

Personal Notes

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

Mr. Fred Turner is a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

Mrs. Alec Patcai, now of Kitchener, was back in town Saturday visiting friends.

Mr. G. Stankes Matthews has been a patient in Guelph General Hospital this week.

Miss Mary Beth Elliott, a student at Windsor Teachers' College, was home for the weekend.

Visiting this week with her niece, Mrs. Doughty Engel and family, was Mrs. W. A. Cook of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Schindler of Leamington were visitors at the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Anderson visited their uncle, Mr. W. Williamson, who is ill in Streetsville, on Saturday.

Acton hairdressers attended sessions of the hairdressers' convention at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, this week.

Mr. David McVey was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Lamb on the weekend and also called on his parents in Guelph.

Parents of four girls, Mr. and Mrs. Armand Braida of Kingston welcomed a baby boy to the family, Mr. and Mrs. S. Braida are, down staying with them.

Erin and Georgetown lady curlers were guests of Acton ladies Monday afternoon and enjoyed a delicious lunch, decorated in St. Patrick's theme, afterwards.

Rotary club members, wives and guests enjoyed the annual Ladies' Night dinner and dance Friday evening when 43 couples visited the Guelph Golf and Country Club in Guelph.

Visiting during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dills were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Browning of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Posner and baby Heather of Bracebridge.

Bob Drunkwaller represented Acton at the meeting of Halton County Planning Association in Milton Wednesday of last week. He is a new representative on the county group.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McEnery, Mr. Alex Near and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davidson spent last Wednesday at Wasaga and attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alger Cripps.

Many from Acton enjoyed the Guelph Skating Club carnival in Guelph Memorial Gardens Friday and Saturday. Acton skaters, Linda Braida and Sally Wilson took part and Norman Braida acted as announcer.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Elliott and Miss Brenda Elliott of Arthur visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Britton and other friends here. They also attended service in Knox Presbyterian church and met many former friends there.

Mr. J. A. Robinson returned to his home on Lake Ave. on Thursday afternoon after a period of four weeks in Guelph General Hospital. He fell on the ice on February 12 and fractured his leg and will wear a cast for several months.

The Free Press was happy to receive a letter from Mrs. Barbara Mills of London, England, saying how she enjoys reading the Free Press. Roy Lewis, R.R. 4 is her son. She particularly mentions the "candy of thanks" column not found in British papers and thinks it is a splendid idea.

The friends of Mrs. William Malone will regret to learn she is a patient in the East General Hospital, Toronto, after receiving a fall in her home. Also her sister, Mrs. G. Sherrington, is a patient in the Nora Frances Henderson Hospital in Hamilton. Both these ladies were the daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson.

A well attended and successful practice, Observation School for church school teachers and officers was held in Guelph, attended by eight members of the staff of Knox church school, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coles, Rev. A. H. McKenric, Miss Janet Arken, Mrs. Neelke Trysenaar and Howard Coles.

Friends from Acton who attended the golden wedding anniversary reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Steen in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cripps at Streetsville on Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McEnery, Mr. Alex Near, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie McIsaac and Ken, Mr. and Mrs. George Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Healey, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coates, Hamilton.

CLERK OF THE WORKS
G. W. Messham has been employed by Halton County as a clerk of the works during the construction of the new Home for the Aged adjacent to the present Halton Manor.

Mr. Messham was chosen from 26 applicants for the position. He had filled similar positions in Toronto and Hamilton on large construction projects.

Women's Work groups in more than 1,000 Canadian Red Cross branches produced over 45,000 knitted and sewn articles last year for needy persons in Canada and other countries.

