Plowmen Compete in Halton Women Furnish the Banquet

Porty-nine Enter Competitions on Newell Farm Last Friday - Presentation of Prizes Made at Banquet in the Evening - Addresses by Prominent Haltonians - Ploughing Equal of Any Match This

HEADS PHYSICIANS

DR. G. S. YOUNG

Dr. A. T. Bazin, of Montreal.

ACTON SCOUTMASTER

GUELPH ROTARY

QUICK CHANGE

merchant last week. The first stranger

police, who are investigating. The man

Halton Plowmen - again demonstrated their ability to stage one of the outstanding matches of the year at their annual match, held on the farm of Amos Newell, Nelson Township, on Friday last. True, entries were slightly lower. than the record match of a year-ago, but this can be attributed to the unfavorable weather conditions and the backward season, which necessitated many plowmen concentrating on their own plowing at home.

Porty-nine outstanding plowmen from the Countles of Ontario, York, Peel, Wellington, Waterloo, Oxford, Haldimand, Brant and Halton vied for high honors on the splendid Newell farm, where conditions were well-nigh perfect. According to Judge W. L. Clark, of Gormley, and Wilfred Timbers, of Milliken the quality of the work was the equal of any match at which they had-officiated this

The event was brought to a successful conclusion by a banquet in the Milton Town Hall, where upwards of 200 plowmen and their friends enjoyed the sumptuous meal prepared and served by the ladies of the Mountain Union Institute, under the leadership of President, Mrs. Wm. Dales. With Mr. L. W. Chisholm, President of the Plowmen's Association, in the chair, brief addresses were made by Warden John Irving, Mayor Carl ADDRESSED THE Martin, Reeve John MoNiven, of Nelson Township, Hughes Cleaver, M. P., and Thos. Blakelook, M.L.A.

and Treasurer of the Plowmen's Associa- Priday. tion were assisted by Fred Robinson, Robt. Fox. Reeve Victor Hali, W. J. Robertson and F. H. Gilroy. The pro- boree," a spectacle which he witnessed Weed Inspector, balance of acgram also included musical selections by in Washington, D.C., last summer, when the Bennett Orchestra of Kilbride, and 30,000 Boy Scouts from all over the Unit- Bell Telephone Co., services solos by Hugh Beaty, of Milton, all of ed States, gathered to attend the annual Interest on County Rate, unpaid which contributed not a little to the jamboree." success of the evening's program. Another pleasing feature of the program a large group of Boy Scouts could be was a vote of appreciation to a number assembled at any one place," he said. Halton Agricultural Society of those offering encouragement to the "yet in Washington, near the famous Esquesing Agricultural Society ... Junior Parmers of the County, ably mov- monument, this boys' city, for such it Acton Agricultural Society ed and seconded by two of Halton's could be called, hummed with activity I. M. Bennett, refund on returnjunior farmers, namely Craig Reid and during the time they were in camp, each Donald McNabb, of Georgetown. Fol- boy performing the task allotted him." N. R. Thompson, Court of Relowing a few words of appreciation to Mr. Mason told the meeting that the ladies and other contributing to the 15,000 pounds of meat was consumed A. W. Benton, Court of Revision success of the day, by Honorary Preski- each day, 70,000 eggs at one meal, 15,000 I. M. Bennett, selecting Jurors. ent Stanley Hall, and Vice-President pounds of bread and two tons each of George Currie, selecting Jurors... Peter Peddie, the program was brought sugar and butter were eaten each day, N. R. Thompson, selecting Jurors to a fitting close with Auld Lang Syne | together with 30,000 gallons of milk.

Class 1-Ed. Timbers, Milliken; R. G. of his interesting address by R. I. Tor- Harry Goldham, Secretary of Poppy Brown, Galt, R. R. No. 7: John Capton, rance, on behalf of the members of the Fund, the sum of \$15.00,-Carried. Oshweken; Wm. Harrison, Galt; Lloyd Club. Before the meeting concluded with Marquis. Best Crown, John Capton; Best the usual sing-song, Mr. Mason presented C. H. May, that the Treasurer pay the morning. The first year following the the Corporation. Pinish, R. G. Brown.

