

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, see and see per line additional for poetry.

Obituary

MARRIED BARR-WEBSTER—On Saturday, November 7th, 1936, in St. Alban's Church, Acton, Ontario, by the Rev. E. Brillinger, Signa Laurine, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Webster, Acton, to Roger P. Barr, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barr, of Mississauga Lodge Farm, Fort Credit, Ontario.

DIED LEE—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Sunday, November 8th, 1936, Sarah Louise McFarlane, widow of the late William Lee, in her 76th year.

BOWMAN—At the home of her son, Harry Bowman, Milton, Ontario, on Tuesday, November 10th, 1936, Christina McLeod, widow of the late James Bowman, in her 83rd year.

IN MEMORIAM NICOL—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mrs. John Nicol, who passed away November 13th, 1934.

At a wonderful mother we think of you. In memories that are fond and true; There wasn't a thing too big or too small That she wouldn't try to do for us all. It's sad, but true, we wonder why, The best are always the first to die. Quietly and surely came the call. Her sudden death surprised us all. We have lost, but God has gained One of the best the world contained. Sadly missed by HUSBAND and FAMILY.

LOCALS

No more holidays from now until Christmas.

There have been few complaints about the weather this fall.

A majority of the stores in Acton were closed yesterday all day.

Municipal nominations are scheduled for two weeks from to-morrow.

The wreaths for Remembrance Day were on view in Barr's Grocery window.

Acton Legionnaires took part in the Remembrance Day services at Rockwood and Nassagaweya yesterday.

St. Alban's Girls' Club held a very successful tea and baking sale on Saturday afternoon in the Parish Hall.

Additional service has been put on the Arrow Coach Lines, and the bus arriving in Acton at 1.05 a.m. from Toronto now operates daily.

Bolton will vote on Monday, on a proposal to install waterworks in the town. The town will be well served if its progressive citizens are in the majority.

Rev. E. M. Morrow was the anniversary speaker at Erin United Church anniversary services on Sunday. Rev. H. L. Mermer, of the Erin charge, occupied the pulpit in the United Church here.

Mrs. William Morley, of Morriston, while visiting at the old Cockburn home, near Cowhills, fell down a flight of fifteen steps, and sustained painful and badly shaken, but no bones were broken.

A subscriber, in renewing, says: "Enclosed find cheque for another year. We always enjoy The Free Press and want to congratulate you on maintaining its high standard." These notes and enclosures help a lot in maintaining a high standard.

Y Activities

The Boxing and Wrestling Club was launched for this season at a meeting in the "Y" on Monday night. The first work-out was set for Wednesday night and the members are looking forward to a lively program during the coming months. The leaders of the club are Mr. Wm. Ecclestone and Mr. J. W. Wolfe. The next meeting of the group will be Monday at 7.00 p.m.

Tumbling Club, to be organized. All men and older boys interested in tumbling are invited to attend a meeting at the "Y" on Monday at 7.30. Already several members have signified interest in this group so it should get away to a good start.

Plans are all complete for the Mens Club supper on Wednesday, November 18th, and the committee are now ready to dispose of their tickets. This is Ladies' Night so special efforts are being made to suitably mark the occasion. All men are urged to plan to come, bring their ladies and enjoy a delightful evening. Tickets can be secured from W. K. Graham, H. I. G. Fraser, H. H. Hinton, D. A. MacFae, J. C. Matthews or George G. Emery.

WANTS MORE TERRITORY

We had a call the other day from S. C. Frank, of Rockwood, and he now feels that if Mr. Allan Leishman had made his challenge for checkers to cover nine miles from Acton there would have been plenty of opponents to accept his challenge. Looks as if there should be three or four classes in this checker event, with several territory divisions. Haven't heard who the champion is yet, or of the challenge.

MRS. J. R. BENNETT, South Porcupine Many friends in Acton will regret to learn of the death in South Porcupine of Mrs. J. R. Bennett, who removed there from Acton last February with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. MacQuarrie. Mrs. Bennett had been an invalid for the past six years and a paralytic stroke brought about her demise on Wednesday of last week. She was seventy-eight years of age. She leaves a family of three to revere the memory of a beloved mother, Mrs. A. R. MacQuarrie, and Messrs. A. and L. Bennett, of Timmins. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church. The funeral was held on Friday, with interment at Timmins.

