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**DR. C. A. MARTIN**, former reeve of Milton, laid the cornerstone on Tuesday morning for the new 150-bed home for the aged — Martin House. The new building has been named in honor of the Martin family of Milton. Shown from left to right during the ceremony are Manor Superintendent Stanley Allen, Manor Board chairman Herbert Merry, Reeve of Oakville, Dr. Martin and Halton County Warden H. H. Hinton, reeve of Acton.

### First co-ordinating principal named for Esqueing schools

Esqueing Township's seven public schools are ready for the fall onslaught of pupils, with their full complement of teachers.

This year for the first time, the position of co-ordinating principal has been created. Eric Balkind, principal of Limehouse school, has been chosen for this position by the school board. Gordon Bassett, who formerly taught at Amherstburg, will be vice-principal at Limehouse, as well as principal's relief at Speyside.

**Other new teachers** this fall are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gardiner, who will teach at Stewarttown and Pineview respectively. They taught last year at Garson. Mrs. Donna Bateman from Toronto and Mrs. Christel Hines from Hamilton, both at Speyside; Robert Clint and Mrs. Patricia Parry, just graduated from Teachers' College, at Glen Williams and Milton Heights; and Miss J. Evers, formerly of Burlington, at Norval.

Ronald Chaiten of North York will be the new principal at Stewarttown, replacing Robertson Gibbons, who has a new position in Breslau.

Complete teachers' list follows:

**Limehouse** — Eric Balkind, principal; Gordon Bassett, vice-principal; Robert Noble, Mrs. Yvonne Milneham, Mrs. Olive Hogan, Miss Robin Still, Mrs. Helen Rogvaldson, Mrs. Marlene Preston.

**Stewarttown** — Ronald Chaiten, principal; Mrs. Margaret McKelvey, Miss Hilda Boyes, Miss Barbara Whitme, Mrs. Thelma Hearns, Mrs. Eleanor McKeown, Leonard Jackson, Peter Gardiner.

**Glen Williams** — Ralph McKeown, principal; Mrs. Wendy Glass, Mrs. Mary Giffen, Miss Doris Duff, Mrs. Eva Presswood, Miss Sharon Turnbull (who will become Mrs. Bob MacMillan after her marriage in mid-August), Robert Clint.

**Pineview** — Alex Dickson, principal; Mrs. Glenna Connor, Courtney Saunders, Andrew Blain, Mrs. Ethel Riddell, Mrs. Lena White, Mrs. Shirley Lawrence, Mrs. Ethel Gardiner.

**Speyside** — Gary Dawkins, principal; Robert McGregor, Mrs. Vivian Smith, Mrs. Tyra Mitchell, Mrs. Kathleen Lawson, Mrs. Jeanette Paquette, Mrs. Donna Bateman, Mrs. Christel Hines.

**Norval** — Jackson Reed, principal; Miss Gwen Robertson, Miss Josephine Evers.

**Milton Heights** — Mrs. Mary Campbell, principal; Mrs. Patricia Parry.

**Auxiliary** — music supervisor, Mrs. Mary Kidney.

**Principals' relief** — A. Sturges, formerly of North York, at Pineview and Stewarttown; Mrs. Helen Cummings, formerly of North York, at Glen Williams; Mrs. Deanna Reed at Norval; Mrs. Pat English at Milton Heights; Gordon Bassett at Limehouse and Speyside.

### Thomson-Connon vows at St. Alban's Church

Carol Ann Connon and Michael William Thomson exchanged wedding vows on Saturday, June 25, at the Anglican Church of St. Alban the Martyr.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Connon, 80 Roseford Terrace, Acton. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Thomson of Edinburgh, Scotland.

Rev. Ritchie McMurray was the officiating minister. Mrs. F. G. Oakes played the wedding music.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a short white organza with lace dress and a chiffon overskirt. A beaded crown of orange blossoms held her bouffant shoulder length veil. She carried a cascade of pink sweetheart roses and white stephanotis.

Miss Darlene Connon, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She was dressed in a short, empire style, jade green chiffon with lace dress with matching headpiece. She carried yellow carnations.

The best man was William Rogers, cousin of the groom.

At the Station Hotel, the bride's mother received in a

blue sheath with lace coat and matching accessories and a corsage of deep pink sweetheart roses.

A toast to the bride was proposed by Bill Hietala, a close friend of the family.

The bride's grandmother, Mrs. Bertha McFadyen of Huntsville, Ont., and a great aunt, Mrs. Merle Bowen of Barrie were special guests.

The groom's parents, who live in Scotland, were unable to attend. They called their best wishes.

For the wedding trip to Muskoka, the bride chose a pale blue sheath with matching jacket and white accessories. Her corsage was red sweetheart roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomson are residing in Toronto.



LIVING IN Toronto are Mr. and Mrs. Michael William Thomson, who were married in St. Alban's church in June.

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### Bible school ends Friday

A five-day summer Vacation Bible School winds up here tomorrow (Friday). It is conducted by two missionaries from the Child Evangelism Fellowship of Ontario.

