

# Personal Notes . . .

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

Mrs. Charlie Waterhouse is a patient in Georgetown District Hospital.

Mrs. John Harris Sr. has been a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. John Allen of Arthur St. has been a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

Mrs. Edgar McKnight is convalescing in St. Joseph's Hospital, Toronto.

Friends regret Mr. Pete Papillon is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Park and baby Cathy of Petrolia visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Landisborough and family.

Friends of Mrs. Lorne Mullin are sorry she has been a patient in Guelph General Hospital the past week.

Mrs. Pearl Kennedy was a recent visitor with relatives near Kirkland Lake and at Hawleybury.

Mrs. Fred Lemon is a patient in Guelph General Hospital, where she underwent surgery on Monday.

Mrs. Jack Davidson fell and broke her hip while visiting her grandson, and is in Branson Hospital, North York.

Col G. O. Brown of Stewarttown is recovering gradually from injuries suffered in a car accident in August.

A former area manager for the Bell Telephone Company, Lloyd Donby was seriously injured in a car accident at Fergus last week. He was taken to Fergus hospital.

The Free Press news correspondent for Osprey, Mrs. D. G. Robertson suffered a heart attack last week and is a patient in Guelph General Hospital. Well-known in the district, she often assists her husband in their general store. Her faithful reporting of the news is missed this week and best wishes for a speedy recovery are extended.

Mr. Jack Mainprize of Montreal, in Toronto and Hamilton on business, visited Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mainprize, and other members of the family.

Last Sunday, hydro commission chairman Ted Tyler Sr., vice-chairman Doug Dawkins, commissioner Will McEachern, mayor Les Dady and hydro supervisor David Don Brian, already in the new Orangeville Hydro Electric building.

When R. Moulton of the Ontario Temperance Federation spoke and showed a film on alcohol at the Anglican church on Sunday evening, guests of the Anglican Young People were members of similar young people's groups from the Baptist and United churches.

Mrs. W. E. Spruston, who will be working from the first of the year with the legal firm of Day, Wilson Campbell and Martin, University Ave., Toronto, is moving about the first of December to 515 Rosewell Court Toronto, with her daughter Jeanne and son David. Don Brian is already in Toronto, attending Ryerson Institute of Technology.

### Sunshine School Teacher Speaks

Methods of teaching at the Sunshine school for retarded children were explained Wednesday evening to members of unit 3 of the United Church Women by Mrs. J. Bert Wood, a U.C.W. member and a teacher at the school. She also showed films she had taken of a Halloween party and the children at work.

A Christmas party was planned to take place with the children evening unit. Flowers had been sent to two members in hospital.

Canada Department of Agriculture's Health of Animal Branch employs more than 500 veterinarians.

## Janet Aitken Selected Shorthorn Lassie Queen

At the Royal Winter Fair last Thursday, Janet Aitken of R.R. 3, Acton, was chosen as the 1965 Shorthorn Lassie Queen for Ontario. She was crowned in the main arena of the Coliseum by the president of the Canadian Council of 4H, N. D. Hoag, representing Halton County.

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Following the crowning ceremony, Miss Aitken was honored at a luncheon in the Manitoba Room of the Royal York Hotel where she was head table guest along with the Lassie Queens of Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Quebec and Tennessee, as well as last year's Ontario Queen, Miss Charlotte Smith of R.R. 6 Guelph.

Janet was presented with gifts of luggage and jewellery and next summer will represent the Ontario Lassies at the Calgary Stampede. On Wednesday evening the girls were guests of the Ontario Lassie Organization at a dinner at the Granite Club, Toronto.

Selection was made on the basis of showmanship in the judging ring, personality and record of achievement in 4H projects.

Janet is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Aitken, Acton. She is a grade 13 graduate of John F. Ross Collegiate, Guelph, and is presently doing office work in Guelph. She plans to further her education next year by attending university.

## Nursing Director Outlines Health Services During Fall

Halton County Health Unit's director of nursing, Miss Grace J. Leavay, has sent a letter to the Free Press concerning health services in schools here.

(At the last public school board meeting Thursday, November 5, reported in the Free Press Thursday, November 12, after discussion the secretary was instructed to write to the Health Unit, making it known the board was aware full services were not available in Acton.)

Her letter reads: "I am enclosing statistics representative of work carried on by the Health Service Program in Acton schools and area since September 1964. This service is carried on by a team of workers operating under the direction of the Public Health Nursing Branch.

"Comparatively speaking, it is obvious that a considerable proportion of time and effort has been directed toward Health Services in Acton.

