

Down Memory Lane - Continued from Book I Vol. V

- Feb. 26. 1956. "All cats and dogs in the entire area of Hastings County will be vaccinated against rabies" was announced by the head veterinarian, Dr. N. M. Younghusband, with the Health of Animal Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture at Belleville.
- May 11. 1956 Lightning destroyed the barn on the farm of Bryan Casey Ld 8+9. Con 8. Loss was estimated at \$15,000⁰⁰. Lost in the fire was his stock, a milking machine, grain grinder, cream separator grain elevator and water pressure system.
1960. Connie Sills, daughter of Roy Sills, was among the Canadian delegation to the first Ecumenical Youth Assembly at Lausanne, Switzerland, July 13-24-1960. Two other young people represented the United Church and were among the 1700 from Europe, Asia, Africa and America. Connie was teaching at Downsview at the time.
- March 13. 1966. - Fire destroyed the barn at the "Denyes place" owned at the time by Roy Sills. The fire was of unknown origin. In the blaze 15 head of cattle were destroyed, also several pieces of farm machinery which had been stored in the barn for the winter.
- April 12. 1966. The recently re-modelled barn on the farm of George Dickey Ld 15. Con. 9. was destroyed by fire of unknown origin. 16 head of cattle and a considerable amount of farm machinery was lost.
- It might be recalled that some of the first reforestation to be done in the community was done by Mr. N. K. Denyes on his farm. On May 2, 1921, 500 young Scotch pines arrived and were taken to the farm to be set out.
- April 22. 1969. - the Post Office at Halloway was closed permanently. The mail route which had been R.R. 1. Halloway was divided - the east half was put on R.R. 2. Roslin, while the remainder was put on R.R. 2. Stirling.
- Oct. 21. 1969. A freak snow storm amounting to 3 inches hit the area. Some of the apple crop was damaged.
- Nov. 14. 1970 Gordon Russell sold his property to Mr. Myers - a carpenter.
- Aug. 27-30. 1971 - The 8th Concession road had the final coat of tar and chips the first was done one year ago