Women's Institute

The home of Mrs. Mansell Nellis was the meeting place of the Dublin Women's Institute on January 18. Emblems of Canada's Provinces made the answers to the Roll Call an interesting one. Letters of thanks were read from recipients of gifts from the Institute. Admission was expressed by the members for a recently made quilt. Gratifying results from the euchre and penny sale were noted.
Plans are being made for a celebration on February 19 of the 65th anniversary of the Women's Institute. The meeting of 500 ladies in Toronto will be address-

ed by Mrs. Smith (U.S.A.) a distinguished member of A.C.W.W. Some local members plan to attend.
A list of articles required for display at Milton Fall Fair was read. A new design for the Inst. fate cup and saucer was announced. The coming Achievement Day exhibition for the 4-H girls will be held in Milton on February 3.
Shows Stitches
Mrs. Horace Blyth read an interesting article on Agricultural Conservation. Mrs. Mansell Nellis demonstrated various stitches relating to the recent bias-binding class held in December.

Teen-Agers Planning Concert Business, Dancing Saturday

The Teen-Age group of the village held a business session in the Town Hall Saturday evening dealing with their activities in the community. During the session, the young people planned for their variety concert in the near future. Mrs. Carpenter of Acton is assisting the young people in this variety show.
From one source of information, the Teen-Agers deserve credit for the manner in which they conduct their organization.
As far as young people of TODAY are concerned, we would do well to consider the words of evangelist Billy Graham who contributed some wisdom to a teenage publication a few years ago.
"Until we solve the human equation called man and get him straightened out, we'll never have a peaceful world. You've got to build a better man before you can build a better society." Now is the time for parents to consider the responsibility that is theirs concerning the welfare of their boys and girls who are supposed to be the men and women of tomorrow.
Following the business meeting, the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing. The hall was decorated with ribbons and streamers.
Skating Season
Due to some of the cold weather last week, skating was held up on the open air rink. Another space for younger folks is right

alongside the old blacksmith shop opposite the Post Office.
Mrs. Roy Day of Toronto was home for the weekend.

LIFE ASSURANCE is EXACTLY THAT
Living Well Today with your future assured

The Profit To You In A Good Savings Contract Is Surprising

DUAL PURPOSE INVESTMENT PLANS
Commercial Union Assurance Company Limited
Edgar Force, Acton

WATCH FOR SERVICE STATION DISPLAYING THE DIVIDED \$ SIGN

Buy Where This Sign Is Displayed

IT WILL MEAN **FREE PREMIUMS TO YOU**

CANADIAN GUARANTEED SALES
REPRESENTATIVE — G. M. BANKS
Telephone Toronto OX 4-2687

WHY WAIT FOR SPRING?

DO IT NOW WITH A HOME IMPROVEMENT LOAN
Home Improvement Loans are available through your bank under the National Housing Act for alterations and repairs to the exterior or interior of a home and for a wide variety of other improvements. You may borrow up to \$4,000 with up to ten years to repay. These loans are also available to the owners of rental properties.

DO IT NOW WITH A FARM IMPROVEMENT LOAN
Farm Improvement Loans, backed by the Dominion Government are available from your bank — up to \$7,500 at five per cent simple interest and up to ten years to repay. These loans cover the purchase of all types of farm equipment and improvement to the farm house and farm buildings.

DO IT NOW WITH A SMALL BUSINESS LOAN
Enquire about Government-backed loans for improvements to small business establishments through the chartered banks — up to \$25,000 and up to ten years to repay.

For advice and assistance call your local National Employment Office
Issued by authority of Hon. Michael Starr, Minister of Labour, Canada

Highways Promotion For Native of Acton

A. T. C. (Cam) McNabb, whose appointment as Assistant Deputy Minister, Administration, Department of Highways, Ontario, is effective immediately, brings more than 25 years of experience with the department to this new appointment.
Up until now, he has been Chief of Administration for the vast highway department organization. In that position, he has worked closely with and assisted the Minister of Highways and the Deputy Minister in the day-to-day operation of the department.