Class 2-Lennie Black, Guelph. R. R. No. 2; Ross Marquis, Sunderland: Stan Fuller, Hornby; Arthur Julian, Malton; Claude Picket, Hornby. Bost Crown, Lon Black: Best Finish, Ross Marquis

Class 3-Horace Barnes, Milton; Donald RACKET TRIED McNabb. Georgetown: Elgin Walker. Markham; Cecil Sterritt, Oorgetown; E W. Dredge, Acton. Best Crown, Elgin Walker Best Finish, Horace Barnes. Class 4-Arnold Rife, Galt; Ronald

Marquis, Sunderland; Kenneth Peddic, Milton: Grant Baker, Freeman; Wm. Gemmell, Ayr, R. R. No. 2. Bost Crown, Ronald Marquis; Best Finish, Keni Ped-

Class 5-Senior Section - Clarence he had small bills and asked for the: The Badminton Club met at the Y.M. Ivan Taylor, Moffst; Roy Bradley, Horn- the store. The car was parked on the Hinton, was in charge of the meeting by: Wm. Bradley, Hornby. Best Crown, highway, a block away, and the license Clarence Dredge; Best Finish, Arnold number was secured and given to the President- V B. Rumley

Class 5 - Junior Section - Gerald working the game is always in a hurry Marchment, Hornby; Kenneth Brown, and talks continually in order to confuse Norval: Gordon Cartwright, Milton, Fred the shop keeper It's a game that is Mrs G Robertson, Miss A Chalmers,

Inter-Township Team Prize, for W Hall Special Esquesing Township. Dredge and K. Peddie.

Class 7-Vernon Picket, Hornby; Cliff May, Hornby; John Dixon, Milton; Jim ing restrictions insisting on types of con- a splendid list of children's books, in-Hamilton, Hornby; Best Crown, Vernon Picket: Best Pinish, Vernon Picket.

ad Land by Fordson Tractor-Harry Pic- buildings. It is understood all oil com- the new books placed in the Library.

Plowed Land in Walking Plows - Ed. traffic, and that the Department can Religion, Natural Science, Literature, Timbers.

Ruddell. Georgetown: Geo. Heathering- worked frequently in many places, and Dr P. Pearen. ton, Freeman. Best Crown, Gerald is apparently quite profitable for the Marchment: Best Finish Gerald March- operators. GAS STATIONS 'LIMITED FOR MIDDLE ROAD Robt Fox Special Leonard Lister. Bank of Nova Scotts Trophy-Clarence Following up its policy of making the Dredge Middle Highway the finest in the Do-Class 6 - Fred Timbers, Stouffville; minion, it is understood that the Der FOR SATURDAY Alex Black, Quelph; Spencer Wilson, partment of Highways has made some Norval; Harry Picket, Hornby; Maiste very stringent regulations to govern all! The new books recently purchased for Nicklin, Ariss, R. R. No. 1. Best Crown, gasoline stations on the new traffic ar- Action Public Library have been cata-Alex. Black; Best Pinish, Fred Timbers.

form color scheme, and all pumps and turesque Tales of Progress. Special on Classes 6 and 7-Best Plow- tanks must be erected in the rear of the In all there are over 250 volumes in Bank of Commerce Trophy-For Best a proportionate manner in servicing the tion, including the headings Psychology: Best Flow Team-Thos. McKerr; Rob- 100 feet on each side of the traffic lanes, are 90 volumes of Adult Fiction;

minimum on construction outlay.

JOE PRIMEAU, HAROLD COTTON COMING TO ACTON

The Y.M.C.A. Men's Club holds their first supper meeting for the season next Wednesday night, November 17th. A note in the morning mail from the Maple Leaf Gardens, Toronto, confirms arrangements made by Connie Smythe, Manager of the Maple Leafs, Joe Primeau and Harold Cotton will be here and address the Y.M.C.A. Club that night.

