

OUR READERS WRITE:

DON'T NEED BY-LAW

To the Editor,
Dear Sir,
I would like to have a good crack at some people, but because of the fact I am a land in jail if I do, I'll try it with a pen first.
My big beef is with those people who are trying to get a by-law passed at council concerning the hunting in the township, with the 95 per cent that read the paper, mumble and grumble but do nothing other than say are they nuts or what? and with the law of justice.

First, let me ask some questions.
If you had a farm with a herd of cattle and there were some rabid foxes around, would you try to shoot the rabid foxes or try and lasso them with a rope and hand them?
If you own a poultry farm and a hawk was carrying your fowl away, would you try and put some salt on his tail in order to catch him?
Your fields are dug up by groundhogs. What would you do?
Rabbits are eating your vegetables. What are you going to do about that? - Put up snares? That is an offense against the fish and game act.

You may find yourself with quite a problem on your hands if the by-law reads - no discharge of firearms in the township or something like that. What are you going to do?
Are we going to let wildlife rule the country side?
Now there have been some people,

small in numbers, pounding on the council chamber doors several times and they are trying to get a hunting by-law and unless the 95 per cent will get up off their little bottoms and do something, they will get their by-law.

I think we could well stand some changes but by no means a by-law like what I have mentioned. The trespassing law is still in effect. If you do not want somebody on your property, you are in your full rights to charge them. But because of the fact that all prices go up I think there should be some zeros added to this offence also.

But because you do NOT want to press trespassing charges against the offender is no reason for wanting a no hunting by-law. Just because I do not go swimming or picnicking does not give me the right to want all provincial and local parks closed.

I would like to say a lot more, but if I do maybe the press will charge me for putting it in the paper.
I just hope that when you read this you will not just say - Yes, I agree with that guy, he is right, put the paper down and forget about it.

Don't forget the squeaky wheel always gets the grease and if we don't start soon we'll be too late. So write a letter, go to council, form a committee or do something. Don't just sit there doing nothing.

I farm 100 acres in Halton county.
John K. Oosterhof.



RETIRED BEARDMORE and Co. firefighter, Theo Papillon receives a gift in recognition of his many years on the plant brigade, from company president and general manager, Norm Braide, right. Fire Chief Bern Van Fleet assists. The Beardmore brigade dined and danced at the legion hall Friday night. - (Jim Jennings Photo)

Steele is number five. Reporting on the reports

The Halton County Board of Education was highly critical of the Steele Report and its recommendations on education, when the Board met Thursday. The report had suggested that Burlington become a city in a regional government unit with Hamilton and Wentworth, with education in Burlington under a Burlington Board of Education.

Board Chairman F. Armitage expressed "serious reservations about the competency of the commission to deal with education". He also expressed concern about the co-ordination within the provincial government where education was placed under county boards and a recommendation could now be advanced to split them up.

He suggested the Steele recommendation leaves Burlington in an untenable position. "We don't know what will happen in education until an early decision is made. If the report is implemented it will be a dark day for Halton and

Burlington", he concluded. Assistant Director D. Lawless pointed out the equitable distribution of resources philosophy didn't seem to apply when the commissioners entered the field of education, although it was used in reasoning for the regional structure.

Director J. Singleton reminded members the Board, under the chairmanship of W. Lawson, had prepared and submitted a brief to the Minister of Municipal Affairs. At that time a personal interview was delayed until the Steele Commission report was received.

Members agreed, in the light of recent proposals, to review the brief and seek the promised meeting with the Minister of Municipal Affairs. Trustee W. Edwards declared "another disturbance in

education cannot be considered at this point."

Chairman Armitage said he was absolutely convinced and dedicated now to a continuation of Burlington in this Halton unit.

Choraliers sing at O.R.

Last Sunday morning Acton Legion Choraliers sang at the morning church service at the Ontario Reformatory. Over 100 attended the service which proved a unique experience for the singers.

Their next engagement is singing at the Elliott House in Guelph Dec. 14 and then at the annual band concert Dec. 21. They're planning their own ladies' night to celebrate their fifth anniversary for the 28th.

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Let's Play Bridge
by bill coats

The quest for overtricks develops skill in the duplicate player that are sometimes absent in the average rubber bridge player. Occasionally these skills are required just to make a contract.
Here is a hand that occurred at the Acton Bridge Club. Most declarers had no trouble with it.
How would you have done?
East dealt with both sides vulnerable.
NORTH
S-K 9 6
H-K 10 8 4
D-A K 5
C-K 6 2
EAST
S-10 5 4
H-A 9
D-J 10 8 4
C-A 10 8 7
SOUTH
S-A Q J 7 3
H-3
D-Q 7 6 3 2
C-5 3
The bidding:
EAST SOUTH WEST NORTH
Pass Pass Pass 1 N.T.
Pass 3C Pass 4S
All Pass
Opening lead - Queen of clubs.
It's unfortunate that three no trump is easy to make, whereas four spades presents a problem. However very few South's would tolerate a no trump contract with two five card suits. South's bid of three spades asks North to bid four with spade support or bid three no trump without spade

Police ball profit \$650
A profit of about \$650 was made Friday evening when the Halton branch of the Ontario Provincial Police Association held its annual policemen's ball at Club Riviera, Norval, Organizer Const. Jim Hodson of Milton OPP reports about 460 attended the dance.
Proceeds will be turned over to District 3 headquarters. At the end of this year any monies raised by the Association are distributed to police forces throughout the district, for presentation to local charities.
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