Editorial Page

A 7.

Those involved in serious accidents where there is any hint of intoxication should be obliged to take a scientific blood and breath test to determine the degree, if any, of that intoxi-

Dr. Morton Shulman, Chief Coroner of Metropoliter Yoronto, pointed out recently that more then half the drivers killed in motor vehicle excidents in Ontario between November 1963 and June 1964 had enough alcohol in their blood so be legally impaired. He urged that all drivers Involved in eccidents be given breath tests, and that spot chacks with breathalyzers be made in order to help "stop the slaughter on our highways."

It is frequently suggested that a mandatory breath test is an infringement of civil nahts and libérnes. It should be understood there is the highway. This is a privilege granted under

I've decided to write a book.

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cause I have a message. Not be-

cause I think anyhedy will hav

It. But because a fellow has dar-

the 1,000 copies I promised to

buy, to give away to my friends.

(They'd he getting about 120 cop-

les each, at that rate, but they

could give them away to THEIR

lishers sit around thinking up.

when they're not worrying about

some of us great writers getting

away from them. Which they

don't seem to spend an excess

of time doing. Unfortunately,

writers can't flash back with, "It

a book is worth writing, it's

worth publishing." Mainly be-

He agreed that the whole

ed me to.

and thirteen.

(riends.)

more an infringement of liberties to require a tion to the driver or passenger whose only crime breath test than it is to require a driver to ob- was being at a certain place, at a certain time, serve the speed limit or produce his driver's but whose penalty was death. license on request, or produce proof of insurence before receiving a hierita [

Scientific investigations have shown that Mill - Main Tangle ... alcohol in the brain and nervous system affects one's judgment, reaction time and ability to handle a sudden crisis. A breathalyzer test will give a measure of the amount of alcohol in the hissues of the body, and its mandatory use received the Department of Transport's edict is probably the best single step towards the that red, yellow and green traffic lights are prevention of highway deaths

community is really interested in saving the shuffle the department has reached the conlives of its citizens.

Other countries are not immune to the problem either of course but many of them are taking steps to reduce the hazards. Norway provides a 21 to 30 day jail sentence for any dover caught with more than two glasses of beer under his belt and a one year icense suspension. The Norwegian driver can lose his licence for two years by refusing to take a police blood test. Sweden, Belgium, West Germany, Danmark, Finland, Australia and others

certain terms and conditions. It would be no of drivers surely we should give some considere-

"What do we have to du! body is killed?"

With these prophetic words Acton Council not required at Acton's Main and Mill Street The question seems to be one of whether a corner in the latest display of the numbers clusion there is not sufficient traffic to warrant an intelligent traffic control system at this corner

> The Department assessed the accident rate at this corner for the years 1962 3 4 and note just 'one regrettable occurrice at the intersection. This very unfortunate mishap involved a four year old youngster trying to cross Mill Street without benefit of supervision." Apperently in the Department's opinion all the scraped fenders, the near misses and the general confusion at this corner are neither regrettable of

The Department again suggests that provision be made for bus stops off the travelled portion of the highway so that eastbound traffic will not back up through the Main Mill intersection. It is perhaps needless to point out to Department that parking space in Acton's busi ness section is at a premium. To try to reserve parking places at the curb for the big buses would be a ridiculous waste of soace in the prize when a Life Meinhership fice? We understand the officials heart of our business district. The only way parking in the business district can be increased is by presented her with a life mem- hetter get busy! - Georgetown off street parking. It would be interesting to know what the Department's contribution would from Acton and district respond by Ontario farmers for the Britbe towards a project of this nature

A suggestion at the Council meeting, how ever, is worthy of consideration. Move the bus terminal outside the business district. Buses of response from the town and dis to be donated. present stop anywhere on the route through this Acton to pick up and discharge passengers so there would appear to be no inconvenience to: passengers by a move of the terminal to another essential. For instance, we have next Tuesday night

A further suggestion would be that the De partment consider not only moving the bos ter-incats minal but their whole highway outside the limits! of the town and return the control of traffic on. The root of St Joseph's church line sample of potatoes of the Acton streets to the prople of Acton

# The Good Old Days...

20 YEARS AGO

Yakon from the loose of the Free Press, Thursday, Oct. 19, 1944. their meeting in the classroom Martin's new residence on the on Thursday last. In the absence Church St. is completed.