Mr. A. M. Harding, Secretary of Physical Education Y.M.C.A. National Council will also be a guest speaker Wednesday. All attending will have the opportunity of personally meeting these prominent figures in the sports and athletic field and the opening meeting promises to be just a sample of what is in store for the supper meetings of this Club during the year. Already, Mr. Russel T. Kelley, well known throughout Canada in sport and Y.M.O.A. activities, has consented to address one meeting. Judge Hoskings, of Toronto, will address another meeting and Taylor Statten has promised to be guest a' another, March, after he returns from his world

Grants to Fairs Passed by Esquesing

Toronto physician, who was elected Petition Highways Department for President of the Boyal College of Physic-30 Mile Speed Limit for ians and Surgeons of Canada, to succeed Norval

> The Esquesing Council held their regular monthly meeting on Monday after-Deputy-Reeve N. A. Robinson. Councillors W. A. Wilson, C. H. May and Edwin Harrop were present. Reeve Geo. Currie presided at the meeting.

George Mason, Scoutmaster of the 1st Moved by C. H. May, accorded by N. In the announcement of the awards Acton Troop, was guest speaker at the A. Robinson, that the Treasurer pay the and presentation of prizes, the Secretary meeting of the Guelph Rotary Club last relief accounts, as presented by the Relief Officer, \$121.40.-Oarried.

Mr. Mason chose as the subject of his Other accounts authorised for payment address, "The American Boy Scout Jam- were:

for 39 days ... "It seems almost impossible that such Harold McClure, re burial of

Vivian infant

ed taxes, deposited twice ...

A. W. Benton, selecting Jurors The following is the list of prize win- The speaker was introduced by J. M. Moved by W. A. Wilson, seconded by Christie, and thanked at the conclusion Edwin Harron, that the Treasurer pay Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by

> Dr. A. B. Ritchie, President of the Club. Road Sheets, as presented by the Road close of the Great War, the Soldiers' The Superintendent was instructed to with a jamboree badge, a gift for which Superintendent, \$549.45 .- Carried. Moved by N. A. Robinson, seconded by year since there has been that time for watering trough for horses during the Dr. Ritchie expressed his sincere appre-

C. H. May, that this Council petition the Department of Highways to have the speed limit through the Village of Norval service. And so it was this morning. 30 miles per hour -Carried.

Moved by C. H. May, seconded by N A. Robinson, that this Council do now adjourn, to meet Wednesday, December A couple of strangers endeavored to 15th, at 10.00 a.m., or at the call of the work the change racket on an Acton Reevo.-Carried.

made a ten cent purchase and took change for a ten-dollar bill. Along came another stranger and offered a five dol- : CHOOSES OFFICERS lar bill in payment for another small FOR THE YEAR purchase. He then came back and said

Dredge, Acton; Fred Dixon Milton; Len larger bill back. The merchant per- I.C.A. on Tuesday evening, to elect officers Lister, Hornby; Arnold Picket, Milton, ceived the racket and ordered him from for the year. The President, Mr. Bert

Vice-President-Mrs Chas, Kirkness

· Games were arranged with other clubs to Gueiph to play the Chalmers Badmin-

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS READY

per district will be permitted, with build- readers on Saturday evening. There are struction pleasing to the eye, of a uni- cluding the Book-House, Bet of Pic-

panies will be permitted to participate in There are 80 volumes of Adult Non-Picregulate the matter as they control a Biography, Travel and History. There inson Bros.; John Marshall; Frank Cart- It is also understood that \$5,000 is the volumes of Juvenile Non-Piction; and 35 volumes of Juvenile Piction.

Their Name Libeth for Hvermore

CORP. J. L. MOORE 24th Battalion CORP. ROY: HURD 20th Battery CORP. W. G. BROWN 6th F. Co. C. E. PTE. J. D. BURT 15th Battallon PTE. M. KALEY

- 21st Battalion CAPT. T. A. ARTHURS Chaplain Chinese Labor Battalion PTE, A. ANDERSON 116th Battalion PTE. F. ELKINGTON

58th Battalion PTE. F. WILLS 4th Battallon PTE. J. FRYER 18th Battalion

19th Battalion PTE, T, IRVING 3rd Battalion PTE. G. McLEOD

20th Battalion

PTE. A. WINTERBURN

SERGT.-MAJ. N. STUCKEY

4th Battalion LIEUT-HEG. KING 13th Northumberland Fusillers

PTE. A. GRIBBEN 42nd Battalion PTE. P. RADFORD 164th Battallon SERGT, W. LEE 4th Battalion PTE. P. GODFREY 196th Battalion CORP. F. MASTERS, G. M. S. 4th Battalion PTE, J. J. KENNEDY

95th Battalion

CORP. J. J. COONEY, D. C. M.

