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Lacrosse, a fast-moving netted stick game, was played in America before Columbus landing in 1492. Originated by the Iroquois Indians and used as a training requirement for warriors, this strenuous game was adopted in 1840 by the white man. It is now regarded to be north America's oldest organized sport.

Esqueing Council briefs

During a meeting of Esqueing township council, Monday Oct. 30, council:

- Called for a meeting November 6 to discuss action on the proposed fire hall and recommendations from township assessor and building inspector A.W. Benton.

- Received a request from Milton asking for by-laws to govern land use in Esqueing territory bounding Milton.

- Read a request from Morris and Sons, owners of part of the east half of lot 16, concession 8, asking their land be annexed to Georgetown so facilities from that town could be used, making the site more adaptable to subdivision. Deputy Reeve George Currie noted, "We're not giving Christmas presents yet."

- Accepted a ruling of township fence viewers on a case between Harvey Kirkwood and McNair Mushroom Farm. The viewers suggested improvement of a fence between the two farms be shared.

- Agreed to raise the salary of fence viewers from \$5 to \$8 per call.

- Registered an objection from Councillor C. Patterson to the township's practise of doing business with only one bank.

- Suggested to F. Glover, chairman of the Fourth Georgetown Scout Troop, council was not involved in the agreement between the Scouts and a Mr. Vincent, involving the erection of bunkhouses on the Vincent farm, providing the structures conformed to the building inspector's standards.

- Heard a delegation of two residents of the township who objected to the building of a high cedar fence around a piece of attractive property in the township. In the ensuing discussion, it was learned the manufacture of pre-fab cement products would be carried on on the property. Councillor J. Goodlet again raised a support for the establishment of township zoning by-law.

- Noted a petition brought by David Barclay from resident of Stewartton calling for street-lighting in the village, and instructed the township clerk to obtain grips on the project.

- Lamented the poor brickwork on the township building, and instructed the clerk to contact the architect and contractor and have them come to look at the workmanship. The problem was discovered after workmen began tearing away the outer wall in an attempt to stop water leaks.

- Noted the township granted permits with a total value of \$279,679, during the month of October.

Cars kill, wound deer two steers destroyed

While hundreds of hunters converged on Halton for the three-day deer season Monday, local motorists made their deer kills a little early again this year.

In the three days preceding the opening of the Halton hunt, motorists killed two and wounded

MODELED AFTER Michelangelo's famous painting in the Sistine Chapel in St. Peter's in Rome, this unfinished mural by amateur Gary Buitenhuis is attracting a lot of attention on the wall downstairs in St. Alban's parish hall.

Honor dead of two wars at Nassagaweya service

Nassagaweya remembrance day services were held Sunday afternoon starting with a brief but moving ceremony at the soldiers' memorial in Hallowville, followed by a service in Nassagaweya Presbyterian church.

Wreaths were placed and a minute's silence observed while the flag was lowered and raised. Legionnaire Jim Milne gave the Legion charge and Rev. R.P. E. Jeffares pronounced the benediction.

Acton Choralliers led the assembly in the hymn Abide With Me.

Cold, blustery weather with a hint of snow in the air kept the

Fair lists revised for advance sheets

Mrs. W. J. McDonald was hostess for the fair lady directors' meeting on Thursday evening, Nov. 2. President Mrs. McCullough called the meeting to order and Mrs. McDonald gave minutes of last meeting and treasurer's report. Fifteen ladies were present.

The committee of each class gave reports of the changes made for their advance prize sheets.

Mrs. Melvin McCullough and Mrs. Calvin Aitkens were appointed to the banquet committee.

It was moved that the fair next year, and maybe try and have some of them on the board.

Tickets were handed out to the ladies to sell on an elephant toy which was donated. The draw is to be made at the December meeting.

Congratulations to Miss Carol Thompson who won the Provincial Essay competition and brought honors to Acton for the second year. Twenty members attended the district annual at Schomberg on Tuesday Oct. 31.