- The Box Scouts Apple Day Is ary sermons planned for next Saturday

there quarter pounds was grown weighed eight and three-quarter by Mrs Ros Arnott, Church and pounds. a fair sized turning

autumn flowers Presiding at the that the next great German tea table in the afternoon were move would be made against Mrs. Hume of Toronto and Mrs. London. Mrs. Fred Cleaves of Acton.

ish Columbia

## 50 YEARS AGO

Taken from the leaus of the Pres Press, Thursday, Oct. 22, 1914. The Knox Church W.M.S. held The brick work of Mr. T. P.

of the president, Mrs. Blow, Mrs. | Burlington finds it desirable E. J. Hassard very ably conduct- now to expend another \$15,000 to ed the meeting. A pleasant sur- extend the waterworks system. price was given Mrs. H. Main- How about our new post ofwas presented to her "a gift are waiting for our citizens to from her family." Mrs. Gould decide upon the site. Hadn't we

One hundred and thirty-eight. In connection with donations ed to the call for blood donors ish government, the Minister of the clinic here on Tuesday Trade and Commerce is asking morning While the number is for a large donation of oats. down a little from the last re Not more than 200 barrels of apcord clinic, it is still a splendid ples from each country are also

The Monk Parliament conduct-Wartime scarcities have taught ed by the Epworth League for many of us that some of the the past two winter seasons will things up used were not really be re-opened with an election

found that cigary are really not. The Methodist Church was necessary A few weeks of war Jerowded by audiences last Suntime searcity did what our better day, assembled to hear the Pashalf failed to accomplish in for Lincoltus, Rev J. Cooper Antill MA, D.D. preach annivers-

Mr William Brown left a very is being re-shingled this week | pinkeye variety at this office A carrot weighing two and the other day The six potators

Man Streets Don't take our! War Notes of the Week! On word for it, but we it in the Saturday. British submarines Lies Press window It's equal to sank four German cruisers, while on Sunday, the new British Mr. and Mrs. J. Williamson Submarine I.I. was suink by Gercelebrated their silver wedding man warships in the North Sea. anuncesary on October 16 at a With the failure of the first reception held in the afternoon great German rush toward Paris. and evening. Mrs. Williamson when the Kaiser's masses, were had chosen for the occasion a lil hurled back in the Battle of the ac crepe gown with a corsage of Marine, experts predicted. freely

McClure of Brampton and in the Mr. Walter Lyans, formerly of evening, Mrs. G. Murray and Mitchell, Ont , has purchased the 150 acre farm in the township of Miss Flora Moffat left this Esquesing belonging to the late week to take a position in the Dr. John Standish Sale was hospital at Bella Bella in Brit- made by J. A. Willoughby, Georgetown

### OBITUARY

### Bruce Gates

Funeral service was held on Wednesday, October 14, from the home of his daughter, Mrs. Har-McKersie Funeral Home, Milton, old Bell of R.R. 2, Rockwood. for Bruce Gates, who died sudwas the husband of the late. Catharine Campbell and was in his Blid year.

Lodge of Aurora and belonged to funeral service. farmed on the Sixth Line of New and Ross Collings.

Sagaweya for 28 years. The farm is now known as Caledon Town and Country Club. He retired Il years ago and moved to R. R. 1. Acton, where he lived until two years ago when he moved to the He is survived by Mary of Tor-

denly on Sunday, October 11, at onto, Dorothy (Mrs. Harold Bell) the Milton District Hospital. He of R.R. 2, Rockwood, Donald of Hamilton, Archie of R.R. 3, Acton, Winnie (Mrs. James Hamilton) of R.R. 2, Hornby, Elsie of Hamilton and Peter of R.R. 2, Milton, He was born in 1882 in Cocker | predeceased by Bruce Alexander. mouth, Cumberland, England He is survived by 18 grandchildand was the son of the late Mr. | ren and live great grandchildren. and Mrs. Gibson Gates. Mr. Gates. Venerable Archdeacon S. A. came to Canada in the year 1908. Kirk of St. George's Anglican He was a member of the Masonic Church of Guelph, conducted the

the Church of England. Before Pallbearers were Chester Serhe moved to Milton in 1925, he vice, Roy Currie, Lloyd Chisholm, lived at Gormely, Ontario. He Sam Snow, Norman Armstrong

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# Church Calendar

THE CHURCH OF ST. ALBAN THE MARTYR ANGLICAN Corner Willow and Bower Rector: The Rev. D. H. West, B.A., L.S.T. 185 Jeffrey Ave., Phone \$53-2694

Trinity XXII SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964 9.00 a.m.-Holy Eucharist. 10.30 a.m .- Church School.

--- tism. 7.30 p.m.-Holy Eucharist. 8.00 p.m.-Teen-agers' meeting. 13 - 19. Wednesday, October 28, St. Simon and Jude - 7.30 p.m., Holy

10.30 a.m.-Matins and Holy Rap-

METH-EL CHRISTIAN REPORMED CHURCH Acton, Ontario. Rev. Wiebe Van Dilk Phone 853-1585 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964

Eucharist.

16.00 a.m.-English Service. 2.30 p.m.—Dutch Service 3.45 p.m.—Sunday School.

TRINITY CHURCH (The United Church of Canada) The Rev. Dwight I. Engel, BA. B.D. Organist:

Mr. George Elliott, M.A., Ph.D. SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964 THE CHURCH SCHOOL 9.30 a.m.—Grade 5 and higher. 11.00 a.m .- 4 years to Grade 4. DIVINE SERVICES ... 9.30 and-11.00 a.m.