Badminton Group Visits in Guelph

Splendid Games with Y. M. C. A. Racquet Club - Guelph Won

Acton Badminton Club visited Guelph Racquet Club in the Guelph Y.M.C.A. last night, and enjoyed a very good set of games. Guelph were victorious, scoring 192 points to Acton's 159. They won 12 games and Acton took 10. The following are the scores:

- Mixed Doubles J. Ecclestone and M. Doble, Guelph, vs. V. Rumley and D. McPherson, Acton, 11-4, 7-11. G. Butler and Mrs. Butler, Guelph, vs. M. Chalmers and B. Hinton, Acton, 11-10, 11-1. B. Saville and Chris. Yeates, Guelph, vs. H. Mooney and M. Holmes, Acton, 11-10, 11-5. M. Yeates and Y. Saville, Guelph, vs. O. Chalmers and D. Nelson, Acton, 11-4, 10-11. Len Peer and Pat Robson, Guelph, vs. A. Chalmers, George Emery, Acton, 4-11, 2-11. G. Brown and Florence Whyte, Guelph, vs. M. Chalmers and V. Rumley, Acton, 8-11, 4-11.

Ladies' Doubles A. Remington and Jean Saville, Guelph, vs. A. Chalmers and O. Chalmers, Acton, 11-3, 11-4. M. Doble and G. Michie, Guelph, vs. M. Chalmers and D. McPherson, Acton, 7-11, 8-11.

Men's Doubles Jack Gordon and J. Doughty, Guelph, vs. B. Hinton and Vic Rumley, Acton, 2-11, 7-11. B. Warton and G. Butler, Guelph, vs. Dr. Nelson and George Emery, Acton, 11-6, 11-10. Len Peer and J. Ecclestone, Guelph, vs. J. McGeachle and G. Cook, Acton, 11-1, 11-2. After the games a delightful lunch was served and a social time spent.

HALLOWEEN SOCIAL

The U. M. Y. P. O. held a very enjoyable Halloween social at the home of Mr. M. McCullough on Wednesday of last week. The prizes for the best costume were awarded as follows: Ladies, Miss Laura Johnston; gents, Mr. A. G. Claridge; the most ridiculous costume, Mr. Howard Switzer. Lunch was served, and the evening spent in playing cards and dancing.

MASONIC VISITORS

On Monday evening about twenty-five Masons of Campbellville Lodge visited Acton Masons at Walker Lodge. The visitors had charge of the degree work, which they exemplified in a splendid manner. After the work of the evening lunch was served. A number of the visitors addressed the gathering. A couple of carloads were down from Guelph for this visit.

1937 PLOWING MATCH TO GUELPH

Guelph is assured of the International Plowing Match in 1937. Neil Black, Chairman of the Agricultural Committee of Wellington County Council, announced this week. Directors of the Plowmen's Association were in that city Saturday, when they inspected a number of district farms with regard to suitability of the land for plowing. After huge crowds at Cornwall this year, officials expect the match in 1937 will draw an attendance of more than 200,000 persons. There is a possibility that a group of plowmen from Scotland may give a demonstration at the show.

TONGUE TWISTERS

You have a nimble tongue if you can say these three times quickly without a mistake: City chop shops should stop selling chops without chips. Five fat frogs fanning three fainting fish. Chichester Church stands in Chichester churchyard. I chased a pup up Upper Parliament Parade.

MODERN AGE

Little Willie: "That ain't no rhinoceros, that's a hippopotamus. Can't you see it ain't got no radiator cap."

Esqueuing Council Met On Monday

Relief Accounts of \$170.53 and Road Sheets of \$1,751.95 are Passed for Payment

The Esqueuing Council held their regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon. Deputy-Roeve N. A. Robinson, Councillors W. A. Wilson, C. H. May and Edwin Harrop were present. George Currie presided at the meeting. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Communications were read from Geo. E. Elliott, Canadian Legion, and George C. Brown.

Mr. Harris, of the Bell Telephone Co., and Reeve Moran, of Chinguacousy, addressed the meeting.

Moved by C. H. May, seconded by N. A. Robinson, that the Treasurer pay the Relief Accounts, as presented by the Relief Officer, \$170.53.—Carried.

Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by C. H. May, that the Treasurer pay the road sheets, as presented by Road Superintendent, \$1,751.95.—Carried.