Highway Construction

Before moving up to the executive section of the Deputy Minister's staff in April, 1958, Mr. McNabb had headed the Engineering Audit section, one of the largest in the Department of Highways, for four years. The background for this head office appointment was many years of surveying for the department, during which he rose to supervisor of Location Surveys, the section which locates routes for proposed new highway construction.
Born at Acton in 1913, Cam McNabb attended school here and later in Toronto when his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Billy McNabb, moved there. He and his wife were in town visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Neil McNabb, not long ago. He has two sisters, Mrs. Robert Hayes in England and Mrs. Alf DeLong of Ottawa.
In October, 1933, he joined the Department of Highways, beginning with a survey group. He has been with the department ever since, with the exception of five years of service in the Canadian Army in World War II. Upon retiring with the rank of Lieutenant early in 1946, he returned to the department.

Ministerial Association Backs Billy Graham Film, Campaign

"Decade of Decision," a film sponsored by Acton Ministerial Association, was seen Sunday evening in Acton United Church by well over 200 people from various congregations. The Rev. Dwight Engel introduced the film made by Billy Graham's evangelistic group and the Rev. James Rudd closed the service.
The collection goes to the Billy Graham crusade.
The Ministerial Association is planning further projects to further the work of their churches and increase their "impact of faith."
New Life Campaign
They are also taking part in the New Life Campaign being

sponsored by the Guelph Ministerial Association February 18 to March 4 and will be encouraging their congregations here to attend. In conjunction, prayer meetings will be held starting Saturday, January 20, in Acton United Church, Saturday afternoon. Leighton Ford of the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association will be the speaker in Guelph.

Good Show
Over 200 children roared with laughter at an Abbott and Costello movie in the Y.M.C.A. Saturday afternoon. The shows sponsored by the Y's Men's club have had an up and down attendance but

ACTON TEEN TOWN
Sponsored by Acton Lions Club

DANCE

This Saturday, JANUARY 27th
at the
ACTON COMMUNITY CENTRE
Featuring
"THE LUCERNES"
Dancing 8.30 - 11.45 — Regular Admission

ASSESSOR WANTED

In the Municipality of the
TOWN OF ACTON

The Municipality is assessed under the Department of Municipal Affairs Manual. Salary will be commensurate with qualifications. State age, experience, marital status and when available to accept position.

Applications must be marked 'Assessor', and will be received by the Clerk-Treasurer, J. McGeachie, 40 Mill Street, Acton, Ont., until 5 p.m. February 13th, 1962.

ALWAYS BE AT YOUR BEST
... at home, at a party or just visiting.

Always keep your clothes at their sparkling best with our modern finishing services.

CUSTOM CLEANERS
Same Day Service Except Saturday. In by 10 a.m. Out by 5 p.m. — CASH AND CARRY —
MAIN ST. N. — PHONE 853-1180

JOIN THE

MOTHERS' MARCH OF DIMES

AS THEY CANVASS ACTON THE NIGHT OF
JANUARY 29th
Soliciting Your Contributions in the Fight Against

POLIO, ARTHRITIS VIRUS DISEASES and BIRTH DEFECTS

PLEASE SAY **YES** TO THE MOTHERS' MARCH OF DIMES ON MONDAY NIGHT!

A Polio Prevention Program is possible today because through March of Dimes research, science for the first time has in its hand both a limited prevention agent and a vaccine which may provide the final answer to infantile paralysis.

But what about youngsters already crippled by Polio, Arthritis, Birth Defects and Virus Diseases? They are the ones who need your help too, for it sometimes takes years of medical attention to bring these young people back to health. Give all you can now to the new 1962 March of Dimes.

HELP THEM TO BE NORMAL FOR OUR WAY OF LIFE!

Join The Fight Against Polio — **CONTRIBUTE NOW!**

This Message in Behalf of Better Health is Sponsored by the

ACTON ROTARY CLUB