Friday, 7 p.m. - Young Adults meet at church for Toronto No youth meeting Sunday even-

EVANGEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor, Alan G. Silvester, B. Th. Phone \$53-2595 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964

Y.M.C.A. 9.45 a.m.-The Family Bible School classes for all ages. 11.00 a.m.-Morning Worship. 7.00 p.m.-Evening Service.

Fourth sermon from Nebemiah, "Opposition to Christian Service. Wednesday, October 28-Cottage

Prayer Meeting.

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Rev. Andrew H. McKenzie. B.A., B.D. Minister Mr. E. A. Hansen, B.A. Organist and Choir Master

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964 9.45 a.m.-Minister's Teen - Age Bible Class. 10.00 a.m.-Department a lize d

Church School. 11.00 am.- Reformation day" Worship. Sermon theme. "The Holy, Catholic and Ap-

ostolic Church." 8.00 p.m.-Adult Study Group. Bible study in Book of Acts and group discussion. Everyone Most Welcome

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little steely-eyed. He agreed that er ingredients of the most sucess-

It will be autobiographical, of course. At lirst, I thought that might be a little difficult, as I've led a rather sheltered life. Then I realized that all I had tle. Gild the lily, so to speak.

thing was a great idea. For some other publisher. But he Thus, instead of going to high sort of took the steam out of school and being on the football my self esteem when he came team and going steady, in the out with the logical statement, book I'll be the leader of a group "If a book is worth publishing, of teenage terrorists who get their kicks out of setting fire to nursing homes, under the influ-This is the sort of thing publence of heroin.

playing chess and reading, in the book I'll spend a year in a men tal Institution with a gang of perverts, alkies, junkies and a doctor straight out of Edgar Al-

Instead of becoming a week ly editor, writing about sewers and such, in the book I'll be an advertising executive with three mistresses, no morals and

Instead of becoming a docile English teacher peddling metaphory and similies, in the buok 'Il be a famous television personality with great talent and no scruples, who poisons the minds of his listeners with eleverly disto do was decorate things a lit. guised racial prejudice and completely undisguised commercials

> How does it sound? You like it? Oh. You don't. Well in that case. I'll just have to write a dull, insipid book about dull, inslpid old things that really!

Instead of joining the air the two nine-year-old girls corforce and becoming an officer nered me in the trechouse and and a lighter pilot and having kissed me. Or the time I tell in a ball most of the time, in the love with a Brazilian girl in the book I'll be an army private, in- dead of a Canadian winter. Or tellectual and embittered un the time the Old Battleaxe chasder the whip of a sadistic cap- ed me through the snow in her with a phone she'd vanked off Instead of spending a year in the wall. Or the time I was What's the book going to be a sanatorium, loaling, laughing, beaten up by four old men...

> tains and the Kings depart. Leaders of nations idols suffer because of whims and fancies, But -"they that trust in the Lord, shall not be conlounded."

Convention of Ontario & Quebes Pastor: Rev. Stanley Gammon Res. 144 Tidey Ave. ph. 853-1615. SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964 Anniversary Services

all ages. (Scripture Press ma terial, used in our school.) 11.00 a.m.-Morning Worship.

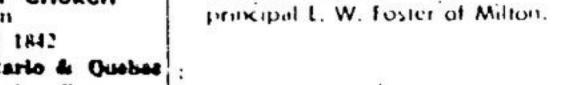
7.00 p.m.—Evening Service. "A Court Room Scene." esday, 8 p.m., October 27

Hillsburgh. Text, "We are ambassadors for Christ . . . we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God."

B.A.O.C. .. 33 Churchill Road Rev. S. M. Thoman, Pastor 853-2715

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 25th, 1964 10.00 a.m.—Sunday School. 11.00 a.m.-Morning Worship. 7.00 p.m .- Evangelistic (Service. Tuesday, 8 p.m.-Prayer service and Bible study.

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ville at the annual teachers' convention held in Acton Monday Looking over a sheet of music.

seated, are Elmer Smith, principal of M. Z. Bennett school, Acton and Mr. Evans. Back row,

left to right, are Principal G. W. McKenzie of the Robert Little school, Acton, and supervising

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about? Well, that's still on the secret list, because I don't know. But after looking over a few slicives of bunks at the local library, I know that publishers will print almost any kind of garbage.

He was a publisher. I told him hundreds of people - nav. So, if it's garbage they want thousands - had asked me I'm going to make up the biggest when I was going to produce a literary garbage pail that has book made up of my columns, ever been set before the public. This was a big fat lie, of It's going to be crammed with course. I think the total of the sex, violence, delinquent teenagqueries was between twelve ers, corrupt politicians, dope fiends, alcoholics, doctors, cowboys, how to raise prize rinnias, He was nice about it, if a favorite recipes, and all the oth-

there'd he a big sale, if I bought ful books.

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happened. Boy, are you ever going to be bored reading about the time dressing gown, trying to hit me

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