

## News of the district

### CELEBRATION FOR ANNEXATION

MILTON - Something for everyone is the objective of the council committee planning Milton's annexation celebration. Ranging from dances, free bus rides, barbecues and fireworks, the plans are lining up.

Mayor B. Best who is heading the action reported a firm commitment with the Carleton Showband of CTV "Pig and Whistle" fame for a June 28 community ball in the arena.

Four double decker buses have been engaged for the Saturday afternoon June 29 to provide a free bus trip for senior citizens, invalids and retarded children.

The Chamber of Commerce carnival will be in action on the Martin Flais beginning on Wednesday (today) and plans are being worked out to offer children something in this area.

A free test dance has been set up for the parking lot in front of the Brewers' Retail store for the Saturday evening, featuring The Shyness and Tiny Hopkins as Master of Ceremonies.

On July 1 at 9:30 a brief flag lowering by Milton Rovers at the Centennial Park with music by the Milton Girls' Pipe Band will be followed by an aerial fireworks display. The co-operation of Hand Chemical Industries Ltd. has been enlisted for the event.

Members enthusiastically endorsed sincere invitations to Oakville and Esqueping council members to participate in the Community Ball on the Friday evening. Former councillors back to 1961 are to be invited to attend and former Mayor S. Childs will be a head table guest at the Ball.

### NEW PLACE FOR PICNICS

ERIN - A. E. L. Barnes, director of Con. Authorities Branch, Dept. of Energy and Resources Management, cut the ribbon to officially open the new Monora Conservation Area, last week. This new conservation area is a joint project of the Town of Orangeville, Township of Mono, and The Credit Valley Conservation Authority. Monora contains 46 acres, is well treed, and provides camping and picnicking facilities for the public. It is situated one mile north of Orangeville on Highway 10.

### HIGH HOPES FOR NEW WELL

GEORGETOWN - The new water source that will end Georgetown's current water shortage is no ordinary waterhole. John Nolan of Hydrology Consultants, Cooksville, called it "one of the highest capacity wells in Ontario" after testing its output at 1,000 gallons per minute, about one and a half million gallons per day.

"When the new well goes into service it should increase the total water system in Georgetown by over fifty per cent," he said. "This is one of the best wells I've seen. Its capacity is almost equal to the three other wells combined."

### SOAPSUDS POLLUTION

GUELPH - A suggestion that the "soapsuds" pollution of the Speed River recently may have come from above Guelph has been advanced. Foam was seen last year in the river at Rockwood Park.

City council received reports on the situation from the general superintendent and the medical officer of health.

Dr. B. T. Dale, MOH wrote: It is our opinion that white foam appearing on the water was due to concentrated detergent which originated upstream on the Eramosa River. This cannot be definitely ascertained until the Ontario water resources commission has completed tests. This could take up to six weeks.

If our suspicions are correct, the sanitary sewer would correct part of the problem and elimination of dumping practices would eliminate the rest of it.

"All departments have been working on the problem since June 10. We suspect from our own intensive investigations that steel drums dumped in close proximity to the river bank contained material, the contents of which flowed into the river. The contents seemed to be a thick liquid which foamed in the presence of water."

"On June 14, we were advised by a resident of Eramosa Township, whose property is on the river, upstream from Eden Mills, that he had observed foam about 12 inches in height at a small water fall June 6."

### EDEN MILLS

#### Ladies' Aid picnic held on lawn of Gilbertson home

by Mrs. R. Wright

Wright; kicking shoe, Mrs. W. Lauby, Mrs. H. Gilbertson.

A hearty vote of thanks went to the hostesses for the use of their home and lawn.

A reunion of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Jennings was held on Sunday, the occasion, the 40th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jennings and several birthdays at their home in the village. Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson attended the Memorial Service Sunday at Caledon East.

Mrs. W. Mino is progressing favorably in hospital.

Five men lived for a month in 1963 in a shelter 36 feet below the surface of the Red Sea.

Vandalism in a Micro Plastics boxcar at the CNR station was reported to the Acton police Thursday, June 20. Carton pipe was strewn about and a skid with load weighing about 900 pounds was dumped. Investigation continues.

