

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths are inserted in this column without charge. In Memoriam Notices, 50c per line additional for poetry.

BORN

SAGASKE—In Acton, on Wednesday, June 16th, 1937, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sagaske (nee Mary Currie) a daughter.

DIED

STEELE—At Brampton, on Saturday, June 12th, 1937, John M. Steele, beloved husband of the late Mary Steele, in his 80th year.

HOWSON—In Georgetown, on Saturday, June 12th, 1937, Miriam E. (Minnie) Howson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Howson.

McDOUGALL—At the Guelph General Hospital, on Sunday, June 13th, 1937, Duncan McDougall, beloved husband of Annie Day in his 60th year.

SINCLAIR—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, on Monday, June 14th, 1937, Malcolm Sinclair, beloved husband of Annie Sinclair, in his 55th year.

HUBBLE—At the home of her sister, Mrs. McGill, on Wednesday, June 16th, 1937, Verena Cawthra, beloved wife of Samuel Hubble, in her 47th year. The funeral will be held from the home, No. 13 Crescent Street, Acton, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock (D.S.T.) interment at Fairview Cemetery, Acton.

LOCALS

—If you would profit most in your buying, consult the advs. first.

—An historical exhibit will be one of the new features of Acton Fair this year.

—The interior and exterior of Brown's fruit store is being renovated and greatly improved.

—Acton First Troop Boy Scouts attended the church service of Minico Scouts on Sunday.

—A registration booth and special meeting place for all friends will be provided at the 1937 Acton Fair.

—Sport fans and many friends are glad to welcome back to Acton Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morton and babe.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Royce, of Rockwood, celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Sunday last.

—Sunday is Father's Day. All dutiful children may recall that dad needs most anything but flowers or candy.

—Five cases for infraction of the Highway Traffic Act were on the docket for Police Court in Acton this afternoon.

—An auto, owned by C. A. Birge, stalled on the Middle Road crossroad, Oakville, and was completely wrecked when hit by a C. N. R. train.

—Medals, commemorative of Coronation Year and of splendid design, were presented to every school child in Essex County, through arrangements of the Council.

—Rev. E. M. Morrow, of Acton, was the minister at the anniversary services of Limestone United Church on Sunday. Rev. C. I. Stephenson was in charge of the services in the church here.

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Obituary

JOHN M. STEELE

John M. Steele, Treasurer of Erin Village, and for many years well-known in Erin business life, died suddenly on Saturday while visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ted Hiscox, Brampton.

Mr. Steele, who was in his 80th year, was a native of Glasgow, Scotland, and as a young man came to Canada and was engaged in the general store business at Thornbury and later he owned a general store at Clarksburg. In 1912 he went to Erin, and in partnership with his son-in-law, T. C. Foster, conducted the largest general store in the village. He served on the local Council and was a Manager of Burns' Presbyterian Church. He was also a member of the Burns' Choir for a quarter of a century.

He was a member of Clarksburg A. F. & A. M. His wife predeceased him in 1924. Surviving are one son, Will, of Erin; and four daughters, Mrs. T. C. Foster, Erin; Mrs. Sam Loughheed, and Mrs. Ted Hiscox, Brampton; and Miss Florence, of Thornbury. The funeral was held on Monday, under Masonic auspices.

DUNCAN McDOUGALL, Erasmoo. Duncan McDougall, well-known resident of Erasmoo Township, died at his home on Sunday after a brief illness, which shocked his many friends in that district.

Mr. McDougall was born in Ontario, and came to the district as a young man from Allenford, Ontario, many years ago. After working in Erasmoo Township for a few years, he left for the West, where he settled near Lelorne, Manitoba, where he followed the occupation of farming. About six years ago, Mr. and Mrs. McDougall, with their family, returned to the district, and lived retired on a small farm on the fourth line of Erasmoo Township. In religion the late Mr. McDougall was a member of Erasmoo United Church, and in politics was a staunch Liberal.

