



Lion Rolland Vaillancourt of Port Elgin and Fire Chief Peter Ens of Saugeen Township seen here with the new volunteer salvage vehicle which was donated to the Saugeen Fire Service by the Port Elgin & District Lions Club. The new truck will be used for carrying equipment and breathing apparatus to the scenes of fires and other emergencies. The truck, which cost \$4,000, was paid for out of monies raised by the Lions since they began operations a little over a year ago. (Staff photo)

Antique disc-harrows still in use

by Peg Sedgman



ANTIQUE HARROWS - Antique disc-harrows still being used each year on the farm of Russell and Lois Teeple. The harrows were made in 1878 by Dan Baker of Saugeen Township.

Seen in the picture is George Chester Teeple and Grandpa Chester Teeple using a set of iron harrows, made in 1878, by the late Dan Baker who had a Blacksmith shop on the south west corner of conc. 5 Saugeen Twp. and 21 Highway, known as the Baker farm.

The late Wm. R. Teeple, a neighbor of Dan Baker's, bought these harrows in 1878, which were drawn with oxen to work the new land.

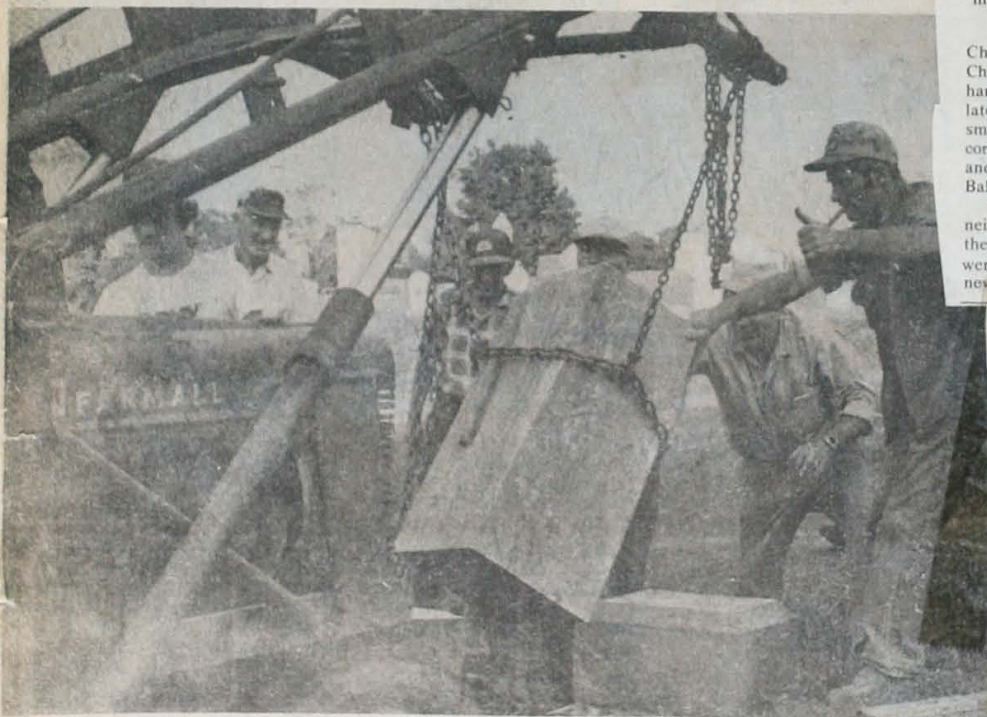
Plows and harrows were the only means of cultivation in those days.

These harrows are quite heavy by today's standards, with 3 sections, 5 rows of teeth with 3 teeth in each row and many of the original teeth are still in them.

In 1900 the late Roscoe Teeple brought these harrows to Greenock Twp. and by this time they were drawn by horses.

In 1930 Chester Teeple brought them to Elderslie Twp., where they are now drawn by tractor. The boy seated on the tractor is the 5th generation to use them. He is the son of Russell and Lois Teeple of Elderslie Twp.

These harrows have been used every year since purchased in 1878. Another couple of sections were added when pulled by



CEMETERY WORK BEE — More than 40 volunteer workers from the Port Elgin area uprighted tombstones in Sanctuary Park cemetery Tuesday night. About 70 grave sites were damaged by vandals

Sun Times photo by Wib Schwichtenber

last summer. Les Soper of Chesley Memorial Works assisted and offered to cement the stones in place at no charge.



Marjorie Clazie, daughter of Jim and Edna Clazie of R.R.#5, Paisley, graduated from the Fanshawe College, School of Nursing, on August 10, 1985. She has accepted a position at St. Joseph's Hospital, London.

Graduate

Andrew John Underwood graduated from Georgian College, Barrie, on Saturday, June 8, 1985. A member of the Dean's Honour Roll, he received his diploma in Law and Security Administration. Andy is a graduate of Saugeen District Secondary School. Attending the Convocation ceremonies were his parents, Jack and Isobelle Underwood, of Southampton, and his grandmother, Mrs. Grant Clazie, of Saugeen Township.

The first newspaper to be published in Bruce County was published at Southampton in the year 1856, and was named The Pioneer. David Culvert was the editor.