on June 15 to see them off. Mr.

Middleton will be stationed at

Beden-Beden. Mrs. Middleton

and the children will be spending

their first month and a haif

overseas with his parents in

Over 100 municipal officials

and guests from Acton, Milton

and Georgetown, whose councils

make up the North Halton urban

board, toured Georgetown's

General Fireproofing plant and

were later entertained at the

Georgetown Golf and Country

Club. Mayor and Mrs. Les Duby,

Milton clerk Jack McGeachie

and Mrs. McGeschie were head

table guests. Guest speaker was

Roy McMillan, chairman of the

Credit Valley Conservation

Authority.

**OSPRINGE** 

Exeter, Devon, England.

Miss Ruby Clark is convalencing well at home again after an operation in Toronto.

While Miss M. Z. Bennett was in Acton for the opening of the new school addition, she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Middleton.

About 30 women curiers had a change of pace Monday-they went golfing together at Hillton Lodge. They enjoyed lunch and prizes were awarded.

Mrs. G. A. Dills visited for a month in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Lyon, and now both of them have returned to Acton.

A good crowd enjoyed the curling club dence Priday evening in the Music Centre. A report on the planned new building was given.

Mrs. Gordon McCutcheon attended the Metropolitan Life Honour Club conference for Ontario at the famed Grand Hotel, Mackinsc Island, Michigan, last week. About 700 attended altogether.

Relatives gathered on the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stan Norton to welcome back Miss Mary Chalmert, Toronto, who has been on a trip through the Scandinavian countries and Great Britian.

Mrs. R. N. Brown, (Catharine) 77 Churchill Rd. N., is a patient in Guelph General Hospital. At present she is unable to receive visitors, but friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Clerk-administrator Joe Hurst is attending the annual clerks and treasurers convention at Honey Harbour this week. Mayor Les Duby is at the mayors and reeves convention in Toronto.

Robert Little student John Watson flew by himself Sunday to New York City, to join his uncle, sunt and young cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fulton and Lou Jr., on a motor trip through the Maritimes and Newfoundland. He's the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Middleton and children have left for a three year stay in Germany with the Canadian Armed Forces. Mrs. Middleton is the former Jean Lidkes, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lidkes, went to Trenton

#### Miss Irene Gibbons killed in accident

Bristol St., Guelph, was killed Sunday night, June 15, when she was thrown from a car in a collision about five miles south of the city.

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gibbons of Acton, she leaves nieces and nephews including Mrs. Henry Deveau. For many years Miss Gibbons was a dressmaker at Colonial Dresses.

She lived with a niece, Mrs. William O'Drowsky and Mr. O'Drowsky and the three had gone for a drive when the accident occurred at 8.30 p.m. at the intersection of 35 county road and 34 county road, Puslinch. Driver of the second

Miss Irene Gibbons of 171 car involved was Emil Fucks of Kitchener. The three were taken to hospital and Mr. Fucks has since been released.

> broken ribs. Funeral service for Miss Gibbons was Wednesday morning, June 18, at the Church of Our Lady, Guelph, with interment in Marymount

Mr. and Mrs. O'Drowsky received injuries including

Rev. W. L. Ryan celebrated the requiem high mass and Rev. P. J. Driscoll officiated at the burial.

Pallbearers were Dee Valeriote, Thomas Young, Bert Gibbons, Robert O'Drowsky, Joseph Jackson and Austin

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#### Harry Isham director of retarded workshop

Harry Isham of R. R. 6, Milton, director of the A.R.C. Industries workshop for adult retardates at Hornby, died suddenly in St. Michael's College Hospital, Toronto, on June 14. Mr. Isham has been active in the local association for the

mentally retarded for several years. He was president of North fulton Association for the Mentally Retarded in 1967 and was chairing the 1969 Flowers of Hope fund-raising campaign at the time of his death. For three years he was adult services chairman of N.H.A.M.R.

