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Oxford board honors 20 retiring teachers

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STRATFORD — Tribute was paid to 20 retiring teachers of Oxford County Board of Education Tuesday by board members and academic-administrative staff at a testimonial dinner at the Victorian Inn, Stratford.

B. R. Hunt, Ingersoll, board chairman, expressed appreciation for the service of the teachers, and principals of the Oxford schools recalled teaching experiences of the 20.

Public school teachers honored were, Oliver Lemmon, Clark's Corners; Miss Jean Morton, Northdale, Woodstock; Mrs. Marguerite Townsend, Victoria, Woodstock; Mrs. Adelene Noy and Mrs. Myrri Harrington, both of Broadway, Woodstock; Mrs. Helen Berst, Chapel, Woodstock; Mrs. Helen McKay, D.

M. Sutherland, Woodstock; Mrs. Ana Balls and Mrs. Jean Shier, both Hillcrest, Woodstock; Mrs. Retha Bolton, Ostrander; Mrs. Muriel Ede, Tollgate; Miss Josephine McLean, rural shop; Mrs. Alma McBurney, Hickson.

Secondary school teachers honored were Herman Branch, D. J. McKenzie and Leonard Cordick, Woodstock Collegiate; Miss Beatrice Campbell, Woodstock Huron Park secondary school; J. C. Herbert and Mrs. Doris Shier, Ingersoll District Collegiate Institute and Mrs. Orris Bercroft, Norwich District high school.

Mr. Herbert, former principal of the Ingersoll school, will be returning from Germany, where he has been principal at a department of national defence school.

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