164th Battalion and P. P. C. L. I.

35.00 White Crosses and Poppies --Remembrance

5.00 Nineteen Years After and Acton Citizens Conducted the Annual Service

> Monument was erected here, and every drain and shut off the water at the a great bulk of the citizenry to pause winter. Freezing had damaged the in remembrance and an appropriate equipment in other years.

Lorne Rifles (Scottish), the Boy Scouts EX-WARDEN MASON The Acton and District Legionnaires, and Cubs, the Duke of Devonshire and HONORED WITH Lakeside Chapters of the LO.D.E., the CORONATION MEDAL Women's Institute and Acton Citizens' Band gathered at the Town Hall. By

Secretary P. L. Wright, of the Acton 1937." observed, broken by Reveille. The Band sident of the Children's Aid Society led in a verse of "Abide With Me" and Rev. H. L. Bennie, Chaplain of the

Game Captains Miss Magy Chalmers Legion pronounced the benediction And from the monument and its flower DELIGHTS ACTON bed filled with white crosses and with Al'DIENCE-SUNDAY cyterian Church for the second part again visited-Acton and gave a splendid .

Cutcheon expressed the appreciation of overture: "Pantheon," O. E. Holmes; Council in the response of citizens in hymn, selected; march, "Mecklenburg," this service and the help of all in ar- J. J. Roberts; selection, "Minstrel Memtery. Only a limited number of stations logued and will be ready for the use of ranging it. Rev. Dr. Morrow was un- ories," W. Rimmer; overture, "Good Pel- Mrs. Chisholm, Mrs. Veldhuis. able to be present, owing to ilfness, and louship." . W. A. Nyles; march, "Feld-Rev. Mr. Baxter had another engage- Cornet." L. P. LaLurendeau; valse, "Fleur Patrick, Mrs. Bilton, Mrs. Johnson.

reading by Rev. E. Brillinger.

The address was given by Rev. Mr

MANSLAUGHTER CASES HEARD AT MILTON COURT

John Hood, 25, of Stratford appearing at the Fall Assizes in Milton, on a charge of manslaughter, was acquitted Thursday by a Grand Jury, presided over by Justice McTague. Hood was driver of a car which collided with a truck on Highway No. 5, near Palermo, more than a year ago. William L. Smith, 28, of Stratford, a passenger with Hood at the time of the accident, was killed. Hood suffer? ed concussion of the brain. Concz, driver of the truck, was uninjured.

Corporal George E. Roberts, of Stanley Barracks, Toronto, appearing at the same court, was acquitted on a charge of manslaughter, but the jury disagreed on criminal negligence charge. On the criminal negligence charge, the case will e held over until the next assizes, sub lect to the decision of the Crown Attorney. Roberts, riding with four troopers from the barracks, collided with a car, driven by Clarence Root, on April 30th last. Charles Root, a passenger with his father at the time of the accident, was instantly killed.

\$1000 from The Waterworks Operation Acc't

Final Notices Sent Out in Hydro; Arrears, With Orders to Disconnect Services

Reeve McCutcheon, Commissioner Hansen and Chairman R. J. Kerr were present at the meeting, on Tuesday evening, FARM BARN of the Public Utilities Commission. The Secretary was authorized to pay the following accounts: Sutherland-Schukz Electric Co.,

supplies Superior Electric Supply Co., Symon Hardware, supplies Canadian Line Materials Co., supplies' Sangamo Co. Ltd., supplies C. N. R. and Transports, express Canadian General Electric Co.,

Ontario Hydro-Electric Commis-Norton Motors, truck repairs

Waterworks Department Hydro Department, October operations Hydro Department, power

were not made.

