



LIMEHOUSE GRADE 8 PUPILS held their graduation banquet Thursday night of last week at Ballinacra Community Hall. Seated front left to right are Seth Armstrong, Bob Smith and Fred McDonald. Second row left to right are Linda Plouffe, Bonnie Langridge, Linda Majoury, Nan-

cy Snow, Susan Clendenning and Lynn Stewart. Third row left to right are Carolyn Coles, Harry Brown, Larry White, Brian Sampson, Clare Snow, Roy Brooks, Brian Plouffe and Vicki Ballentine. Back row are teacher Mrs. Pam Bessey and principal Eric Balkind.

## Anniversary services at church dedicate gifts from congregation

In spite of the excessive heat, Knox Presbyterian Church was filled Sunday morning for the anniversary service.

Many former members and friends joined with local members for the lovely service. The church had been newly decorated prior to the service. The cool green and gold of the sanctuary and the beautiful sunlight reflecting through the new stained glass windows added dignity and reverence to the morning worship.

Baskets of mauve and white mums graced the choir loft. The junior choir in their white and black gowns sang two anthems, "Fairrest Lord Jesus" and "Lift up Your Heads O Ye Gates", accompanied by the organist, Mrs. Gertrude Sinter.

The minister Rev. D. J. Herbison, who had just completed his first year in the Erin-Ospringe charge, was speaker for the service.

Numerous gifts had been presented to the church and these were dedicated to the glory of God by Rev. Herbison.

The windows were dedicated in honor of Mrs. G. Sinter, presented by Arnold and Mabel, in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webb and Roy, presented by the Webb family; in memory of Mrs. Nell McLean, Miss Muri McTavish and Mr. John McTavish, presented by the McLean family; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Sinclair, presented by Miss Ella Kerr and sons Arnold and Kirk.

In memory of Archie and Elgin Sinclair, presented by the Sinclair family; To the glory of God, presented by Joan, John and Sherlock Aitken; to the glory of God, presented by Gordon and Anna Aitken; in memory of Ella McMillan, presented by her husband, Harold McMillan; in memory of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McKinnon, presented by Byron, Blanche and family.

In memory of Privates William and Robert Wylie, presented by their sister Margaret Clarke; in memory of Thomas Edward Newmark, presented by his mother Mrs. B. Newmark.

A pulpit Bible, offering plates, a pulpit hymnal and 20 hymn books were presented by other families of the congregation. A legacy from the late Mrs. Annie McKinnon was used for further renovations.

Following the dedicatory prayer, Mrs. Byron Bruce sang, "How Lovely are Thy Dwellings", a fitting climax to the dedication.

Rev. Herbison delivered a challenging and inspirational message: "When the church comes alive", stating when Christ is preached, the church comes alive. It is not enough to proclaim, but all must be called to repent, and live a new life — to reflect what we are living for. A live church is a ministering one, to the whole community. When the Holy Spirit engulfs us, we are bound together into a fellowship, the world cannot give. Both clergy

and laity are able to carry out tasks only with God's help.

In closing the speaker stated, that the church that stands for something, put a challenge to people and they will rise to it — the church becomes alive because we are seeking the Holy Spirit to possess us to serve Him.

The ladies served sandwiches, cookies and coffee in the basement and a fellowship hour was enjoyed.

Mrs. Byron Bruce and Gordon Aitken greeted each one upon entering the church and invited all to sign the guest book.

Rev. Herbison mentioned the fact that the oldest living member of the church, Miss Emma Baidie, had joined the church in June, 1891, but through only fair health she was unable to be present — her sister Mrs. Gertrude Sinter became a member in 1899 and at present is church organist, a position she has had for many, many years.

Mr. Herbert Fuller, 3rd Line corner, held a clearing auction sale of house furnishings, etc., on Friday evening. Mr. Fuller has sold his home to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller of Weston.

Friends of William Wrapp Sr. were sorry to hear he had suffered a set back following recent surgery, but are pleased to learn his condition is now improved.

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

Mr. and Mrs. G. Grundy, Nan-

cy and Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grundy and David, Mrs. Murray McKittrick and children and Mrs. George Allen Grundy attended the Parker-Waite family reunion near Mono Mills on Sunday.

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late William Stubbington, who passed away at Kingston General Hospital. For a number of years he had resided with his daughter (Mrs. Storey) at Neptune. Previous to this, and after the death of his wife, he had lived with his son Kenneth and Mrs. Stubbington, 1st Line.

The funeral was held Thursday at Acton, with interment in Acton Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bruce were guests on Sunday at the Silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Clark, held at their residence in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sinter of Niagara Falls visited on Sunday with the former's mother and aunt, Mrs. G. Sinter and Miss E. Baidie, and attended the anniversary service at the local Knox Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clarke of Aurora spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barry Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sinclair and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter and family, Guelph, were Sunday visitors with Mrs. A. Sinclair and family and also attended the anniversary service.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Winter visited recently with Mrs. Wilfred McMillan at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Stewenson at Cookstown. Friends were pleas-

## Joe Jancar has new Guelph plant

Joe Jancar, president of Hamilton Shoe Industries in Acton, opened another plant in Guelph this week. The second company is known as Jancar Shoe Co.

The owner has been busy with renovations in the Guelph building for the past six months and operations for production of safety shoes, boots and thermal-insulated hunting footwear began this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webb of Guelph Township visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Winter.

Ben Wingrove, local veterinarian, attended a course for meat inspectors at the O.V.C., at Guelph University.