Born May 4, 1910 at Birmingham, England, he had 23 years of service with the Royal lavy so chief engine-room artificer, including service during the second war. He came to

Diploma, Ladies' Aid meeting

The farm on thest Line below

the highway, owned by Jackl

been sold to friends of the

family who recently bought Mrs.

Jean Jackson's place across the

Mrs. D. G. Robertson attended

the funeral of her niece Mrs.

Laverne Carter of Burlington

held at Stratford on Wednesday.

and children spent the weekend

at Wasaga Beach at the cottage

of the latter's parents; they also

visited with relatives at Orillia.

Congratulations to Carolyn

McEwan of Guelph, formerly of

Ospringe, who received her

diploma as a Registered Nursing

Assistant at the graduation

Mr. and Mrs. George Rudder

Canada in 1956, lived at Etobicoke, then moved Milton six years ago. Mr. Isham was an active member of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 136, Milton, and a member of Grace Anglican Church.

Survivors include his wife Winifred, sons Edward Milton, David of Port Credit, Colin of Dartmouth, N.S., Russell of Newmarket, Gareth of Perth, Australia, and Richard of Milton. Two sisters Grace and Nell also survive at Birmingham, England.

Rev. M. C. Christensen conducted the funeral service at the McKersie Funeral Home on June 16. Members of the Legion and N.H.A.M.R. attended in groups. Mr. Isham was cremated at Weston.

## church anniversary in news

the Parker-Waite family reunion on Sunday at Mono Mills. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Leitch, Mrs. Gordon Aitken and Miss Doris Mr. and Mrs. Alec Patterson of Fines attended a testimonial Winnipeg were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. David dinner on Friday evening at Lindsay, for Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Saelgrove, who are retiring at Mr. P. Enns of Winnipeg is the end of June. Over 200 holidaying with his daughter and attended the dinner from the son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Henry different pastoral charges they Pankratz and family.

Mrs. Rose Hahn of Kapuskasing spent a couple of days with her sister Mrs. Florence Grundy. Other visitors at the same home included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ibbotson, Mrs. Roche Sr. and Mrs. Roche Jr. all of Fericus.

had served over the years.

By Mrs. D. G. Robertson

Gary Woodward, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Woodward in the village was hospitalized over the weekend following a fall, in which he suffered a mild concussion. X-rays showed no

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hope of Ochawa, spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gordon

Karen McKinnon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart McKinnon had her tonsils and adenoids removed at the Guelph hospital on Friday, and is now convalescing.

Clarkson of Orangeville attended

Mrs. Florence Grundy and Nancy; Mrs. M. McKitrick and children; Mrs. Robert Grundy and David and Miss Helen

exercises held in Guelph last Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Maitland, Elora; Mr. and Mrs. S. Jarvis, Guelph, visited recently with D.

G. and Mrs. Robertson. ....bers of the ...dies' Aid met at Mrs. Ward Bruce's new home on the highway for their meeting. Mrs. E. Fisher presided and Mrs. Ralph Sinclair led the devotional "New acts in Missions" Roll call was answered

by "A father's day verse". Mrs. G. Lang and Mrs. V. Stewart sang a duet. The meeting closed with

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prayer by Mrs. W. Bruce. Mrs. G. Aitken and Mrs. V. Stewart assisted the hostess in serving

refreshments. Rev. Gordon Hatings, assistant minister of Knox Presbyterian Church, Guelph, was guest speaker at the 80th anniversary service at the local Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. His topic "Dare to Care" was both timely and instructive in these troubled times, when people are indifferent, and don't want to become involved in anything worthwhile - a truly "don't care" attitude. In conclusion the

The speaker was introduced by the minister Rev. D. J. Herbison who also conducted

speaker stated "God sometimes

says 'no' because He cares for

The junior choir sang two numbers accompanied by the organist Mrs. Norman McKenzie. Brenda Bruce and Linda McKenzie also contributed a duet. The musical numbers were well received and a credit to the young people.

A goodly number of former members were present for the happy occasion, along with local friends and members of Burns Church, Erin.