Other accounts passed for payment by Treasurer were:

- Bell Telephone Co. \$ 7.63 Mrs. P. Jenkinson, to cleaning Council Chamber 5.25 Halton Fire Insurance Co. premium on house at Stewartstown 6.00 D. W. Baxter, shooting 3 hounds worrying sheep 10.00 J. H. Smith, 1 cord wood for the Council Chamber 8.50 J. Sanford, re Woods and Threshing Machines, and supplies 20.72 N. E. Thompson, attendance at Judge's Court of Revision 5.00 A. W. Benton, attendance at Judge's Court of Revision at 5.00 N. E. Thompson, selecting Jurors 5.00 A. W. Benton, selecting Jurors 5.00 George Currie, selecting Jurors 5.00 I. M. Bennett, selecting Jurors 5.00 I. M. Bennett, supplies .75 George E. Elliott, re Doble, on account 50.00

Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by C. H. May, that this Council approve of a by-law granting the Road Superintendent full control over erecting any poles or making any repairs by the Bell Telephone Co., providing it is approved by our Township Solicitor.—Carried.

Moved by Edwin Harrop, seconded by N. A. Robinson, that this Council accept the tender of C. C. Brown of 75c per \$100 for Tax Collector's bond; also insurance on Township building at \$1.00 per \$100 yearly.—Carried.

Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by C. H. May, that the Treasurer pay Georgetown Pair Board, \$75.00; Acton Pair Board, \$75.00; Poppy Day Fund, per P. P. Blackburn, \$15.00.—Carried.

Moved by Edwin Harrop, seconded by W. A. Wilson, that the Treasurer pay sheep claims: D. W. Baxter, pure bred sheep injured, \$10.00; K. C. Lindsay, valuer, \$4.00.—Carried.

Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by C. H. May, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet Tuesday, December 15th, at 10.00 a.m., or at the call of the Reeve.—Carried.

SHORT COURSES FOR KILBRIDE

Announcement has just been made by Agricultural Representative J. E. Whitecock, that the local branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture will conduct one month short courses in Agriculture and Home Economics at Kilbride, commencing November 24th. Mr. Whitecock will be assisted by W. B. Reynolds, who farms near Port Hope. The young men's course will be on general agriculture, with special attention to live stock, field crops, soils and fertilizers, farm mechanics, public speaking, marketing, etc. At the girls' course, Miss Aileta Smith, of Glanford, will be in charge and instruct re Foods and Cooking. Miss Smith will have as her assistant Miss M. Fulton of Sheddock, who will be responsible for instruction in Clothing. According to Mr. Whitecock prospects are excellent for a good turn out of young people from the Kilbride, Lowville and Campbellville districts.

FAULTS AND VIRTUES

We may, if we choose, make the worst of one another. Everyone has his weak points; everyone has his faults; we may make the worst of these. But we may also make the best of one another. By loving whatever is lovable in those around us, love will flow back from them to us, and life will become a pleasure instead of a pain; and earth will become like Heaven; and we shall become not unworthy followers of Him Whose name is Love.—Dean Stanley.

MAYBE YES & MAYBE NO

"Now, boys," said the teacher, "tell me the signs of the zodiac. You first, Thomas." "Taurus, the Bull." "Right! Now you, Harold, another one." "Cancer, the Crab." "Right again. And now it's your turn, Albert." The boy looked puzzled, hesitated a moment, and then blurted out: "Mickey, the Mouse."

The LETTER BOX ALBERTA FREE PRESS AGAIN

Dear Free Press: In a letter yesterday, from a valued friend, far away, whom I have not seen for sixteen years, he remarked about a soloist he had recently heard, who sang in such a way that you seemed to feel he had heard and felt what he was singing. He added the remark that so many fall to make even the words understood. About a day previous the Calgary Herald had a letter complaining in some-what similar manner which I have since clipped: "How nice it would be if the Scottish vocalists, male and female, who sing over the radio, as well as those who sing in certain church choirs, on Sundays, would try not to roll their 'rs' quite as much as they do. This unfortunate characteristic is most annoying, and in my opinion detracts greatly from the charm and beauty of such singing. It reminds one of a barrow load of bricks being hauled over a rocky road."

The writer of the above item certainly has the faculty of comparison strongly developed. And yet both in his remarks, and in those of my friends across the distance, there is much to think about. Surely the chief and vital object of singing to people is, like that of public address, not to show what the performer knows or can do, but to bring a useful message to the listener. What a different treatment, for instance, nearly everyone has heard in the rendition of "I Know that My Redeemer Liveth," from the quivering, wobbling, of some, to the full, triumphant expression intended by the composer.