Surviving are his wife, the former Annie Day, of Erasmoo Township; four daughters, Mrs. S. Rothwell, Allenford; Mrs. and Marjorie, at home; Mrs. J. Johnston Guelph; one son, William, at home; and one brother, Daniel McDougall, in Allenford. The funeral was held from his late residence on Wednesday afternoon, with interment at Rockwood Cemetery.

PENNEL SMYTH Following a period of ill health extending over several years, the death occurred at his residence on Centre Street, Shawville, Quebec, on Tuesday, June 1st, of Pennell Croft Smyth, aged 55 years.

Mr. Smyth was a former bank manager and retired from the service of the Bank of Montreal about four years ago, owing to ill health, while stationed at London, Ontario, since when he has been a resident of Shawville. He came to Shawville first in 1912 as Manager of the Merchants Bank, which later was merged with the Bank of Montreal, and remained for three years, and in 1915 married Miss Minerva Caldwell, of this village. He was born at Acton, Ontario, and spent his boyhood days and early years here. He is a nephew of Miss Elizabeth Moore. Many friends in this home town join in heartfelt sympathy to the family in their death. He entered the bank at Hanover. After leaving Shawville he served the bank at several Ontario branches, including Bothwell, Orillia, Toronto, Gore Bay, Windsor, Ridgeway and Watford. During the Great War he was paymaster for the 14th Battalion. At the different places he was an active Rotarian, and while at Ridgeway was an enthusiastic member of the Royal Arch Masons. An Anglican in religion, he took an active part in church affairs and was for a time Warden at Gore Bay. During his first and last periods of residence in Shawville, Mr. Smyth was a member of Pontiac Lodge, A.P. & A.M., and attended St. Paul's Church when his health permitted. While associated with the bank there, he was active in sporting and social circles, and promoted a company to build the present Shawville skating rink.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Marion and Dora, at home; three sons, Kenneth, of the Bank of Montreal St. Stephens, N.B.; Arthur and Kingsley, at home; two brothers, W. H. Smyth, of London; and A. T. Smyth, of Port Erie, who were present for the funeral, and one sister, Mrs. S. J. Cook, of Vancouver, B.C.

Ballinafad Mr. William East of Wataskin, Alta., called on Mr. J. Epper last week.

Mr. George Soper, of Acton; and his son, George, and Mr. Livingston, were callers at Mrs. Epper's on Sunday.

Mr. J. Soper spent a day visiting with friends in Guelph last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley called on friends in Guelph on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Spence were visitors at Mr. Wiley's on Sunday.

What might have been a serious accident happened at the store on Saturday. When Mr. Lacey came out of the store to go home, his horse took fright and ran away, completely demolishing the buggy. The horse was later caught at John Cole's.

Mr. Peter Cole is not making as favorable progress as desired.

Acton Drops Two Games

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Play by play, here is how it all happened:

Edard, pinch-hitting for Blinco, singled; Cronin was safe on J. Waterhouse's error; D. Clement tripled, counting Edard and Cronin. This finished Lambert, and Bus Morton took over the twirling end.

Woods going to third. W. Clement greeted Morton with a single, and Brush was hit by a pitched ball; Toletka walked, forcing in D. Clement; W. Clement scored on A. Clement's fly to Guthrie; J. Brush doubled, scoring R. Brush and Toletka; Naylor went out; Edard was hit on the head by a pitched ball and forced to retire; Cronin struck out.

Terry went out; Morton leaned on one that went for three; W. Waterhouse popped a Texas leaguer scoring Morton, to the game up again; Lindsay walked and Waterhouse hit into a double play.

The tenth—D. Clement walked; W. Clement singled; R. Brush out, pitcher to first; Toletka doubled scoring W. Clement; Toletka counted when Terry erred on A. Clement's fly; a single by J. Brush sent A. Clement across for another; Naylor went out; London singled, scoring Brush; Cronin walked; ditto D. Clement and W. Clement, forcing in London; Lindsay now pitching; R. Brush walked, forcing in Cronin; and Toletka struck out, to end the slaughter.