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ALF HALES is not unduly perturbed but wife Mary watches early election returns closely as Liberal Ralph Dent gives the Conservative candidate a run. (Staff Photo)



LIBERAL DENT conceded defeat around nine o'clock and moved over to the Conservative committee rooms to congratulate Mr. Hales on his sixth election victory. (Staff Photo)



"THANK YOU," P.C. Alf Hales tells his supporters jammed into committee rooms on Baker St. in Guelph to celebrate his win. Eramosa voters gave him a mandate in every polling subdivision. (Staff Photo)

### "Talent number" new item on program at Dublin W.I.

Mrs. Ed Norton, Mill Street East, Acton, was the hostess for the monthly meeting of Dublin Women's Institute last Thursday evening. A fine turnout of ladies attended.

With the president, Mrs. M. Nellis presiding, the meeting opened with the singing of the Institute Ode and the repeating of the Mary Stewart Collect and The Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Dycian Moffat, secretary called the roll which was answered by "One good trait found in a good citizen." This was responded to correctly 100 per cent and made a worthwhile response to the many duties of a good citizen.

Several items of business were looked after including a donation of \$10 being forwarded to the Nassagaweya Ball Club; also \$10 to the Halton District Women's Institute.

A final tally of the receipts from the canvass in the interests of the Canadian Cancer Society in April showed the sum of \$979.45 had been donated by the Dublin district. Many of the Institute members took part in the canvass.

Mrs. Clark Armstrong reported on the participation of some of the Branch members at the Decoration Day services in Acton Cemetery on June 2.

The annual bus trip, which this year took the members and their friends to Rochester, N.Y., was reviewed, and all agreed it had been a very enjoyable outing and one of the best annual trips that have been had.

A splendid report of the Halton District Annual held recently in Georgetown was given by Mrs. C. Britton, District Director.

A new feature introduced to the program card this year is a "Talent Number." In response to this, Mrs. W. McIntyre read "Memory Insurance" by Miss Ethel Chapman, which was very much enjoyed by the ladies.

Mrs. Doris Scovne was a guest at the meeting and displayed many of her articles using liquid embroidery. These were viewed with interest, especially in view of the fact that the Branch is in possession of a large kit, available to the members. Many tips were gleaned from Mrs. Scovne's demonstration and talk.

A very enjoyable lunch was served by Mrs. W. McIntyre, Mrs. J. A. Van Fleet, and Mrs. C. Armstrong, assisting the hostess, Mrs. E. Norton. Mrs. J. C. Dennis was courtesy convener.

### Promoted to Staff Sergeant Parkinson goes to Kitchener

A member of Milton O.P.P. detachment for the past five years, Sgt. C. J. Parkinson has been promoted to the rank of Staff Sergeant, effective on July 15, and will transfer on that date to the 35-man Kitchener O.P.P. detachment in No. 6 District.

Originally from Toronto, Staff Sgt. Parkinson began his service with the O.P.P. in January of 1949 when he was posted to the Mount Forest office. In June, 1951 he transferred to Goderich and in October, 1959 he transferred to the Wingham Detachment as constable in charge.

He was promoted to Corporal in May of 1963 and transferred to the Milton Detachment. He became a Sergeant in April of 1967 while serving here.

He and his wife and daughter Lynn, a stenographer at the Halton County Sheriff's office in Milton, live on Anne Blvd., Milton.

Sgt. Parkinson is a member of the Masonic Lodge and his home lodge is Mallard Lodge No. 33 in Goderich.

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### Terra Cotta "At Home" Wednesday

Members of the Credit Valley Conservation Authority will be "At Home" to all interested visitors at the Terra Cotta Conservation Area on Wednesday, June 26 from 4 p.m. on.

During the past year there has been a new road constructed from the village to the Conservation Area. This spring the Authority finished constructing a new entrance and gate house and this will be officially opened at 4 p.m. on the 26th.

Everyone who enters the Area during the day will do so at no cost.

### Smashed pole not replaced

Replacement of a smashed pole on Main St., Rockwood, that interrupted many service lines has led to complications in making repairs.

The damage was caused when a car failed to straighten out at the north end of the "S" curve entering Rockwood from the south, and crossed the double white line to hit the pole.

Total cost is difficult to estimate since three corporate bodies suffered loss. Lines of Rockwood hydro, Ontario hydro, and the Bell Telephone Company were affected.

Accidents have been numerous at this point of Highway 7. Signs restricting speed to 25 m.p.h. are posted at each end of the risk area but strict observance is rare. Northbound cars going down the hill seem to be the only victims.

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