Acton offered to have the district annual next year.

Miss Elva Pearen offered her home for the December meeting, which is a Christmas party. 50¢ gifts are to be exchanged.

Mrs. A. Near, Mrs. A. Robinson and Mrs. S. Mathews are the committee for entertainment. A pot luck supper will be held.

Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Near, Mrs. R. L. Davidson and Mrs. C. Aitkens served a dainty lunch. Mrs. D. Mathews was courtesy convener.

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Bonds sell well

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The current series will be sold at par until Nov. 15.

Sales to date for the Halton and Peel counties total \$1,485,000.

OBITUARY

John D. Black well-known

Well-known district farmer, electrician and musician, John D. Black of R.R. 1, Acton passed away in Guelph General Hospital on October 30.

He had been ill for the past month.

The funeral was held Nov. 2 at Rumley-Shoemaker Funeral home, conducted by the Rev. A. H. McKenzie, and interment followed in Fairview cemetery.

Pallbearers were Stewart Elliott, Brantford; Willard Britton, Melvin Barker, Lloyd Blacklock, Calvin McIntyre and Charles Kirkness, Acton.

Flower bearers were Jim Sayers, Charles Barker, Bruce Barber and Ralph Barber.

Mr. Black was a talented player of the banjo and violin. He combined electrical contracting with farming.

He was a member of Knox church and served for several years on the board of managers. He was born in Nassagaweya July 3, 1909, son of John A. Black and Jane Blacklock. He spent his entire life in this community.

He was married in September 1946 and his wife Dorothy survives him with two children, David and Doris, at home. A sister Mrs. Vern Wheeler (Anne), Acton also remains.

The man who discovered the telegraph in 1847, Samuel Finley Breeze Morse, was a world-famous painter.

Gradual change in p. s. system told to board

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Interim reports have just gone out at both schools.

Workshops are to be held soon on the new system.

After searching for the best location, the North Halton Music Festival executive informed the board by letter they found the Robert Little school auditorium was "ideal" and principal McKenzie's assistance most efficient, and they would like to return again to Acton for April 9 and 10.

This presents a problem this year, Mr. McKenzie explained. "We'll have to move out six or seven classes.... someplace."

There are no longer any empty spaces to re-locate classes in or enough room to double them up for a whole day. In former years the parish hall and even the scout hall have been rented.

The board will consider the problem with the inspector, wondering if it would be possible to get room at Brookville with its new addition, or let the lowest grades have a day off.

The board approved rental of the auditorium at the usual rate of \$30 to Micro Plastics for a Christmas children's party Dec. 9.

The Ontario Conservatory of Music had also made a request for a recital and was told the regular fee was applicable. Two members agreed to meet

members of Esqueing public school board Nov. 14 in the Esqueing municipal office to discuss salary negotiations.

The resignation of Mrs. Muriel Heard from the M.Z. Bennett school staff was read.

The Rev. R. McMurray's letter to principals was read, in which he expressed his regret at not being able to continue religious education classes for the Anglicans at the public schools.

Trustee Bristow recommended letters of appreciation be sent by the board to the schools expressing appreciation for the high amount collected for UNICEF, and for the gold centennial medals won by M.Z.B. students in athletics.

Present at the meeting with principals McKenzie and Smith were chairman Orval Chapman, Doug Manning, Cyril Bishop, Bill Benson, Vic Bristow, Murray Smith, secretary Bill Middleton.

Interesting workshops

The workshop held at Christ Church, Clarkson, on Monday, October 30, was the final one of a series by the Halton Presbyterian United Church Women. The morning sessions were identical at each workshop, and covered every phase of the work of women in the church.

Some of the methods used were: dramatic discussion starters, play reading, skits, films, film strips, tape recordings, panels, and plays. The afternoon program dealt with a different theme at each workshop.

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