

### Couple escape injury

An RR 1 Belwood couple escaped injury in a single-car accident north of Acton early Friday evening.

Guelph OPP say Mavis J. Haycock, 38, was driving her car northbound on Highway 25, just north of Five Slideroad about 5.40 p.m. when the vehicle hit an icy patch, went into the west ditch and rolled over, causing about \$5,000 to the car.

Mrs. Haycock's husband Anthony was also in the car.

### Golden Age Club celebrates 20 years

The Acton Golden Age Club celebrates its 20th anniversary this month with five of its founding members still active in the organization. A special dinner May 16 will mark the occasion.

Bert Davidson is one of the most active members of the Golden Agers. Born and raised on the Second Line, he ended up

farming on the Third Line, where he still resides. Bert is a life member of the Acton Fair Board, has been active in the Golden Agers and for years was one of the square dance callers in the area. Bert's son Wilmer is eligible for the club.

Elsie Reed, another founding member was born in Thessalon, Algoma District. Her husband

worked in New Liskeard, and they moved to a farm near Flesherton before coming to Acton in 1961. Elsie was the first secretary of the club, and held the post for nine years. She is active in the UCW of the Trinity United Church.

Annie Lambert was born in Eramosa Township, but grew up near Ospringe. She raised five children, and her husband was superintendent of the Acton Waterworks until his retirement. Annie is a life member of the Women's Missionary Society of Trinity United Church and a member of the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the IOOE.

Willa and John Hargraves came to Acton in 1939. Willa was born and raised in Toronto, and Jack was born in Aurora but grew up in Toronto. After they came to Acton they ran a gas station at Young and Mill streets and sold car licenses for 15 years. They raised three children and have been married for 66 years. Willa is a member of the Anglican Church Women. Jack was treasurer of the Golden Agers for two years and was on Acton council for 11 years. He was deputy reeve, reeve and attended County Council for eight years. He has been a member of the Masons since 1943.



Francis Cutts turns 90 years old today (Wednesday). Special celebrations were held for her at the Elliott Home in Guelph Saturday. See story inside.

### Francis Cutts celebrates 90

Friends and relatives gathered at the Elliott Home, Guelph, Saturday to help Francis Cutts celebrate her 90th birthday.

Born in England, on March 28, 1894, Francis Pantry was one of three boys and three girls. Today, one brother and one sister are still alive, besides Mrs. Cutts.

Francis came to Canada in 1920, and in 1940 she married Cecil Maplesden. She was widowed in 1960, and later married Charlie Cutts in 1963. He died 10 years later.

Mrs. Cutts moved to Acton about 50 years ago, and lived in Milton for several years before that. She was a practical nurse and delivered "lots of babies" according to her daughter Freda Lambert.

An open house was held Saturday at the Elliott Home, where she moved five years ago. It was arranged by her children, Freda Lambert, Acton, Douglas Maplesden, dean of the veterinary college in Guelph, Edna Graham, Acton, and stepdaughter Molly Johnston, RR 3, Acton.

Mrs. Cutts has 11 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

### Greenock WI

#### Attendance down

Greenock WI meeting was held March 13 at the home of Mrs. J. Veerman. Due to poor road conditions and the school break there were only nine members in attendance.

President Mrs. W. Aitken opened the meeting with two verses from an old reader "Finding Fairies and a St. Patrick's verse," followed by the Opening Ode and Mary Stewart Collect. Mrs. C. Aitken read meditations Roll-Call "Share with us something you have learned about nutrition recently." This proved very interesting.

Pennies for friendship was taken at this meeting one cent for every grocery dollar you spent on last shopping trip.

Mrs. C. Aitken gave a report on the district directors meeting. The program for this meeting was in charge of Mrs. A. Gates, a convener of "Family and Consumer Affairs."

The theme was "Nutrition" choose nutrition now, it pays.

Films were presented, run by Mrs. W. Aitken on "Food Price Dialogue" Mrs. A. Gates had several books and pamphlets on nutrition to pass around. The meeting closed with lunch.

#### Minor damage results

A collision on Elmore Drive March 19 resulted in minor damage to two vehicles.

A vehicle driven by George Sojka, 72, of 80 Elmore Drive had about \$25 damage. Police report a vehicle driven by George Storm of 7 Main St., Georgetown had \$400 damage.

#### Car leaves scene

About \$1,000 damage was done to a vehicle parked in the lot at Acton High School, Thursday by a car that left the scene.

The parked 1981 blue Mercury, owned by Anthony Wilson of 182 Tyler Ave., Acton was hit on the right side.

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