

# "Mike" Charms Halton In Brief Wednesday Visit

The Hon. Lester B. "Mike" Pearson, Liberal Leader of Canada, spent a brief two hours in southern Halton County yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon. The noted political figure shook an estimated 500 outstretched hands, chatted with young and old, friends with his humble wit, and did some solid plugging for Halton Liberal candidate Dr. Harry Harley of Oakville.

He is the second national party leader to appear in Halton in recent months. Last November Tommy Douglas, leader of the New Democratic Party, spoke at the County nominating convention. Mr. Pearson's stops in Halton were part of his election tour before heading for Hamilton last night for a televised speaking engagement, termed a major policy speech. He entered Halton around

4 p.m. after a brief stop in Port Credit, then headed for the Queen Mall at Oakville for a small reception.

**Times for Baseball**  
Heading for Burlington along the Lakeshore Highway minutes later, he found time in his busy schedule to stop and play ball with 50 young lads on the Coronation Park ball diamond, then scurried on to the Brant Inn where the Halton Liberal Association tendered a reception and coffee party. Here Mr. Pearson was joined by six party candidates from all over this district.

By 6:15 he was off again, heading for Hamilton over the Burlington Skyway Bridge in an entourage of convertibles, banners, newsmen and pretty models.

At Oakville, Mr. Pearson delighted the crowd of 200 by wandering through the mall, shaking hands, signing autographs and

chatting with friends and well-wishers. Mayor William Anderson gave an official welcome to Oakville, and praised Mr. Pearson's contribution to Canadian politics. Halton candidate Harley introduced Toronto candidates Red Kelly of York West and Walter Gordon of Davenport riding, then introduced the party leader as "the man who's going to get Canada moving again—the next Prime Minister of Canada."

**Chorus a Homer**  
At Carleton Place, Mr. Pearson and the 50-car motorcade stopped as he chatted with the boys playing ball. Asked by reporters to take a swing at the ball, "Mike" clouted out a dandy homer, much to the amazement of the crowd. The photographers snapped pictures of Mr. Pearson batting, Red Kelly catching, and Dr. Harley umpiring. In two more practice swings, the Liberal

leader clouted a good double and a pop fly, to get his average up to a neat .666.

(The supposedly unscheduled stop at the ball park began to look a little rigged when two of the ball players revealed "I Like Mike" sewn onto their T-shirts.)

**Picture Session**  
On to Burlington and the Brant Inn. Mr. Pearson was whisked up to his owner John Murray Anderson's private apartment where the gathering of reporters, photographers and television representatives shot pictures and asked questions.

Downstairs in the dance hall, about 300 gathered to get into little conversations with the leader, then during a brief program Dr. Harley, Halton Warden Wilfrid Bird, Burlington Mayor Owen Mullen and Mr. Pearson got a chance to say a few words. "We think we have a pretty good county here," said the Warden as he welcomed the visiting dignitary. Mayor Mullen said he was proud to have the Liberal leader here "in the largest town in Canada."

**Worth Fighting For**  
"You've got a candidate worth working for and worth fighting for," Mr. Pearson told the gathering. "I am sure you will be of them here," he said, motioning to the other five Toronto and Hamilton candidates on the platform.

"So far we have received a very encouraging reception to our Liberal policies," he went on. "If they can be put into effect at Ottawa by the capable men in the Liberal party, and if they can form the next government, we can put this country on the road to progress, development and national prosperity again."

Liberals should be encouraged, but "there's no reason for over-confidence" right now, he warned. "We have to CONVERT... swing votes in our favor on election day."

**Inadequate Steps**  
"We can't blame the present government for all our country's current troubles. But I blame them for the inadequate steps they have taken in the past five years to deal with these problems."

It was Mr. Pearson's second official visit to Halton in recent years. In 1958 when K. Y. Dick of Milton was the candidate, he spent a few hours in Milton one afternoon. He formerly made several unofficial visits to Milton when his daughter Pat (wife of Dr. W. J. Hannah) lived in Milton.



—Staff Photo

**GENIAL LESTER B. PEARSON**—"Mike" to his Liberal party friends in Halton, thrilled an audience of over 500 late Wednesday afternoon when he made a hurried trip through the south end of the County. Above, Halton Warden Wilfrid Bird welcomes the Liberal leader, centre, while Halton Liberal candidate Dr. Harry Harley of Oakville looks on at the right.

## LIMEHOUSE

### Mrs. E. Kirkpatrick Honored Made Life Member of W.I.

When the Limehouse Women's Institute met in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Thursday evening, Mrs. S. Kirkpatrick received her life membership certificate and pin. Mrs. A. W. Benton, previously made a life member, making the presentation. Mrs. Roughley and Mrs. Ted Brown acted as hostesses.