"It is unfortunate if any referrals for assistance and help by school personnel was not directed to these workers, who are representatives of the nursing branch.

"We have planned an immunization program in these same schools in Acton within the next week. At this time, we could not include the Nassagaweya schools for immunization as it was not satisfactory to school personnel.

"We now have Miss Joan Monaghan, Public Health Nurse, who started working in Acton November 16, 1964.

signed

Public Health Nursing Branch		
Vision & Audiometer Tests		
ACTON & NASSAGAWESA		
ROBERT LITTLE P. S.		
	Vision	Audiometer
Oct. 5	65	24
Oct. 6	62	24
Oct. 7	14	51
Oct. 8	22	5
Oct. 9	20	4
	183	84
5 full days spent in school		
M. J. HENNEL P. S.		
Oct. 13	19	37
Oct. 14	45	5
Oct. 20	13	9
Oct. 24	66	—
	163	51
35 days spent in school		
A. H. H. I. S. C. H. O. O. H.		
Oct. 19	102	—
Oct. 20	15	—
	117	—
17 days spent in school		
BROOKVILLE P. S.		
Oct. 26	50	32
Oct. 27	52	21
Oct. 28	44	—
	146	53
14 days spent in school		
CAMPBELLVILLE P. S.		
Oct. 29	28	15
	28	15
2 days spent in school		
Mrs. Mercer will be going to Kelso P.S. end of November.		

—The aerial bucket used by the hydro department got a thorough workout this week when lines men tested the equipment to install the Christmas street lights.

—In case you are wondering what to give as a Christmas gift, a subscription to the Acton Free Press is a suggestion.

—There were parent teacher interviews at both public schools this week, bringing line-ups in the corridors.

—A busload of high school students is going Saturday to Kitchener to see the Harlem Globe Trotters play basketball.

—Not enough registered to warrant having a Basic English class in town this year. Not too many years ago there were two full classes taking instruction in English.

—Christmas exams for all high school students begin December 11.

—Another month — and Christmas will be all over!

—The Christmas school holidays last from Tuesday, December 22 to Monday, January 4.

—New president of Knox Youth Fellowship is Sims McPhedran.

—Early sign of the Yuletide season — a truckload of Christmas trees went through town.

—The dance at the high school Friday drew a good crowd and was very successful.

—News Bulletins' of the names of those nominated for office in Acton will be posted in the stationery store window. Results of Thursday's nomination meeting will be there Friday morning, and the results of qualifications posted Saturday morning.

—Some of the stores and places of business are already decorated for the Christmas season.

—Lakeside IODE "home tree" is on display in Acton Home Furnishings window. Draw will be made at the bazaar Saturday.

—Esqueing and Nassagaweya ratepayers will attend annual nomination night next Monday evening at which time they will name candidates for the position of reeve, deputy-reeve and school board trustees.

—The heavy snowfall on the weekend caused many accidents and hindered motor traffic in many areas. Children enjoyed the snow if parents didn't.

—Arena activities are now in full swing and Saturday the Acton Legion Minor Sports hockey got under way. Public skating was held on a Sunday for the first time.

—Ice has formed on Fairy Lake but everyone is warned not to venture onto it yet. There hasn't been enough cold weather to make it safe.

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## Wayne Mitchell Wins Queen's Guineas Class

Wayne Mitchell, Milton R.R. 5, exhibited the Reserve Champion Shorthorn steer in the Queen's Guineas Class at the Royal Winter Fair, on Friday, November 20. This steer had previously won the Grand Championship at Erin Fair.

The Queen's Guineas was won for the third consecutive year by a Wellington County 4H'er, Linda Haxson, of Ariss.

Eight steers were entered from Halton County. In the Shorthorn division, in addition to Wayne Mitchell's steer, Larry Gargibosa, Milton R.R. 5, was in the first prize group, with John Haugh, Milton R.R. 6, and Don Sherwood, Burlington R.R. 1, in the second prize group.

In the Aberdeen Angus section, Peter Sweetman, Hornby R.R. 1, was in the first prize group, with Michael Martin, 57 Martin St., Milton, in the second prize group. In the Hereford section, Mar-

### School Additions Esqueing District

The board of Esqueing School Area has awarded tenders to J. H. Mackenzie & Son, Ltd., Georgetown for the Glen and to McNally Construction, Georgetown, for Stewarttown.

Tenders were \$76,900 and \$80,500 respectively and in each case were the lower submitted.

Three-room additions to public schools at Glen Williams and Stewarttown will be underway shortly.

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