

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge...

DIED WILDS—In Gloverville, N.Y., on Monday, November 16th, 1936, James A. Wilds, aged 85 years.

RAMSHAW—At the home, Rockwood, Ontario, on Tuesday, November 24th, 1936, Samuel Ramshaw, son of the late Robert and Elizabeth Ramshaw, in his 86th year.

IN MEMORIAM MCARTHUR—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. William McArthur, who passed away November 24th, 1935.

One year has passed since that sad day. When you, dear mother, were called away.

In our hearts your memory lingers, Sweetly tender, kind and true; Memories that we will always cherish, 'Till we meet again.

Ever remembered by HUSBAND and FAMILY.

LOCALS

For easy Christmas shopping consult The Free Press ad. first.

Just another week to get letters in. The Free Press Santa Claus Letter Contest.

Four weeks from to-morrow. If you don't know what that day is, ask the youngsters.

The boys and girls have had some splendid skating on Corporation Pond the past week.

In the car accident reported last week, Mrs. Barnes asserts that she did not signal the car driver to stop.

The work of putting the ice surface on Acton Avenue has commenced and already the bottom is well prepared.

It looks like winter and feels like winter. Therefore, it must be winter, in spite of all prophecies to the contrary.

You'll find attractive Christmas offerings of the local stores where you'd expect to find them—in the local paper.

A junk shop near a railroad crossing in Denver carries a sign with this hint to motorists: "Go ahead; take a chance. We'll buy the car."

It is said that Reeve Parr, of Georgetown, will not seek re-election, but Mayor Gibbons will contest the Mayorship for another term.

The meeting of the Hutton County Council, arranged for Tuesday has been postponed until Friday owing to the illness of Warden George Currie.

Miss Ruth Gibson, of Acton, will be one of the radio artists on the "Musical Symposium" hour from Station CKOO, Hamilton, on Saturday evening, at eight o'clock.

Only one tender was received by P. B. Harrison, Georgetown Clerk, for four houses owned by the Georgetown Housing Commission when the houses were advertised for sale last week.

The services at the United Church on Sunday morning were in charge of the Women's Missionary Society. Rev. Dr. Morrow chose for his subject: "Why Should We Support Missions?"

Duncan Campbell, of Marfat, is among the Canadian breeders who will exhibit live stock at the 1936 International Livestock Exposition, to be held from November 28th to December 5th. Mr. Campbell will show his fine Short-horn herd.

Books of all description are now on display at Hinton's 5c to \$1.00 Store. We have the regular Toy Picture Books, Valry Slory Tales, and a wonderful range of teen age books for boys and girls that we offer specially at 25c.

"SHOW BOAT" COMING TO ACTON

Rarely has a play exerted such an emotional grip on actors who have taken part in it, as has "Show Boat."

The hold that the production has on performers is indicated by the overwhelming desire of troupers to repeat their "Show Boat" roles.

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SAVING IT FASY

Doctor: "Now, take a deep breath and say nine three times."

Willie (after inhaling): "Twenty-seven."

NOT A CHANCE

Patent (thrusting): "I suppose the operation will be dangerous, doctor?"

Doctor: "Nonsense! You couldn't buy a dangerous operation for \$40."

Rebels in Eramosa in 1837

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bread and told that no more food would be provided that day.

Mr. Peters says that some prisoners were released to make room for the men from Eramosa, and in their haste to get away, they left their rest of straw, their prayer book, and all the live stock except what was on their persons.

The seven men were charged, among other things, that not having the fear of God in their hearts, but being moved and induced by the instigation of the devil, they did traitorously compass, imagine and intend to bring and put our said Lady, the Queen, to death; and that they did, as false traitors, endeavor to induce and persuade, with force and arms, other subjects to levy war against our Sovereign Lady, the Queen; that they did meet on the 8th day of December, 1837, in the Township of Eramosa, District of Gore, and with other false traitors did conspire, consult and agree among themselves, unlawfully and wickedly, to fulfil and bring to effect their said traitorous compassing, imagining and intentions.

The men were put on trial on March 8th, 1838. The Grand Jury of 18 men found a true bill against the seven men (Mr. Peters says all thoroughbred Tories) from Eramosa, who were now again in jail, and they were given 10 days in which to prepare their defence.

Public feeling ran high at home, in Pergus and Guelph, and among Government officials, and was strongly against them.

The prosecuting attorneys were using every endeavor to have them hung for treason. The Government was determined to suppress, with a ruthless hand, any attempt at sympathy with the Mackenzie rebellion.

There were 80 Petri Jurors summoned, 57 Tories and 23 Reformers. It appeared that the men from Eramosa were doomed.

Mr. Peters relates what he terms a miserable attempt to send them all to be tried by a higher tribunal than that summoned to meet in Hamilton.

The Government had stored 50 kegs of gunpowder in the cells, which were all blank and timber. The night before the trial some fiend set fire under the cell door, and before morning the building was filling with smoke.

The feelings of the prisoners, as they heard the sound of the axes, and wondered whether they were to meet death by fire or explosion, can hardly be described.

The three Crown witnesses were William Campbell, of Eramosa; Walter King, later of Guelph; and Robert Grindell, of Lot 13, Concession 5, Eramosa.

The prosecution would not consent to this, hoping by cross-examination to bring out some damaging evidence from defense witnesses.

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I am in agreement with James Peters that the chief policy with regard to whiskey is to leave it alone. My last drink was on a wet and cold night in France, in 1917, when things were not going too good.

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Obituary

MRS. ANNE SMITH

At the ripe old age of ninety-two years, Mrs. Anne Smith passed away in Toronto, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Coggins. The funeral was held on Tuesday of last week from the home at 137 Carlaw Avenue, with service conducted by Rev. E. Brillinger, of Acton.