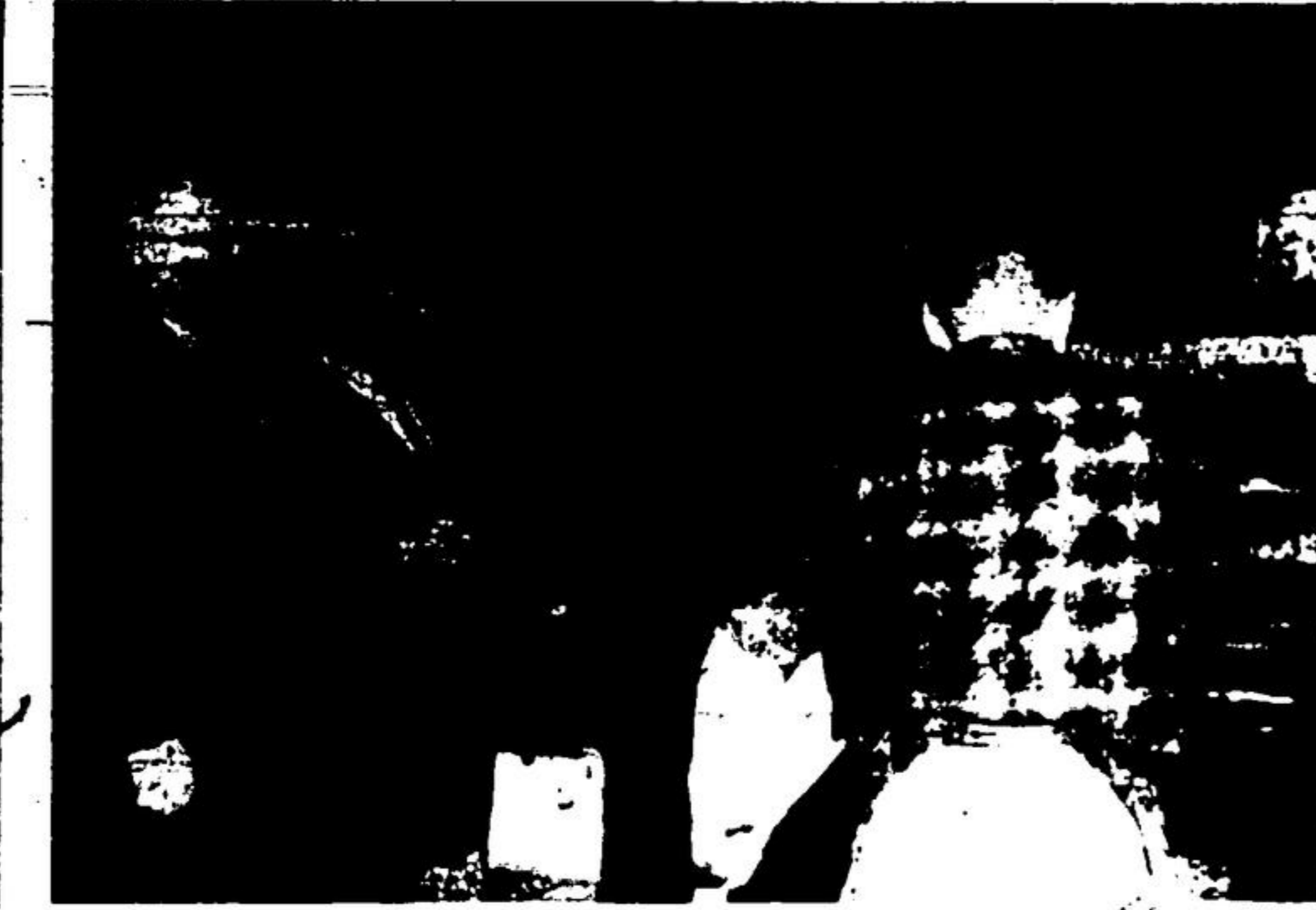


MARRIED IN KNOX church, Acton, Friday, February 26 were John Wesno and Helen Allan. The bride, teacher in Toronto township, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Allan, R.R. 2. The groom is the son of Mrs. Michael Wesno and the late Mr. Wesno, Toronto, and begins work in the spring with the Water Resources Commission after graduation in civil engineering from the University of Toronto.