Bright and clear, but frosty, Novem- The Secretary was authorized to transber 11th. Acton citizens conducted their fer \$1,000 from the operation of the annual Remembrance Day service this waterworks to the General Account of THE ANSWERS

During the week, ex-Warden A. Mason way of Bower Avenue and Mill Street. was highly honored in receiving from Pive the parade went to the Soldiers' Monu-, the Secretary of State at Ottawa a Silment. Here, wreaths were deposited at ver Coronation Medal. Accompanying the base for the Province of Ontario, the medal was the following letter: Acton Council, the Canadian Legion, "Buckingham Place. By Command of Duke of Devonshire and Lakeside Chap- His Majesty the King, the accompany-'ters of the IO.D.E., the Acton Women's ing medal is forwarded to Amos Mason. Institute. "C" Co Lorne Rifles and the Esq. to be worn in commemoration of Their Majesties Coronation, 12th May, SCOUT MOTHERS

ler Carney Byrne, and, with bowed heads, served in many capacities as a citizen two minutes of silence was reverently and is at present Councillor and Pre-

GALT BAND

of the service. It was realistic Every concert in the Town Hall on Sunday cent white cross bore an A. ton man's name evening. Their program was varied and There was many a silent tear that fell well rendered. It included the following March, "Officer of the Day." R. B. At Knox Church, Reeve F. J. Mc-1 Hall, selection, "Sonnambula," Belline: D'Armour." P. Moret; march, "Trombone Hymns were sung; Psalm 90 was the Troubles." E. Chennette; reverie, "Evenresponsive reading, "and the twenty-first tide," R. B. Hayward; march, "Our Dirchapter of Revelation, the scripture ector." F. E. Gigelo; the National An- "A Merry Heart." Two enjoyable con-

Bandmaster R. Ellis was in charge, Mrs. Watson and Mrs. Hollinger.

Re-Appoint Relief Committee Borrowing Plan Changed

Additional Street Light Requested on Cameron Street - L. Atkinson Appointed Deputy Returning Officer in Place of N. F. Moore -Hospital Account Sanctioned -- Council in Accord with Plans of the Cemetery Board, and Will Co-operate Fully.

NEW HYDRO HEAD



DR. T. H. HOGG Chief hydraulic engineer of the Ontarlo Hydro Commission, who has been appointed Chairman of the Commission succeeding Mr. Stewart Lyon.

BURNED TO GROUND. ON SUNDAY EVENING

On Sunday evening the barn on the farm of David Mannen - at Crewsons Corners, was completely destroyed by 13.04 | fire. The blaze was first noticed by neighbors, about 7.45, and flad gained consid- A: Mason, R. J. McPherson and Mrs. erable headway by this time. Just how 7.50 the fire started is not known. Mr. Man-4.64 nen had been away from home since the of thanks be forwarded to them for their

morning, and had not returned. There was no stock in the building except a few chickens. The season's hay and straw were in the building and burn-80.01 rd but the grain crop had been sold at

\$202.36 struction, was in fair condition The house on the farm was burned a accept responsibility in this case. couple of years ago, and had been re-\$81.66 built by Mr. Mannen. He was, however, ing Officer for Polling Subdivision No. not living in the house at present, but 2, in the event of a poll being necessary,

34.59 at the Corners: final notices ordered to be sent out and it could be seen for miles through the services discontinued where remittances countryside and cars were lined on both sides of the road leading to the farm

TO PUZZLE POEMS OF LAST WEEK

week's Pare Parss. The regular one, by said to be necessary. Mr W. Coles, was solved by Mrs. Fred Anderson, who wins the award this week, street light be placed on Cameron Street. The answer was "Fireworks." The puzzle The matter was left for consideration. this week is a bit different. It requires a after viewing the street. word from each line to secure the answer. Try it and the usual rules apply. Have tinued illness of Councillor McMillan, the answer reach THE PREE PERSS by and the hope that he would soon be re-Monday evening. The poem is on Page stored to good health

The answer to the puzzle poem submit-Valley, Alta, was "W Coles," Mr. F. L. Wright submitted a correct answer to