**Festival Winners**  
Congratulations to Dorothy Ann and Karen O'Rourke for their success as violinists at the Peel Music Festival on Saturday. Dorothy Ann won the gold medal for solo. Karen won the bronze.

### New Member Joins

Scout Mothers' Group  
The Scout and Guide Mothers' April meeting was held in the Scout Hall, May 1, with 11 members present when Erna Nessel was welcomed as a new member.

Minutes were read, and the treasurer gave her report.

The president thanked Alice Wilkinson for speaking at the Mother and Daughter banquet on the group's behalf.

It was decided that any new member wishing to join now would not pay any dues until September when they start the

and as a duet they also won the bronze.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Patterson and Marilyn of Rockwood visited with the A. C. Patterson's on Sunday.

Mrs. Sanderson and children of Weston visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cohoon.

**In Accidents**  
We hope for a good recovery for Mr. Joe Ross, confined to Georgetown and District Hospital with a badly broken ankle following a farm tractor accident on Thursday, and to Mr. Herb Arnold, in a cast in hospital in Toronto, following a motor accident near Georgetown on Friday night.

We hope for continued good progress for Findlay Arnold, who underwent an appendectomy in Georgetown and District Hospital on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Noble, Mrs. Chas. Meredith and Mr. Harold Karn motored to Sudbury last week to visit Mr. Gladden Noble, who is quite ill in hospital there.

Marion Pope extended an invitation for everyone to attend an open house at the Scout Hall for her 3rd Boyworn Pack on May 12.

They have been invited to visit Alice Newton's home in Toronto for a pot luck supper in June.

A letter was read from the Public Health Unit in Milton about the Polio clinic to be held soon.

Libel Haggert and Betty Blum were elected as the nominating committee for the new executive.

The meeting was closed with the Mizpah Benediction and coffee was served.

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## EBENEZER

### Teen-Age Problems Outlined During U.C.W. May Meeting

(Intended for last week)

Mrs. Sheldon Traudale was hostess for the Ebenezer U.C.W. May meeting. Mrs. M. Hayward, president, opened the meeting with a delightful message entitled "Spring" then turned the meeting over to Rev. J. W. Ward, Jr. The devotional theme was "The Power of God."

"All hail the power of Jesus' name, let angels prostrate fall," was quoted. Mankind has been exceedingly clever in harnessing the forces of nature to serve his physical needs, the speaker noted, but he is still amateur in utilizing the spiritual resources which are available to him.

Concluding, the speaker said that Calvary the devil exerted his power to the utmost and succeeded in crucifying Jesus, but in the resurrection, God exerted His power, even over death and proved His omnipotence.

**Study Book**  
Mrs. R. McLean gave gleanings of interest from the study book, which had to deal with teenage problems. Comparison was made with the Soviet Union, in regard to educating youth for important jobs such as doctors, engineers, scientists etc.

There is something in our culture that glorifies the fast buck and teenagers leave school at too early an age to seek jobs. The speaker suggested the churches also have fallen short in their concern for the young people.

Final details were made for the May tea and articles for the June half were handed in. A committee was appointed to arrange for a strawberry social to be held

on the church grounds on June 27. A hymn, followed by prayer by Mrs. E. Ward, brought the meeting to a close. A contest entitled "Familiar Hymns" was conducted by Mrs. E. Ward during the lunch period and was won by Mrs. W. Early.

**Church Meetings**  
The Young People's Union meeting was well attended on Sunday evening and was led by Joy Hayward in the absence of president Harold Watson. There was a fair attendance for the service of meditation on Good Friday at Ebenezer Church. Rev. Haddock's sermon was on "The Power of the Cross." The choir provided special music for this service.

Many visitors dotted the full congregation for Easter services in Ebenezer church. "He is Risen" was a special sermon by Rev. R. Haddock and the choir provided two anthems for this glad festival.

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## 300 Killed

### Dogs Rampage In Turkey Pen

Two dogs broke into a pen of nearly 300 of them, Murray M. Phail, manager of No. 7 Turkey Farms near Campbellville told Navesagaveva Township Council Monday evening.

The dogs killed 70 turkeys instantly, another 60 died the next day, and a further 160 were crippled so badly they had to be de-

stroyed, the manager told council. The loss came close to \$1,000, and the price of turkeys has been downgraded and bring a lower price on the market, he said.

In case the dogs' owner can not be sued for the loss, the township council will have to stand behind the loss, Mr. Phail explained. Township evaluator Ed Parsons has viewed the damage.

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