Informative Session at Reformed Church

An unusually good question and answer period followed a showing of three Cancer Society films Saturday, March 6, at the Christian Reformed Church. The meeting was sponsored by the ladies of the church, with their husbands and children attending with them.

Harold Denny showed three films on cancer and the work of the Cancer Society, then Dr. R. D. Buckner spoke. He announced that more than 25 million Canadians give freely of their time, effort or their blood to serve in a voluntary capacity for the Canadian Red Cross.



GASTON SCHMOLL from Paris, France, was among the visitors who toured the Beardsmore plant Monday evening. A Paris businessman, he was at Beardsmore on a buying trip and joined with I.A.P.A. members to see a portion of the plant operation. With him is vice president Norman Braida as they watch Colin MacColl Jr. operate a two-ton scale before press.



HALTON COUNTY COUNCIL BRIEFS

At their regular meeting in the County Administration Building on Tuesday, County councillors:

- Learned that the total recommended budget for the Agricultural, I.M.O. and Planning Committee would be \$52,200. Budget for the I.M.O. will be \$30,500 while the suggested agricultural budget is \$18,450 and the suggested planning budget is \$3,250.

- Were told that the possible construction of fallout shelters in civic buildings and municipal buildings is being investigated. Council will look into one for the County Building and also support the Town of Oakville consider the construction of a fallout shelter when plans are being made for their new civic administration building.

- Approved an increase in the hourly rate of the Weed Inspector to \$2.25 and authorized the use of a desk and space to operate the Weed Control Department in the County Administration Building.

- Delegated Georgetown Deputy Reeve Hunter to attend a conference in Arnprior as a representative of the County I.M.O. committee.

- Heard a report that the County Health Unit supplied materials for the disinfection of wells and cellars, assisted the I.M.O. in cleanup operations and also brought in supplies of drinking water during the recent flood in the Glen Williams area. Total cost of the assistance was \$358.

- Decided to have an aerial map survey taken of the county at a cost of \$1,897.

- Authorized County Assessor J. E. Rogers to attend the Association of Assessing Officers of Ontario convention in Ottawa in May and also to attend the two-day conference of the County Assessors to be held in Toronto. Ward en Herb Merys was also authorized to attend the convention in Ottawa.

- Received a report from the County Roads Committee informing councillors that road estimates for this year would indicate that 167 miles be added to the Road Committee in the 1965 budget.

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- Accepted tenders for \$4,424.07 for outfitting 27 men in complete I.M.O. uniforms.

- Approved a by-law calling for \$50,000 in expenditures on roads during 1965. Of this total \$45,000 is for construction and \$5,000 is for maintenance.

- Learned the recommended budget for the Industrial Committee for 1965 is \$1,500, and the budget suggested for the Municipal Board for 1965 is \$23,315.54.

SCHOOL REGISTRATION in the Township of Nassagaweya

Forms for the registration of children in grade one and kindergarten for the school year commencing September 1965 have been distributed by the schools. Any parent of a child attaining the age of five or six in the calendar year 1965, who has not received a registration form is asked to call the school immediately.

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HARLEY...to HALTON

By DR. HARRY HARLEY, M.P.

Schizophrenia or split personality—this appears to be what ails Parliament at the moment, or at least split behavior. It gets an acute attack at intervals—some times daily, sometimes every other day. It is a strange phenomenon to watch. It is unpredictable, both in how it starts, what triggers it and what ends it. There is usually no warning before it strikes. It occurs, if it is going to, at the beginning of the day just before or during the question period when the Opposition may ask urgent questions of national importance to the government.

It more recently looked up out of the Opposition that a statement by the Minister of Justice was false. This is considered unparliamentary language and Mr. Diefenbaker refused to withdraw the word "under heads prevailed" and everything called down before the Speaker was forced into any stern action.