The best Acton could do was one; Guthrie and Anderson went out; Bill Waterhouse got his third hit of the day, a scorching double; Woods walked; and Terry doubled, scoring Waterhouse; Morton fled out to Naylor, for the final out.

The local stalwarts took it on the chin again last evening, when Burlington took them into camp by a score of 8 to 4.

Burlington registered three times in the initial frame, and were held scoreless until the sixth, when they scored five more.

The Acton nine scored twice in each of the first, third and fourth frames, to tie the game up, and went into the lead in the sixth, when they counted another.

In this disastrous inning the locals used three twirlers before the side was retired.

As a result of their win, the Lakers climbed into a tie for third place with Acton.

Terry, first man up, fled out to centre; and Morton followed with a single. Tyler

Mrs. Gamble is President

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2nd Vice-President—Mrs. Cowan, Palmer. Honorary President—Mrs. Geo. Agnew, Milton.

Secretary—Mrs. Percy. Federation Representative—Mrs. Geo. Agnew; substitute, Mrs. Gowdy.

Delegate to Annual Convention—Mrs. Gamble.

Auditors—Mrs. Frank Ford, Omagh; and Mrs. W. J. Chisholm, Hornby.

Conveners of Committees were named as follows: Education—Mrs. Clayton Dick, Ashgrove.

Home Economics—Mrs. J. Mahon, Campbellville.

Health and Child Welfare—Mrs. Graham, Omagh.

Agriculture and Canadian Industries—Mrs. Gately, Milton.

Legislation and Resolutions—Mrs. Milligan, Burlington.

struck out, and Lindsay singled, scoring Morton. In the third Acton counted another when Terry got a free ticket and Morton collected his second hit, sending Terry to third, and scored on a long fly to centre. J. Waterhouse got on in the fourth, was sacrificed to second by P. Waterhouse, and scored on Guthrie's hit to left, tying the score.

They collected their final run in the sixth. Lindsay struck out; J. Waterhouse walked; P. Waterhouse fled to first; J. Waterhouse scored on a wild pitch.

The locals filled the sacks in the final frame, but couldn't come through with the necessary hit.

Burlington counted three in the first, when Bus Waterhouse erred on Alton's drive; Ryan struck out; and H. Thorpe singled to left; Eaton went out at first; and Green singled, scoring Alton; Belchamber then doubled, counting Thorpe and Green.

In the sixth Burlington put the game in the bag when they registered five times. Belchamber doubled, and McCullum singled, scoring him; Caski walked; Thorpe struck out; and Alton fled to right; Ryan walked; and H. Thorpe drove one to left, counting McCullum and Caski; Eaton got on on Lindsay's miscue; and Green was hit by a pitched ball, forcing in Ryan.

Thorpe and Jacobs twirled for Burlington; and Cripps, Lambert and Morton for Acton.

Community Activities—Mrs. Bracken, Dublin

Peace Education—Mrs. H. Bullard, Nassagaweya.

Historical Research—Miss Elizabeth Applebe, Georgetown; assisted by Mrs. Wright, Georgetown.

Scrap Book Editor and Publicity Reporter—Mrs. P. L. Clarke, Milton.

The conveners of each Standing Committee gave a report of work done by her committee during the past year.

Miss Isabel Twell and Miss Jean Fisher gave a most interesting account of their trip to Ottawa.

A report was given by Mrs. Cunningham, Pergus, Federation Director, who had also been in charge of the meeting during the election of officers.

The District Scrap Book was shown and branches asked to send in press clippings more regularly.

Vocal solos by Norman Wood and George Bullock were much enjoyed; also a selection by Palermo School Choir, and a vocal trio by the Misses Florence and Jessie Bullock and Muriel Smith.

Community singing was led by Mrs. Gowdy, Limehouse.

A vote of thanks was given the Palermo ladies for their gracious hospitality and an invitation was accepted from the Dublin and Nassagaweya branches to act as hostesses for the District Annual next year.

