

Personal Notes

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

Acton Women's Institute members went to the Exhibition together last Thursday.

Mr. Bob Landsborough was home from North Bay for a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Bristow and Bonnie spent the weekend at Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denny's cottage at Southampton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Russell from Calgary called on her aunt Mrs. Bertha Nalls and Mrs. Mary Graham this week.

Mrs. Earl Lambert is a patient in Toronto General Hospital. Friends will be pleased to know she is responding to treatment.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ledger, Miss Donna Ledger will be attending Ontario Ladies' College at Whitby. She begins there September 6.

Mrs. George Nowell and son left for their home in New Westminster B.C. after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walker.

Lions club members, wives and children enjoyed the family picnic and barbecue together Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Landsborough and Ralph have been holidaying at North Bay and Mary Lake, Muskoka. Miss Ruth Landsborough is spending two weeks at Baptist Camp Hermosa near Goderich, Ontario.

Mrs. Jack Chapman, Sr. received word recently that her grandson, Jim Pfaff, of Winnipeg has been accepted as a student at Royal Roads Military College, Victoria, B.C. He will study electronics. Jim is the son of Flight Lieutenant Robert Pfaff, and Mrs. Pfaff, who lived in Acton before her marriage.

OSPRINGE

Fred Archibald C.N.E. Winner Game Fowl Received Awards

Fred Archibald was among the prize winners at the C.N.E. where he received prizes on game fowl.

Mrs. Len Buck received word of the sudden death of her brother Leo Klein of Geneva, N.Y.

Mrs. Sandra McEwan spent a few days at the C.N.E. with the 4-H Homemaking Club girls.

Mrs. Sayers of Acton spent a few days with her son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bruce and family.

Mr. Murd McCutcheon received a painful injury to his foot when a cow stepped on it. X-rays taken on Monday showed no bones broken but it is proving very sore and painful.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellis and family returned home on Sunday following a week's camping trip in Algonquin Park.

Sunday visitors with D. G. and Mrs. Robertson included Mr. and Mrs. Reg Carter and Karen, Miss Shirley Bowerman of Stratford, Mr. and Mrs. C. Heimier, Mr. and Mrs. Harold May of Guelph.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Howard included Mrs. Robert Craig and Steven of London, Miss Emma Ghent of Port Credit, Mrs. Charlotte Apps and Miss Frances Apps of Burtford.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart included Mr. and Mrs. S. Baldwin and children of Ancaster, Mr. John Sim of Toronto.

John, Steven and Bruce Hare of Baie D'Urfee, Quebec, who had spent the past month with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Steele, left on Sunday with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Hure, who returned Saturday after a month's trip to London, Paris, Rome, Singapore, Hong Kong, Sydney, Auckland, Honolulu, San Francisco, Chicago and Toronto.

A 6,500-mile trip took Miss Helen Allan and a friend, Miss Rosa Marie Soamen, through Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and down through the coastal states to South Carolina. They travelled by Volkswagen, camping part of the time. They are back now after five and a half weeks. Miss Allan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Allan, teaches with the South Peel Board of Education.

Relatives from Acton visited in Guelph last evening to say farewell to Mr. and Mrs. Neville Williams and children, who are leaving from Malton this morning enroute to the Fiji Islands, where Mr. Williams has been posted by the British Air Ministry. Their flight of 9,500 miles will take 24 hours, with stops in Chicago, San Francisco, Honolulu and finally Nadi in the Fiji Islands. Their former home in this new posting was in Cyprus.

A holiday in Hawaii last February left Miss Linda Lovell with a keen desire to return. She is back there now and if she finds a suitable job, she'll stay a year or so. She left a week ago Monday, spent three days in Vancouver with an aunt and saw the World's Fair in Seattle before going on. She has two Canadian friends there already as well as many new friends she made in the winter. She worked formerly for TCA in airline bookings. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Len Lovell.

Miss Marion Hunter, Halton's Dairy Princess, will lead the parade at the Acton Fall Fair. She is accompanied by Miss Mary Watson and Miss Joan Watson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Watson and sons of Coningsby spent Sunday at Wasaga Beach.

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Trips on New Curb in Cost Up to Keco

The first accident caused by the installation of new curbs on Main St. occurred last Thursday evening about six o'clock when Mrs. Peter Edge, 159 Tidy Ave., was on her way home. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Robinson stopped to offer her a ride home and crossing over to the car she tripped. An X-ray Friday morning showed a broken foot and she has a cast to her knee.

Power-Packed Steam Engines Compete at Antique Reunion

Antique steam thrashers and antique cars, preserved by enthusiasts, belched smoke, tooted shrieking whistles and hissed steam as they competed Friday and Saturday during the Pioneer Power Reunion at the farm home of Les Lowe, R. R. 1, Campbellville.