Relatives in Acton received word during the past week of the death of James A. Wilds at his home, 49 Union Street, Gloverville, N.Y.

Mr. Wilds was born on July 21st, 1851, at Whitby, and had been a resident of Gloverville, N.Y., for the past 50 years. For 26 years he was in charge of the huckskin department at Littauer Bros.

W. N. KENNEDY, Winnipeg

Friends here will regret to learn of the death in Winnipeg of William Newman Kennedy, who married Miss Edna May Miller, a native of Acton.

Prominent railway architect and a pioneer resident of Winnipeg, William Newman Kennedy, 372 Bannockburn Street, died Friday morning at his residence, aged 63 years.

He was chief draftsman in the Engineering Department of the Canadian Pacific Railway from 1890 to 1912, then for three years he was in private business.

MRS. J. J. HENDERSON

The community of Nassagaweya was indeed shocked to hear of the sudden and unexpected passing at the General Hospital, Guelph on Wednesday, November 18th, of Agnes Jane Little, beloved wife of John J. Henderson, in her 57th year.

Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss, three sons: Charles, of Toronto; James and Joseph at home; three sisters, Mrs. D. Holmes, Toronto; Mrs. Lowrey, Calgary; Mrs. Lewis, Vancouver; and two brothers, James Little, Vancouver; Charles Little, Cranbrook, B. C.

The funeral was held on Friday, service conducted at the home, by the pastor, Rev. Frank Lawson, talking as his text Matthew 25, verse 21. The favorite hymns were also sung, namely, "The Lord is My Shepherd," "Lead, Kindly Light," and "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

Acton United Church Thursday, Dec. 10

MORE VISITORS TO NATIONAL PARKS

Motor tourist traffic to the National Parks of Canada for the six-month period ended September showed an increase of 14 per cent. over the corresponding period of 1935.

A remarkable advance was registered in the mountain parks of British Columbia, where Kootenay's total of 44,656 visiting motorists represented a gain of 29 per cent. over 1935.

Of all the National Parks, Point Pelee Park in southwestern Ontario had the greatest number of visitors, receiving 260,140 motorists to set a new all-time record for this popular recreational area.

Princess Albert Park experienced a flow of tourist traffic with a total of 24,771 visitors, a net gain of 20 per cent. Riding Mountain National Park in Manitoba with 94,827 visitors to the end of September is well ahead of the total for the same period of 1935 and promises to exceed the record of 100,035 established for the whole season of 1934.

THE FIRST MAP

The credit for drawing the first map goes to a Greek philosopher, Anaximander who lived between 600 and 650 B.C. Anaximander's map represented a strange idea of the world, because so little of it was then known, and, like all men of his time, he had no idea that the world was a globe.

ACCENT ON ACCESSORIES By Barbara B. Brooks

Clothes do not make the man—so we have been told ever since we were old enough to wear garments. Nor do accessories and garnishes make the food we eat—another truism that we have heard much of since we were old enough to cook.

ROYAL GUELPH

NOW PLAYING "Pigskin Parade" The Football Musical

SATUR. — MON. — TUES.

"REUNION" Starring the DIONNE QUINTS Continuous Saturday from 2.00 p.m.

NEXT WED. — FRI. December 2nd — 3rd — 4th

MAE WEST in Go West Young Man

"Hitch-Hiking" "Round the World"



Acton United Church Thursday, Dec. 10

At 8.00 p.m. Tickets are 25c for Adults, 15c for Children. In the above picture one of the brothers, Elsworth, stands between two Arabs in Palestine; in the next, Letty appears in Arab costume.

HUSTLERS' CLUB HONOR THE NELLY WEDS

The Shamrock Hustlers' Project Club of Dublin, held a concert and dance in the school on Friday evening.

Dear Signa and Roger: It is with the greatest of pleasure that we, your friends and members of the Shamrock Hustlers' Project Club, assemble here to-night to express to you our heartiest congratulations upon your recent marriage.

When you have left our beaten way And find life's not all flowers, May it recount the joys you've had And all the happy hours.

May all the "little things" of life Grow larger in your care; And wisdom fill the happy years As silver streaks your hair.

When you have left our beaten way And find life's not all flowers, May it recount the joys you've had And all the happy hours.

After lunch was served, the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, music being supplied by the Dublin Orchestra.

AN ENTIRELY NEW FEATURE IS PRESENTED AT THE Acton Beauty Parlor

"NOMA" Machineless Permanent Wave

As the name indicates NO MACHINE is used in giving this wonderful Permanent. It is so comfortable, so simple in operation, and so pleasing that you will be amazed and delighted with the results.

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Gift Suggestions! Velvasede Lingerie

Velvasede is a lovely lockit texture of pure dye fabric, great richness, exquisite softness and unusual strength.

Table with columns for VESTS, BLOOMERS, PANTIES, SLIPS, and PYJAMAS GOWNS. Prices listed for various items.

WE HAVE A LARGE ASSORTMENT Of goods on display that make lovely gifts. Shop early while lines are complete.

Wear Well Hosiery

See the Large Range on display in our window. Lines for all members of the family. Quality Lines Reasonably Priced.

In the Grocery Dept. For Your Christmas Baking You Want the Best

ELLIOTT BROS. PHONE 38 WE DELIVER ACTON

FRED'S A CASH AND CARRY MAN NOW



At the door of the American home he and his film star wife, Helen Vinson, are furnishing, British tennis ace Fred Perry reads telegrams congratulating him upon his decision to turn professional.