The National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

DEVELOPMENTS

Dear PEEK PRESS:

Although having lived several scores of years, last week was the first time the writer ever had the pleasure of a Normal School Students' Convocation. The function was in Calgary on the day prior to the announcement day of the successful aspiring teachers. "Grandpa" had been furnished with one of three tickets—his parents the other two—by John Antill Brown, a descendant of Acton, who, by the way, received, next day, the precious document entitling him to teach in Alberta schools. The two hundred or so of young men and young women made a fine appearance as they filed in to the auditorium to present the program they had prepared for their parents and friends. Although there were some musical selections, the main features were presentations of cups, medals, etc., to leaders of various class organizations, strongly reinforced by three fine addresses. The speakers were Dr. Coffin, Principal; Rev. Dr. G. W. Kirby, of St. Royal College, and a representative of Premier Aberhart, Minister of Education, Dr. Newland, who is Provincial Superintendent of Schools. The whole affair was an occasion of great interest and enthusiasm.

A feature of special interest was that the chairman, Mr. Geo. Pettinger, elected by his fellow students as term President for the second time, was eldest son of a neighbor family in the earliest days of our folk's prairie pastoral service, and a few months older than "our lad". To my surprise, I was told that day by his mother that he took his first steps across the floor to my chair, when I was on a visit there. And so time moves on!

The addresses of the Principal, and the Provincial Superintendent, were very informational as to the normal work, and the Departmental regulations, which this year are taking much advanced ground. But Dr. Kirby's address was a splendid expostulation of the high opportunity of the teacher in preparing the coming citizenship. His personal deportment, as regards himself, his pupils, and the community in which he labors, should be carefully regarded, for it will either make or mar. Because the great majority would go to labor in one-roomed schools, their personal responsibility was very great, as well as their opportunity. He gave a very skilful paraphrase—or parody—of I Cor. 12, in which he substituted the apostle's various activities, by terms adapted the teacher's possible activities, but in every case adopting the apostle's ultimate decision of love. Love for the work, for those for whom he labors, and love for the influence for good he may exert. Many humorous illustrations were given, one on adapting to unforeseen emergencies a gentleman in his car on a country road, coming to a group, mostly girls, on their way to school finding they would welcome a ride, got them packed in to the seats, so that one girl had to sit on his knee, close up to the wheel. Answering his various questions—affirmatively—as to liking school, regularity of attendance, etc., a question as to her teachers' ability was rather dubiously answered. "What is your teacher's name?" "I am the teacher."

I noticed that the splendid location of "the Normal," and the "the Technical," adjoining, is in a region where there are many opportunities of residential expansion. If the present crude old results—and efforts for more—are permanently successful, the "money barons" living in Turner Valley's northern suburb in Calgary may have a good field for investment there. But we shall see what we shall see.

J. S. COLEMAN
Turner Valley, Alta., June 7th, 1937.

P.S.—It may be added that the successful Normal student of personal interest noted above left this morning as substitute teacher, in response to a sudden call from the "trial-week" school of Easter, whose teacher had to prepare for hospital operation.

Peter Pass to hand! The editorial of Sunderland House is of personal interest. My last visit there was on "Memorial Day," when A. M. Smith took me over to visit his mother, Mrs. C. S. Smith, who in delicate health was then an inmate of, at that time, a good residence retreat. The names of the new owners, waken associations of boyhood days. Prentiss—Strathane.

J. S. C.

NOTICE

I am pleased to announce that arrangements have been made whereby Charles F. Leatherland, Esq., B.A., Barrister, now associated with I. B. Lucas, of Markdale, will take over my legal practice at Acton, on or about August 1st, 1937.

Mr. Leatherland, who comes with very high recommendations, will, I understand, undertake all work appertaining to the general practice of law.

H. N. Farmer.

Father's Day!
Sunday, June 20th

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Balbriggan or Nainsook		
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69c to \$1.00	Celanease Blouses	Pennman's SILK HOSE
White Purses	Pastel Shades	Summer Shades
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