Mr. Lowe and his son Bob, both enthusiastic steam fans, hosted the two-day competition, which wound up Saturday evening with a gala dance in Eden Mills hall. Cars jammed every available parking area as huge crowds gathered to catch a glimpse and take pictures of the antique engines and vintage cars.

Children were given an added thrill as they enjoyed rides on a scale model C.N.R. engine built by Mr. Lowe. The engine took seven years to complete and is operated on 600 feet of track in one of the fields adjacent to the barn. The steam-driven locomotive is built to scale, one inch to one foot, and runs on track four and seven-eighths inches between the rails.

LIMEHOUSE

Two Girls with County Honors Special Guests at Exhibition

Misses Betty Ann Brown and Joy Patterson were guests of the C.N.E. a couple of days last week. They were eligible to be chosen to go, as they had reached the age of 15 and had received county honors.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McDonald on the arrival of a little daughter Sunday at Georgetown District Hospital.

We regret that Mr. Earl Burt's guitar and vocal solos, and vocal duets with guitar accompaniment by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Swidlow, were missed in the report of the program at Gibraltar School reunion last week.

We extend sympathy to the wife and family of the late Mr. Corey Herington, and to Mrs. Wilfred Bird and family in the sudden bereavement of last week.

On Holidays Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hamilton enjoyed a motor trip through the Seaway, where they toured the power plant and other places of interest, returning via USA a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barber and family returned on Thursday from a motor trip to the Upper Canada Village, Algonquin Park and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Harding and Mr. T. H. Price spent the

week as children from miles around flock to the farm for a ride around the track.

Competition began shortly after dinner Friday afternoon when steam engines were fired up and operators donned overalls and engineers' caps as they jockeyed machines into position for races.

Old time gas operated engines took their place alongside antique steam engines as they competed in races and chugged around the grounds. The events were enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miniature steam engines, built to scale, attracted many visitors as the builders operated the tiny engines set out on tables in one area of the field.

The horse and buggy was not overlooked during the show, and children lined up to catch a ride on one of the horse drawn wagons.

Friday evening, a musical program was enjoyed on the stage, and visitors were able to enter a hot treat on the grounds during the two-day reunion.

By the time dusk came on Saturday evening, hundreds of parents were gathering up enthralled children for the trek home after an exciting day. For many, it was their first glimpse of the unique steam engine in action.

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Miss Marion Mitchell has been holidaying at a guest home at St. Marguerite Station, 50 miles north of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grichton and Jackie spent a few days at Pine Lake Hunt Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Benton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton, Meaford on Sunday.

Miss Marion Yeomen of Guelph with Mr. and Mrs. W. Simmons, Little Mary Watson of Acton with Beryl McEwen for a couple of days.

Jean Linday of Toronto with her grandmother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mills and Billie of Toronto with his parents on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lane of Toronto with his mother on Sunday.

EDEN MILLS

Power Reunion, Ball Games Highlight Community News

Approximately 7,000 people attended the Pioneer Power Reunion, Friday and Saturday at Les Lowe's farm, Campbellville, and many States were represented. Prize winners will be announced later after the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fasby and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon spent a few days in Cornwall and Ottawa.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Garnet Ingle in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Anna Ziemda.

Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Borden were Mrs. Dan and Frank, Stephen and Kay, Teeswater and Miss Jean McGinty, Wayne, Michigan.

Lots of Baseball Community Park is a popular place in Eden Mills at present. Ten baseball games are scheduled to play this week. Dan and Edon teams met here last Tuesday in the softball playoffs with a win for Edon 6-3.

The Pee Wee team journeyed to Komoka, 30 miles east of London, on Saturday, bringing home a victory. The next playoff game will be here Saturday for the Pee Wees.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Camm and family spent the weekend at Bayfield as guests of Mr. Camm Sr.

The United Church Ladies held a take-out supper Wednesday, which has become an annual affair and very successful.

Eden Mills hall was overflowing on Saturday evening for the final windup of the Pioneer Power Reunion in the form of a dance, with Currie's orchestra in attendance.

Barbara Marshall was in Han-

over for a few days visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Thomlinson and family spent Sunday at Belwood.

Mr. and Mrs. William McLean Sr. were in Stratford over the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Francis and family.

About 50 friends of Beryl Wright surprised her with a kitchen shower on Monday evening on the occasion of her moving to her new home.

A small crowd enjoyed a concert by Acton Citizens' Band Sunday evening in the park.

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More than 6,000,000 Canadians make up the labor force of the country with a number of members of organized labor unions. Labor produces many wonderful things and also plays an important part in creating that free society that is Canada. We in the house of labor make no apology for our existence. We are a product of our modern industrial society. It is organized labor, patiently and with tremendous sacrifice by its members that pioneered social legislation which benefits all Canadians.

Monday is Labor Day in Canada.

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