Then the other side of the schizophrenia appeared—the business of the House of Commons (The Canada Pension Plan) was started and progressed safely (apart from some minor howl-ups) and quickly and efficiently without

any evidence of the previous ill feeling and ill will. So much so that probably by the end of another day we will see the final passage of the Canada Pension Plan. I will not go into detail on this nod but I will devote one column to it after it has passed in order that my discussion of it will be completely accurate.

It is now hoped that one day will be devoted to a motion dealing with some improvements and modernization of the parliamentary procedures. Three days next week are expected to be taken up by the "opting out" legislation.

If the schedule is adhered to, the second session of this 26th Parliament will end on Wednesday, the 17th March, 1965, and the new session will start the following

OBITUARY

Mrs. David Bailey

Mrs. Maureen Bailey, wife of David Bailey of 130 Wakefield Rd., Milton, and mother of Kevin and Karen, passed away at Toronto General Hospital on March 3, 1965, following a brief illness, in her 40th year.

She was born and educated in Acton and had lived in Milton since her marriage in 1955. She was the daughter of Mrs. Catherine McCristall and the late Patrick McCristall of Acton, and a sister of Martin of Georgetown, Leo of Guelph, Phillip, Michael, Brian and Kathleen (Mrs. F. C. Allan), all of Acton.

She rested at the McKersie Funeral Home in Milton and requiem mass was sung by Rev. Father J. Murphy on March 6 in Holy Rosary Church, Milton. Interment followed at Evergreen Cemetery, Milton, with Bruce Coulton, I. Goodall, Harvey Leggo, Rev. Murray and Bob Hastman of Milton and Donald Pruss of Woodstock as pallbearers.

Sick list this week is: Gord Wagner, St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph; John Moore, Sunnybrook, Miss Mitchell, home; Fred Turner, Guelph General; Jack Elliott, home; Bill Bennie, Western Hospital, Toronto; and Norm Munton in Guelph General.

We wish them all a speedy recovery and hope they're up and around soon.

In the first round of dart league playoffs in first division play the Let's were victors over the Cap sales 4-1 and the Rockets swamped the Missiles 5-0.

In second division play the Comets took a win over Lights 5-0 by default and the Meteors edged the Dribits 3-2.

"IF A VETERAN, WHY NOT A LEGIONNAIRE?" To bring health and medical services to Canadians in remote parts of Canada, the Canadian Red Cross operates 38 outpost hospitals and nursing stations.

The band for this Saturday night is Ben Alexander's orchestra from Guelph. The Acton Friends bowling league will be in attendance for the dance.

LEGION NOTES FOR BRANCH 197

By George Ware

The district curling will be started in the branch this Saturday, March 20th with two teams entered from the branch. Reppy (containing 197 are: A team—D Lindsay, J. Draydale, G. McCutcheon, J. Elliott, P. Turkosz, C. Shields, M. Storey and M. Jordan. B team—S. Cunningham, H. Foley, D. Kidd, D. McKay, J. McHugh, A. Gordon, I. Bennett and R. Agnew.

The captain of A team, Duke Lindsay informed us earlier this week that his team will be the district champs after Saturday's play and the trophy will remain in the branch. This kind of confidence should help Branch 197 to a repeat win in the district championship and we certainly hope it's true. Good luck, boys!

Don't forget to keep the date of Friday evening, March 26th open for a night out to help the branch celebrate its anniversary. Entertainment will be provided at 10:00 p.m. and full bar privileges will be available. The price will be \$100 per couple. Each lady will be presented with a rose when she arrives to make it a gala evening all round. Max Feltz's orchestra will play for the dancing and the evening ticket are on sale at the branch.

Also on the afternoon of the 26th there will be an Industrial Board game at the branch and Play-It-Your-Guess night, which will be a good reason to make the evening successful.

Many business men are allowing their men to take time off to give \$500.

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BUFFET LUNCHEON was a highlight of the Beardsmore tour Monday for over 80 members of the Industrial Accident Prevention Association. Two of the group heap plates with tasty servings. Parkview Motel catered.