Mr. C. H. Harrison had not yet become an Acton citizen when our terms there ceased, but personal reasons aid in being interested in his home, with its accompanying testimonial. During two years residence in Montreal there were three pleasant interviews. The first was in September, 1935, when he escorted to Victor's home, a companion of a family tourist group, to meet with neighbors of long ago, one of Acton's best known and beloved citizens. There were two other occasions, when on a visit to St. James' United Church, to hear some celebrity. I was pleased to be recognized and I sought out by Mr. H., who improved his Sunday evening stay in this attending.

There is much discussion here as to drilling for war, some out and out opposed, but drilling for oil, or gas, goes on to tremendous depths, 6,000 feet and more.

J. S. COLEMAN. Turner Valley, Alta.

LARGE GAIN IN EMPLOYMENT

Over 28,500 additional workers were absorbed by Canadian industries during September, when industrial employment registered the largest gain of the current year. A report issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics shows that 10,020 firms increased their staffs from 1,015,650 employees on September 1st to 1,044,178 on October 1st. Figures for October 1st, 1935, show that 0.414 employees had payrolls aggregating 997,017 workers.

The most outstanding features of the October 1st, 1936, survey of employment were the unusually pronounced increases in manufacturing, in which the co-operating establishments absorbed nearly 15,000 additional workers, and in logging, which directly provided work for practically 10,700 more persons than at September 1st. The expansion in each of these industries was greater than in any other year for which statistics are available. Mining and trade also recorded substantially heightened activity. In services, construction and maintenance the trend was seasonally downward, and there were also losses in transportation.

THE REWARD

Jones, to partner: "Business has been wonderful all week. Don't you think we ought to reward the staff?" "By all means," said the partner. "Let us pay them their salaries."

ROYAL GUELPH NOW PLAYING

GEORGE ARLISS "East Meets West"

SATURDAY MONDAY TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY November 14-16-17-18

"The Charge of the Light Brigade" Errol Flynn Olivia De Havilland

"The Bengal Lancers" of 1936! Continuous Saturday from 2.00 p.m.

BLOOMSBURY LITERARY SOCIETY

The opening meeting of Bloomsbury Literary Society for the winter season was held in the school at St. St. No. 9, Nassagaweya, on the evening of November 4th, and was largely attended.

The President, Alex. Near, was chairman. After the regular business was dispensed with, the following program was presented: Solo, Mr. Ross Gordon; harmonica selection, Mr. Cecil Wilson; piano solo, Max Marlon Watson.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mansell Nellis. Vice-President—Russ. Patterson. Secretary—Mrs. Alex. Near. Treasurer—Mac McLaughlin. Executive—Misses Mary McPhedran, Ruby McPherson, Marion Watson, Messrs. C. VanGoozen, Clarence Wilson, Pianist—Mrs. C. VanGoozen.

Progressive culture was enjoyed, with Mrs. C. VanGoozen winning lady's prize, and Jack VanGoozen winning gentleman's prize. Lunch was served and a social half hour spent in concluding.

MAYBE THEY SHOULD

Mrs. Newedd: "Darling, this is my first pie!" Mr. Newedd: "Oh, what a treasure! Let's keep it, instead of eating it."

Lucky Number Coupon Friday, November 13

No 1220

If your number corresponds with the card displayed in the window of Barr's Quality Grocery and you are in possession of a counter receipt for a purchase at any store advertising in this issue, clip this coupon and present both coupon and receipt to THE FREE PRESS OFFICE and receive \$2.00 in cash. The Winning Number, Together with the Name of the Person Holding Same Will Be Published in This Coupon Each Issue

Make Your Shopping Lists from the Ads.

SHAKE HANDS with Mr. M. R. PARK "CLOTHES OF QUALITY" Special Representative He will be here on Friday, Nov. 20 IT IS A PLEASURE TO INTRODUCE this experienced stylist of "Clothes of Quality". His visit is important to men of this community because he will present for their inspection the finest range of new woollens yet offered by Clothes of Quality. His experience as a well-known style annotator is at your disposal. If superior clothing interests you—you'll want to meet the Clothes of Quality representative. The date is important. ELLIOTT BROS.

Federal Government May Launch Slum Clearance Project



After years of campaigning on the part of thousands of enlightened citizens, notably Dr. Herbert Bruce, Lieutenant-governor of Ontario, the labor, who has just returned from England, Mr. Rogers (Shown IN-SET) explained that he was about to look into several proposals made to the government. Typical Canadian slum dwelling and new British workers' apartments are shown ABOVE. —Central Press Canadian Photo.