Mrs. Byron Bruce and Gordon Aitken greated the guests and following the service refreshments were served in the basement hy the members of the Ladies' Aid. Many availed themselvesof renewing acquaintances and meeting new

#### Mrs. W. Stewart buried at Everton

An active member of the Everton Christian church, Janet Louise (Nettie) Stewart, R. R. 1, Guelph, passed away in St. loseph's hospital, Guelph, on June 18. She had had a lengthy iliness.

Mrs. Stewart belonged to church groups and was the organist for 32 years.

Funeral service at the Rumley-Shoemaker funeral home, Acton, was held on June 20 conducted by the Rev. Basil Metz. Interment was in Everton. Palibearers were E. M. Abbott, Toronto; A. Murray Stewart, Bill

Jackson, Edwin, Jestin, Everton; George Mitchell, Rockwood and Alex Kingsbury Acton. Mrs. Stewart was born September 13, 1884 in Eramosa

township, daughter of John D. Abbott and Grace Ann Mitchell of Eramosa. She was married in 1923 and her husband John A. Stewart predeceased her. She had lived many years in Everton. She is survived by son William

T., R. R. 1, Guelph, daughter Grace (Mrs. W. G. McKeon) Winona, Mississippi; and Edward Abbott, N. D. She was predeceased by brother Dr. James M. Abbott, Erin.

#### Monday accident

Monday night a minor hit and run accident was reported to Acton O.P.P. Station Hotel owner Don Hamilton reported his parked car, in the hotel lot had been struck by another vehicle. About \$25 damage resulted. The investigation 

**OBITUARY** 

# Former inspector

L. L. Skuce, active in education in Halton County from 1938 until his retirement, died suddenly at his Sundridge cottage Monday evening.

Following his retirement from education work he was with the Halton and Peel Trust and Savings Company and was manager of the Milton Branch from 1964 until 1968 when he was appointed a special representative.

Mr. - Skuce .came to Halton County and worked from Milton as Inspector of Public Schools from September 1938 until 1958 when he was appointed Superintendent: of Trafalgar Township Public Schools. When Oakville and Trafalgar merged in 1962 he was named superintendent and continued in that position until his retirement in December 1963. The Lorne Skuce Public School in Oakville was named in his honor. In the fall of 1964 he was

named manager of the newly-opened branch of Halton

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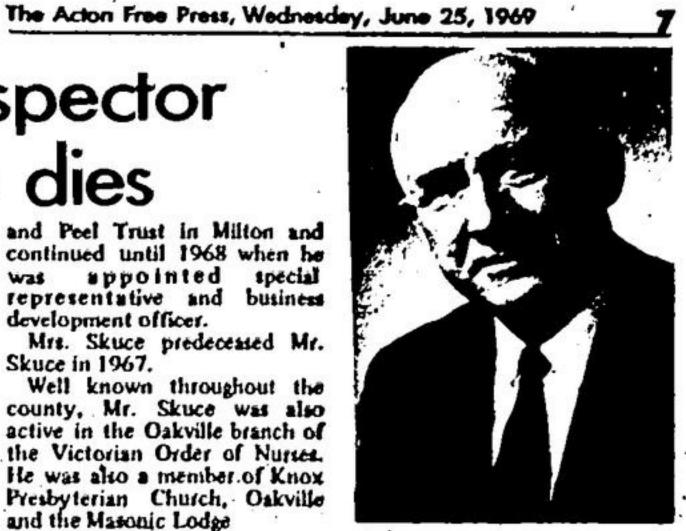
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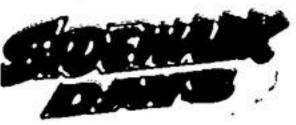
and Peel Trust in Milton and continued until 1968 when he was appointed special representative and business development officer.

Mrs. Skuce predecessed Mr. Skuce in 1967. Well known throughout the

county, Mr. Skuce was also active in the Oakville branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses. He was also a member of Knox Presbyterian Church, Oakville and the Masonic Lodge







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