Mrs. Hamilton, Guelph, Miss Nellie Aitken, Erin and Mr. and Mrs. M. Hutchinson and sons of Toronto, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aitken on Sunday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William Wrapp Jr. who were married in Trinity United Church, Acton, by Rev. Dupe-Ed Engel on Saturday evening. The bride was the former Gail Joyce Bonville of South St. Marie.

## Acton council...

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count of \$800 in connection with the Ajax rezoning application.

Booked reservations for two representatives at the OMA conference in Hamilton in August.

Heard Councillor Williams commend the police department for the "wonderful job they did in the park last weekend."

Gave third reading to a by-law to regulate the disposal of sewage in the town.

Learned the Seynuck-Griese agreements and by-laws were not ready but agreed to consider them at a special meeting Wednesday evening.

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## Free Press personals

Mr. and Mrs. James Van Fleet spent a few days last week holidaying at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jennings of Eden Mills, and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Parker, Guelph, are on a trip to the west coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Heatley Jr. and Julie-Lynn are holidaying at Peterborough and Barcroft this week.

The Rev. George Pearce and Mrs. Pearce, Terry, Patty and Donna of Woodstock visited Miss M. Z. Bennett and Mr. Tom Bennett on Saturday.

On Monday, June 20, Mr. and Mrs. Secondo Rocchi, 294 Peel St., and his mother, Mrs. Rocchi from the United States, flew to Italy to visit his sister and other relatives.

Miss Verity McIntosh of the Robert Little school staff is spending the summer holidays in Mexico. She will be going with another friend who came from Australia, too, to work here.

Stephen Dubois, son of vice-principal and Mrs. Walter Dubois, started work in the Bank of Nova Scotia at the Speedvale Plaza branch, Guelph, on June 20. He has had to resign as a playground leader in Acton as a result of his work.

Mrs. Harold Davis of Mitchell and Mrs. L. Williams and Miss Florence Holmes of Toronto attended a Holmes family get-together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Holmes during the weekend. They are aunts of the host.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Tyler from Phoenix, Arizona, arrived in Acton Friday for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deveau have returned after holidaying in Montreal. They visited frequently with Mr. Deveau's mother, who has been a patient in a nursing home for the past 18 months, and also saw other members of his family. A sister, who is a Religious and nurse in St. Anthony's Home for the Aged at Sidney, Cape Breton Island, was in Montreal to fly to France with a group of nuns who have all been in the same Order for many years.

Visiting with the Rev. and Mrs. Dwight Engel in Acton and at their cottage at the French River are her aunt, Mrs. W. A. Cook, Buenos Aires, her daughter Mrs. Gerald Sheets of Melbourne Beach, Florida, daughter Cathy and baby son Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lambert attended a family get-together in Guelph at the home of Mrs. Clifford Swanson on Sunday to extend to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamilton "good wishes" on their move from Guelph to St. Catharines.

Miss Linda Ralston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ralston, Acton, received word Tuesday morning from the Royal Conservatory of Music she had successfully completed her Grade 8 singing examinations with honors. Linda is a student with Mrs. H. B. Gregory of Guelph and she plans to continue with singing lessons.

Mavor Les Daby attended the annual conference of the Association of Ontario Mavars and Reeves in Sarnia on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. He returned to attend the special council meeting for the opening of library tenders yesterday.

Miss Joan Cook, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cook of Malton, has successfully completed her second year in Political Science at York University. Their youngest daughter, Barbara, has been promoted to Grade 11. In September, she will attend Upperwood Heights high school, Malton.

Mr. Dean Lemon is home from Belleville O.S.D., where he has been a student for 11 years. In the fall, he will transfer to Milton O.S.D., to finish his education at the new Senior School.

On Sunday, about 40 former residents and families of Winnipegosis, Manitoba, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rognvaldson, R.R. 4, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thorarinson and Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Thorarinson of Oakville, former Actonians, were among those there.

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## Ontario pleases Scot farm girl

Farming methods in Scotland and Canada are almost the same — the climate is the major difference — Elsie Gall, a pretty Scottish lass reports.

After a two month stay in Canada — two weeks of it in Halton County — Elsie has found "the farmers in Scotland and Canada seem to have most of the same problems, though you have much nicer weather."

She is a member of the Scottish Association of Young Farmers' Clubs and is one of nine delegates from Great Britain to Ontario. "The thing that has impressed me the most about Canada is the generosity and friendliness of all the Canadians I've met," she said.

She spent the first part of her visit to Halton at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nurse, Ashgrove, before moving to the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Thompson in north Burlington.

"We have the same modern machinery at home that you have here — though it seems to be a little more common here," she suggested. "Specialization in farming seems to be important in Canada as well as in Scotland and I understand good labor in Canada is as expensive and as hard to get as it is in Scotland," she continued.

Elsie noted "I never saw corn until I came here — over here we use grass silage, turnips and

hay to feed the cattle in the winter."

The most alarming thing she has found in Canada is the multitude of mosquitoes. "They're awful things," she hinted as she swatted one off her arm.

This is a "once in a lifetime" Elsie reports, "I'm enjoying every minute of it." Nearly every minute has been quite busy for her, too. She has toured the mushroom farm of George and L. H. Leaver near Campbellville and visited a Shorthorn farm at Owen Sound last week. One thing that has surprised her is the "lack of sheep." "I was quite surprised, I thought there would be far more sheep than there seems to be," she said.

"Sure, I'd like to come back. I love it here, but home is nice, also," she said with a Scottish twinkle in her eye.

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