Classes began Monday morning with 103 youngsters registering and are held at six homes in Acton and one in Limehouse. Miss Eleanor Preiss of Clifford, Ont., who is a graduate of Briercrest Bible Institute, Winnipeg, and Miss Marilyn Weismore of Buffalo, a graduate of Prairie Bible Institute, Winnipeg, are conducting the classes.

The classes are interdenominational and include songs, Bible stories and coloring sessions.

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### 4-H Grain club hold monthly meet

The monthly meeting of the Acton 4-H Grain Club was held on the farm of Calvin Aitken and family. The meeting was opened by club president Bill Lasby, who led the members in the 4-H pledge. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The roll call was taken and answered by all present.

The meeting was turned over to Nino Braida, who led a brief discussion on the 4-H float.

Kelth Aitken took the members on a tour of the farm. As the group moved about the farm, they discussed the various crops grown, the type of soil, lay of the land and yield of crops. While returning to the buildings, members gathered as many different weeds as possible, which they identified.

Upon returning to the buildings, Russell Murray told the members the things they should look for in small seeds and baled hay. Members were given a class of hay and small seeds. The official placings and reasons were given by Russell Murray. Members then gave reasons.

A brief talk was given by Wayne Aitken on the preparation of a weed sample, after which the meeting adjourned. Refreshments were served by the hosts, who were thanked by Walter Tryssenaar.

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### Beardmore's announces two new appointments



PETER DUNHAM



JULES LAREAU

Beardmore and Co. Ltd. announce the appointment of Peter Dunham as assistant general sales manager and Jules Lareau as assistant sales manager for Eastern Canada.

Mr. Dunham has had 13 years' experience in the sales department at Acton and in serving the Ontario shoe trade. He will continue to call on the manufacturers in the province, in addition to carrying out his new responsibilities.

Mr. Lareau has had many years' experience in the leather trade in Quebec Province and in other areas of Eastern Canada. In addition to his new responsibility, he will maintain his

### Fourth year for rainfall closing day

There were even a few tears at the final session of the playground program Friday. Youngsters from both playgrounds joined in the community centre for a sing-song and treat of chocolate bars as the best season yet drew to a close. The big program was Wednesday evening in the arena when parents and friends saw the oneering circus.

The weather was traditional, as far as Acton's playground was concerned. For the fourth year of playground operation, there was rain for the fourth time in succession on closing day.

At least this year's program was inside and the rain fell during the afternoon dress rehearsal. In past years, the demonstrating youngsters were outside when the drops began to fall. Fine weather characterized almost every day of the six-week program this year.

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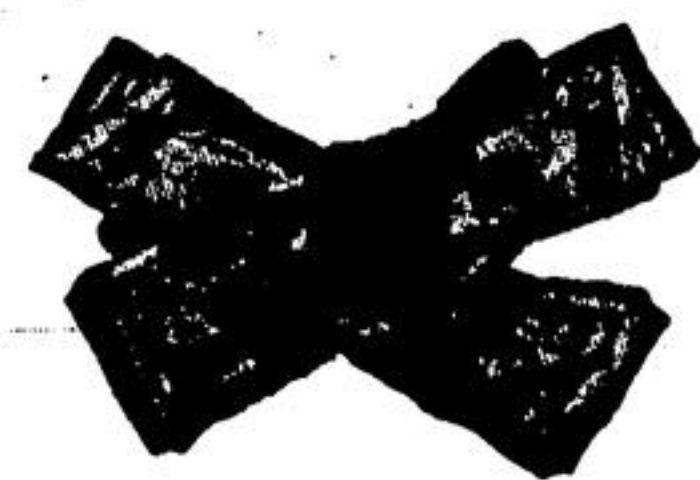
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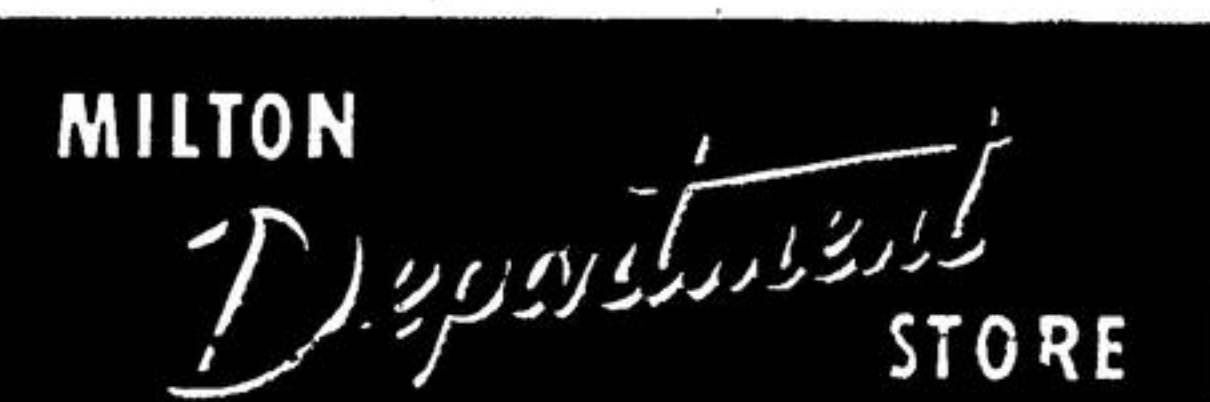
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