REPORT SPLENDID WORK OF YEAR

The regular monthly meeting of the Scout Mothers' Auxiliary was held at the vember '16th. Good prizes Everybody home of Mrs O W Masales on Monday welcome night. The Secretary gave a most favorable report of the work done in the bas! year by the Auxiliary The election of the new officers for the coming year was conducted by Mrs E J Hassard, and the following were elected

Honorary President -- Mrs E. H Vin-

President Mrs R P Watson Vice-President- Mrs Hollinger Secretary-Mrs O Dessureault Treasurer-Mrs. F. J. McCutcheon. Planist-Mrs. F. S. Blow. Assistant Planist-Mrs. O. W. Masales. Program Committee-Mrs. Pargeter.

Social Committee-Mrs. Kentner, Mrs. Attendance Committee-Mrs. Massles. Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Somerville. Mrs. Chisholm read a paper, entitled, at 8.15 p.m.

tests were conducted, the winners being Bennie. He was impressed by the ser- Acton Citizens' Band and Bandsman P. Plans for the annual Scout banquet show 200 slides of his travels in the vice in the fact that so many children McDonald arranged the visit of this were discussed; also programs and other Orient, on November 16th, at 8 p.m., in

The regular monthly meeting of Acton Council on Monday evening had Councilors Mason, Jones -and Gibbons present with Reeve F. J. McOutcheon presiding.

The Clerk reported to Council-that Mr. N. F. Moore was unable to act as Deputy Returning Officer for the municipal Mr. R. M. McDonald was present, re-

presenting the Acton Cemetery Board. Council agreed to co-operate fully with the Board in their work in the improvements made and in contemplation. The twenty-first report of the Pinance

Committee recommended payment of the following accounts: N. McEachern, gas, oil, etc., for

H. Woods & Son, trucking Ritchie & Agar, coal for Town Jas. Gilmour, repairs and sup-Acton Public Utilities Commis-

sion, street lights, Town Hall, pump house. Arens and fire Symon Hardware, supplies O. R. Brown, trucking

\$369,22 The report was adopted. An account from the City of Toronto for relief supplied a former resident of

Acton was referred to the Acton Relief Moved by E. Jones, seconded by T. Gibbons, that Messrs, R. M. McDonald. Wm. Arnold be appointed Relief Committee for another year, and that a vote services in the past. Also that the Reeve

Secretary of the Relief Committee on demand.-Carried. Notification was received from Guelph 14.30 threshing time. The building was of General Hospital of hospital charges for good size and while not of recent con- Harold Deforest, an indigent patient, admitted from Acton. Council agreed to

and Treasurer make payments to the

A by-law to appoint a Deputy Returninstead of N. P. Moore, was given the The furm is just off Highway No. 7. required number of readings and passed \$116.25 and the blaze attracted quite a crowd of by the Council. Mr. L. Atkinson was The list of arrears was checked and motorists, and the entire neighborhood, appointed as Deputy Returning Officer. A letter from Mr. J. C. McRuer outlined the course for police officers to be

held. The letter was ordered fyled The matter of borrowings from the bank were discussed and the Clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law for borrowing an additional \$10,000 to be used if required. Council were at a loss to understand the need of by-law and will Two puzzle poems appeared in last ask an explanation of the procedure.

Citizens requested that an additional

Coming Events

certs or Other Events, under this heading, are charged, to cents per line, with a minimum charge for any anbouncement of sc.

Euchre, in Parish Hall, Tuesday No.

Tea and Sale of Home-made Baking and J to 6 pm, in Council Chamber 19-1

Acton Fire Brigade will hold a Bingo in the Town Hall, Monday, December 6th, at 8.00 p.m. 15 prizes. I specials and dear prize.

Outstanding Musical Treat Church, Monday, November . 29th Toronto Male Chorus, under direction of Mr.

The annual meeting of the F.P.Y.P.O. will be held at the home of Mr. R. L. Davidson on Wednesday, November 17th.

Rév. G. E. Porbes, Weston, who pre-The social group served dainty refresh- Women's, Missionery Society. Silver

:1,

the Acton Band served lunch.

remember. He was thinking of that presided over the program. At the close

ments, bringing the meeting to a close, collection