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Seven local boys escaped serious injury in an automobile accident on Good Friday, when two automobiles crashed on the Dundas street highway, near the town line between Halton and Wentworth counties. Both cars were badly wrecked. In the Burlington car driven by John Escarino were Danny Cole, Ted Epps, John Lamore, Dave Nelson, and Eric and Peter Cone, who were enroute to Cedar Springs for an afternoon of horse-back riding.

Robert Wagner, of 176 Water St. E., was admitted to the Hamilton General Hospital on Tuesday afternoon. He suffered head injuries in a 12-foot fall at a lumber company yard in Hamilton. His condition is fair.—Gazette.

ACTON

Mrs. Edwin Cripps, an aged Acton resident, died on Friday last in Guelph General Hospital as a result of shock and severe burns sustained the day previous at her home on Mill Street. Mrs. Cripps was pouring cooking grease from one vessel to another when it became ignited from the stove and set fire to her clothing. Mrs. Cripps was alone at the time and ran from the house where her plight was noticed by men at Thompson Motors who rushed to her assistance and extinguished the fire by using the extinguishers from the garage.

Approximately 160 young people attended the Spring Rally of the Guelph Association B.Y.P.U. which was held in Acton on Good Friday. The Rally attracted groups from Stratford, Kitchener, New Dundee, Preston, Galt, Georgetown, Cheltenham, Hillsburg and Acton.

After years of hoping, months and weeks of planning and days of real hard work, Knox Church is looking resplendent with a new carpet in rich wine shade, giving a feeling of warmth and comfort to the folk who worship there.

The community was shocked to learn of the sudden death on Saturday night of Miss Lottie V. Mason. She had been about as usual that day and had just returned to her home on Frederick St. when she was suddenly stricken with a heart attack and passed away in a few minutes.

The highlight of the Acton Masonic year was held on Monday evening. It was the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master G. S. Dalrymple of Ayr. A large number of brethren from Wellington District visited the Acton brethren and paid their respects to the District Deputy.—Free Press.

In A Country Lane
By Lillian Collier Gray



Do you ever wonder how it is that some people can accomplish so much in one day, or in one lifetime, while others putter around and get very little done? Just what is the secret of the human dynamo's achievements? Was he just made that way? Or if he wasn't what made him the way he is now? After having just read a story about the world's busiest woman, Mrs. Kate Aitken, I can't help wondering what she has that so many others of us have not. But no doubt the world would be altogether too hectic if every person in it was able to cover the ground Mrs. Aitken is able to cover. And we might arrive at the ultimate goal much too quickly for everyone's comfort and convenience. Tantalizing thought though, what the result would be if every person could get things done with the speed and efficiency with which Mrs. Aitken does.

It seems to me most of us could enlarge our field of achievement if we would spend more thought on organizing our time. But then, some persons just love to be systematic at their work, while others feel they have to vary it for the sake of interest. Personally, I have the habit of rushing through some things, and then wasting time on others. My mother used to complain I would never let her linger over her last cup of tea. I was so anxious to get the dishes picked up and washed and have that tiresome chore out of the way, I didn't drink tea then, but having grown to like it in the last year or two, I understand now how one likes to sit and take one's time over the second cup. Then there is the bedroom work every day. Poor mother had the same complaint about that. She liked the room to air for an hour or so before it was put to rights, but her impatient daughter would have the beds made up before the people were hardly out of them. Another habit I've learned to modify! As I look over my house-keeping habits, it is easy to see I've always been the kind of person who has done things ahead of time rather than behind time just because I wanted to feel the satisfaction of knowing they were done. Of course there are exceptions, and days when the temptation to put things off gets the upper hand. And I think the easy-going people really enjoy life more. For example, an easy-going person wouldn't fuss and fume because it takes so long to make a place look the way you want it to look. I'd like to live in a bower of trees, but it takes years to grow trees. That is one thing you can't do up in a hurry. Patience is a virtue the person who does things in a rush seldom possesses. Ah, to be easy-going and resigned and serene and content!

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The increase in the supply of meat produced in France during 1949 has resulted in a weakening of prices to producers. The government is endeavouring to expand export outlets to strengthen domestic prices.

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Opening the back door of his father's speeding car last Saturday night, Ross Banerburg, 5, of Caledon, tumbled to the pavement and was seriously injured. He is in Orangeville Hospital suffering from concussion.

Increase appears certain in the tax for Wellington County this year from the 8.5 mill rate which prevailed in 1949. Faced with the necessity of constructing accommodation at the Home for Aged, establishment of a county library unit, and a great number of repairs to buildings as well as soaring costs is expected to raise the rate at least one-half mill.

A highly respected citizen of Erin Township, passed away at his home in Hillsburgh, on Monday April 3, 1950, in the person of Stanley Hall. Mr. Hall had been in failing health for the past year and was confined to his bed for the last ten days.—Advertiser.

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Jack Sheffield, officer in charge of the local Provincial Police detachment has received a promotion to corporal. The promotion came through just before Easter and Mr. Sheffield is now sporting two gold stripes on his arm.

Smith & Stone retained the industrial hockey league trophy when they won 6-2 from Norval Monday night. It was the third game of the finals. The first game was a tie and S & S won the next two games.

Following a short illness, Mrs. James Norton died at her home in Glen Williams on Wednesday, April 5th at the age of 58.—Herald.

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