

HARLEY...to HALTON

By DR. HARRY HARLEY, M.P.

Since my last column, we have seen the blockade of legislation by the Caouette Creditistes come and go. At the latter part of last week, the only speakers were the rebellious Social Creditists who rose one after another to speak. They spoke of many things, none very relevant to what was going on in Parliament. They were threatening to keep filibustering and prolong business of the House and therefore not allow the government to pay its bills.

Civil servants and government bills would have gone unpaid and the government would have collapsed — and an election forced. They were threatening to force an election unless they received official recognition as an official party in the House of Commons. This matter had already been referred to a Committee of the House for its opinion. The government in turn recommended 24 hour sitting of the House of Commons and the blockade collapsed.

Debate Drags
The Old Age Pension increase to \$75 monthly dragged on in debate all day Tuesday and suddenly went through very quickly in the last few minutes. We were pleased to report that this should be passed by the Senate and receive Royal Assent in time for the increase to be present in the October Old Age Pension cheques.

The Canadian Labor Congress has admitted that they have nothing to offer as a substitute for trusteeship of the Maritime Union and have agreed to cooperate with the government. As much as the government is reluctant to carry this out, there is now no alternative and the legislation has been introduced. Even though all parties have agreed that it is necessary, it is expected that a great deal of talk and debate will take place before this becomes law.

I was pleased to accompany the Prime Minister to the opening of the World Plowing Match in Caledon on Tuesday. I was pleased to see some of the Halton representatives and hope they do well.

The Caouette half of the Social Credit Party put on a time-consuming performance on Wednesday in the House. They forced two votes which take a great deal of time, trying to obtain official recognition by the Speaker of the House, in order to speak on motions on which one speaker only is allowed from each recognized party.

The Speaker has not received an official report from the Privileges and Elections Committee which, in fact, will recognize this group as a new party, but seat them below the Thompson half of the Social Credit Party. The N.D.P. will move to third party position, which is important when they choose to propose amendments or sub-amendments. On one of the votes, the N.D.P. supported the Creditistes, although all other Members voted against them. I cannot see the reason for this support of irresponsible behavior.

The Special Committee on Food and Drugs has convened and the first topic to be dealt with is insecticides and pesticides and their uses, abuses and dangers. This Committee meets twice a week and in dealing with this problem will call the Departments of National Health and Welfare, Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, and Northern Affairs and National Resources as a source of background information.

I am happy to report that rural mail delivery to families residing on the Eighth Line between Upper Middle Road and the Dundas Highway has been authorized by the Post Office Department.



DURING THE CONSECRATION of the new Colors of the Regiment Saturday, Chaplains and the Bishop of Toronto dedicated the new flags of the Lorne Scots as they were piled across the drums of the Pipe Band. Lt.-Governor the Hon. W. Earl Rowe, who presented the Colors, stands at the left while Commanding Officer Lt. Col. E. F. Conover is shown at the right with the Chaplains.

HALTON MANOR

Swing Your Partner Echoes Thru Manor

By Miss Muriel Thompson

Since Sunday, September 29, was the fifth Sunday in the month, the Church service was conducted by a group representing the Christian Business Men's Committee, Oakville, G. Browne was the leader and W. Lane the organist. J. Reimer was the speaker and read verses 13 to 20 of Chapter 16 of St. Matthew's Gospel as the Scripture lesson.

Quoting many statements in Scripture in which Christ is spoken of as a Rock, Mr. Reimer described the similarity between Christ and a rock that remains unmoved even under the beating of the sea and wind. When He covers us with His hand and we stand in His righteousness, we manifest love for all humanity.

This very earnest sermon was followed by an equally earnest closing prayer by Mr. Lane.

Landscape Tour

The second annual bus trip to see the beauty of the autumn landscape was provided for the residents by the Halton Manor Women's Auxiliary on Saturday afternoon, October 5. A bus provided for the trip was a donation by M. Poole and was completely filled with a very happy group of residents. After following a scenic route, the bus reached its destination at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wilson, where a treat of dilly cups of ice cream was enjoyed. Mrs. S. Allen, Mrs. Jean Hatherly representing the Auxiliary and Mrs. Rose Walker and John McDonald of the Infirmity staff supervised this very enjoyable afternoon.

Clayton Coles, a staunch friend of the residents of the Manor, brought two other staunch friends to the church service on Sunday afternoon, October 6. These friends were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hare and Mrs. Hare. They made an inspiring contribution to the service. Mrs. Hare by playing the organ and Mr. Hare by singing two very fine solos, "The Unveiled Christ and Jesus, Rose of Sharon."

Mr. Coles' sermon was based on verses 9 and 10 of Chapter 17 of Jeremiah. He began his sermon by saying that Jeremiah is speaking not of the natural heart but of the spiritual heart, the very centre of our being. Ever since Adam's transgression, when sin entered our lives, our spiritual hearts have deceived us.

Letter from Rudds Is Read at Meeting

The Marion Rudd Mission Circle met Monday evening in the church basement, for their October meeting. After a hymn and prayer, the 42nd Psalm was read in unison.

Mrs. G. Luff read the minutes of the last meeting and discussion centred around the Fall Thanksgiving to be held in the church October 21. Miss Monare from India will be the speaker and should be very interesting. The Baptist Women's World Day of Prayer is on the first Monday of November, which is the regular meeting night.

