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—Staff Photo.
HALTON COUNTY BASEBALL CHAMPIONS, Campbellville, defeated Milton three games in a row to take the title, and are now playing Brampton in the O.B.A. "A" series. Front row, left to right, are B. Cairns, S. Henderson, E. Dernoski, K. Moore, W. Elliot and E. Cairns. Back row, left to right, M. Seenev, E. Dredge, H. Hamilton, A. Wingrove, J. Roberts, J. Laking, L. Early, manager Len Andrews.

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Monday, Sept. 10

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First, Three Thirds Won by Mrs. Dills

Mrs. Jim Dills of 419 Campbell Ave., Milton, won four prizes in the women's division of homecrafts and handicrafts competitions in the 1956 C.N.E.

Besides a first prize for a boy's knitted suit, Mrs. Dills won third prize for a breakfast cloth and four napkins, a crocheted baby jacket and wool knitted or crocheted animals.

Pass Skating Tests At Summer School

Acton members of the Guelph College Figure Skating Club who attended Ross Smith's Stratford summer skating school were Andrew Drenters, Elizabeth and Mary Jane Force.

Canadian Figure Skating Association tests passed by these skaters were: Andrew Drenters, the second figure, and two bronze dances, the fiesta tango and the willow waltz; Elizabeth Force, the third figure; the fourth figure, two senior bronze dances, the Kreas fox trot and the European waltz, and one silver dance, the American waltz; Mary Jane Force, the fourth figure and two silver dances, the American waltz and the Harris tango.

Acton people who saw the College Club Ice Show in Guelph during last Christmas week will remember the diminutive skating star, Bronwyn Brothers, a club member from Stratford. She also attended summer skating school and was successful in passing the fourth figure test and all three of the silver dance tests, the American waltz, the Harris tango and the rocker fox trot. For her age, nine years, she has attained the highest skating standard in Canada.

Chronicles of Ginger Farm

Written Specially for the Acton Free Press by Gwendolene P. Clarke

Did you have any rain last week? We certainly had plenty. It rained and stormed intermittently all day Thursday. And if it wasn't raining, it was so dull you just wondered what might be coming next. Late in the afternoon I wanted to go down to the post office, but every time I put on my hat and coat... crack... another storm started up. And since I am a coward insofar as weather is concerned, I decided to stay home.

Perhaps the slight earth tremors felt in the Ottawa district the day before were responsible for such persistent wet weather. It was pretty hard on the farmers trying to harvest their oat crop yesterday. Partner and I took a run around the country and saw many fields half cut that had taken quite a beating. We even saw a field of wheat being combined so badly down that only the weeds were showing. Something drastic must surely have held up the work on that farm for the wheat harvest to be so late.

We were glad the weather cleared Thursday night so we were able to watch the wind-up of the Republican Convention — and to see and hear President Eisenhower's speech. What a wonderful reception he received and who could help liking the man? But he got Partner quite worried. Time after time he raised his arms above his head in acknowledging the cheers of the crowd. We always thought that to raise the arms above the head was the last thing a person with a heart condition should do. Perhaps we are wrong. One thing I noticed when he was speaking, at every opportunity he would glance across at his wife and then smile his big, broad smile, just as if he were trying to reassure her by saying, "Don't worry, my dear, I'm all right!"

Of course, another excitement last week was Marilyn Bell's successful swim. I imagine 50 per cent of her admirers were hoping she wouldn't try again but since she did, naturally we all hoped she would win. It wasn't actually the swim that mattered so much, we just didn't want to see our plucky young girl defeated or hurt. You will notice I said "our" — don't you think that is how almost everyone feels in Ontario... sort of possessive... we all want to claim that lovable young person as OUR Marilyn Bell.

Nearer home, our interest at the moment is in the highways — the old and the new. On the old highway No. 25 the provincial police are having quite a field day, passing out tickets to speeding motorists. Partner was cutting weeds along the fence the other day and in a short while he saw four motorists given tickets. Another time I saw three cars stopped by the police.

Maybe it is just as well for the traffic is really fast along this road. There is also a little activity on the 401 survey. We can see four men popping up and down like jack-rabbits across the field. We don't know what they are doing as we had an idea the survey was completed some weeks ago. One thing is certain, we shall not be told to move off just yet as I noticed in the morning paper that work is only now starting from No. 27 across to No. 10 and will likely be completed in 1959! From No. 10, work will probably proceed in this direction but as No. 10 is about 12 miles from here, obviously farmers in this district can cool their heels for quite a while yet.

Just before the yellow panel truck camp-along today I could see Mitchie-White away across the field hunting mice. He evidently didn't like being disturbed and came home in a hurry. It was the first time he had come to the house for about a week. That cat is the greatest hunter we ever had and because he is all white, we can see him such a long way off.

Well, we sent another veal calf to market last Monday and it fetched top price. Wonderful! Then we got a new calf to take its place so we still have only a little milk to separate. That reminds me—I picked up the last cream cheque at the creamery and it was over \$21. It should have been about \$3.50. A mistake, of course, and yet I could have cashed that cheque and no one been any the wiser. But what good would ill-gotten gains have brought us?

Incidentally, we don't need any super-markets in our town. Our local merchants have provided their customers with plenty of parking space, so now we can shop at home. Sure, we may spend a cent or two more here and there, but at least it is going into the pockets of men who make our town their home, pay local taxes and take an interest in social services, churches and schools. What does anyone save by going to outside shopping centres anyway? It takes gas to get there and if you have children along, it is doubtful if you get away without spending a dime or two giving the youngsters a ride on the big horse.

Ah-ha—I see another fellow getting a ticket on the highway... maybe he and his family are hurrying home from a shopping centre!



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