

Green is our color...

Area development assistance to the southern Georgian Bay region has been such a success, three of the areas, Owen Sound, Collingwood and Midland, are being removed from the list, it was announced recently by The Hon. C. M. Drury, Minister of Industry.

Free Press Editorial Page

Need by-law officer...

If Acton is going to grow in an orderly fashion along lines proposed in zoning by-laws it becomes more and more apparent there must be someone to enforce zoning by-laws.

Editorial notes...

"This is the damndest depression I have ever seen. Everybody's working and everybody's broke. At least in the last one we didn't have to work."

Centennial Picture Gallery



CONSTRUCTION WORK on the radial railway line which passed Acton was pictured on a postcard in 1912. A Milton woman who sent the card to a friend in Streetsville wrote, "This is part of the construction work..."

capalities concerned will verify there is a new climate in these communities which once subsisted largely on seasonal industry and the tourist trade.



REMEMBRANCE DAY was observed in Nassagaweya township on Sunday afternoon with a service in Nassagaweya Presbyterian church following ceremonies at the soldiers' memorial at Hallow...

Sugar and Spice by bill smiley

What will the Flower Children do on Remembrance Day? Will they refuse to buy a poppy because they associate it with past wars? Or will they buy every poppy they can get their hands on...

Free Press back issues

20 years ago
Taken from the issue of the Free Press of Thursday, November 6, 1947.
The hallowed night of ghosts and spirits was duly observed. The big night of fun for the children, arranged by the Y's Men's club, began at four o'clock when the children made the rounds of houses gathering tokens previously distributed by the Y's Men.

50 years ago

Taken from the issue of the Free Press of Thursday, November 8, 1917.
Last Friday a large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Wansbrough and family, who have moved from Crewson's Corners, Acton, presented them with a pair of handsome chairs.

100 years ago

Taken from the issue of The Canadian Champion, Milton, November 7, 1867.
A great rascal named Jones, formerly of Georgetown, and well known in these parts from his connection with the Jim Jeffrey robbery gang in the robbery of F.W. Gales and Co.'s store, has lately ended his exploits at a town in the Western States...

Free Press Church Notices

- TRINITY CHURCH (The United Church of Canada) Minister: Rev. Gordon B. Turner, B.A., B.D. Organist: Dr. George Elliott, M.A., Ph. D.
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1967
Beginning a series of sermons on "The Lord's Prayer." THE PRAYER THAT SPANS THE WORLD AND THE WORLDLY.

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