Mrs. C. Landsborough read a letter from Mrs. J. Rudd thanking them for the last food parcel sent and telling a little of their experiences in India. Plans were made to send another parcel in time for Christmas.

A special collection is to be made for a Christmas fund for the Bolivian missionaries.

Decorate Church

It was decided to decorate the church with traditional fruit and vegetables for Thanksgiving Sunday services.

Mrs. J. McCutcheon read Scripture from Exodus and Psalms and a prayer period followed.

Mrs. J. Chapman and Miss A. Pilkington sang a duet "Open My Eyes" which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Shelley gave a lovely devotional talk taken from the how we are to take "What is in our hands" and use it for the Lord by praying, by working and by giving. She said we must not neglect the mission field in our own neighborhood.

Mrs. C. Landsborough thanked the speaker for her message. After a hymn Mrs. L. Hildey closed the meeting with prayer.

Lunch was served by Mrs. G. Ralston, Mrs. A. Pilkington and Mrs. H. Freuler.

Mrs. R. Parker of the Senior WMS was present and in a most interesting manner introduced the new study book, The Christian Mission in Southern Asia. Mrs. J. Inglis was convener for the evening and conducted the worship service. Following the opening hymn Mrs. R. Adams read the scripture lesson from John 14 and Mrs. E. Masters led in prayer.

A lovely lunch was served by the committee in charge for the evening.

Eaton's Moves Paul's Expands

A Mill St. switch will result in Eaton's order office acquiring a larger store and Paul's Men's Wear taking over Eaton's for a women's and children's wear section.

Goal for business in the new locations is the first of November so both will have the advantage of more space for the upcoming Christmas rush.

The former Edna Maye store is being renovated this week by contractor Paul Larsen and Eaton's will move over as soon as possible. Their front counter will be roomier and there will be much more space for storage behind. Mrs. Charles Davidson and Mrs. Douglas Price are already planning the switch.

Then Paul Nielsen will knock down the partition between his men's wear store and Eaton's and open a new department there. This will almost double his present space.

Both buildings are owned by Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Rachlin. At one time Ibg. Rachlins had a clothing store in two sections as Mr. Nielsen's will be, in the same location.

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HALTON COUNCIL BRIEFS

On Wednesday Halton County Council:

● Approved the holding of a Weed Poster Contest within all schools of the county including the Oakville public schools. The Weed Inspector V. McArthur advised the Agriculture and Reforestation committee he had encountered difficulty in arranging the contest in the Oakville schools.

● Was advised by the county engineer that the renovation project at the old court house was progressing favorably and the painting will be completed after partitions have been altered in the area assigned to the jail.

● Approved payment of \$950 to Tope Construction Co. Ltd. as the final payment on the Administration Building.

Purchase Signs
Accepted the bid of Pitman-Coburn Limited for supplying and installing signs and letters for the Juvenile Family Court, Magistrate's Courts and Jail.

● Set the rental fee for the Health Unit quarters at the rate of \$675 per month, effective June 19, including heat, light and janitor service.

● Set the rental to the Children's Aid Society for the use of the two floors in the present building at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, effective August 1, 1963.

● Approved payment of rebates to the Towns of Milton and Oakville in line with statutory grants. Grants were \$4,692.47 to Milton and \$37,447.37 to Oakville.

● Advised Milton Chamber of Commerce the restructuring of Highways.

Birthday Cake...

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Gaulth, expressed his pleasure at being present.

Mrs. R. R. Parker expressed the thanks to all participating and particularly to so many visitors present.

An interesting feature of the meeting was the presence of many former members among them five members of the Karres family, Mrs. Banks, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. E. J. Hassard, Mrs. Ann Somerville and Mrs. W. Thompson and the wives of four former ministers.
A delicious lunch was served by the committee.

way 25 directly south of Highway 15 is under consideration by the Department of Highways.

● Agreed to offer the owner \$9,000 for a property in Campbellville on the south east corner of the Guelph Line and No. 5 sideroad. The property is required for road improvement purposes.

Accept Road

● Agreed to have the Municipal Road Branch of the Department of Highways prepare a draft by-law for the assumption of the County Roads system by the road from Milton Heights to the Kelso Conservation area.

● Was advised in the Board of Health report the Health Unit now has 23 nurses on the staff.

● Approved accounts for payment totalling \$93,164.77.

Nassagaweya...

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and 69 and 115 over 70 years of age.

Township Growth
Commenting on the particularly large increase in assessment and population, Nassagaweya Reeve John Robertson said, "this is a partial indication of the growth of the township and the county." He suggested that the lost cost of land in the township and its nearness to the 401 highway were also responsible for the increases.

During the year Nassagaweya's newest recreational facility, Mohawk Raceway was constructed and opened.

Dissolve Committee

Dissolution of the Halton Conservation Committee was approved by Halton County Council at a meeting on Wednesday.

The Halton Legislation, By-law, Agriculture and Reforestation committee will continue the land use and farm pond policy as it is at present.

Discussions had been held earlier on the possibility of Conservation Authorities handling the farm pond and land use assistance.

In discussions on the reforestation program it was noted the county has 13651.3 acres under reforestation. The County agreed to retain control of reforestation projects under agreement with the Department of Lands and Forests.

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