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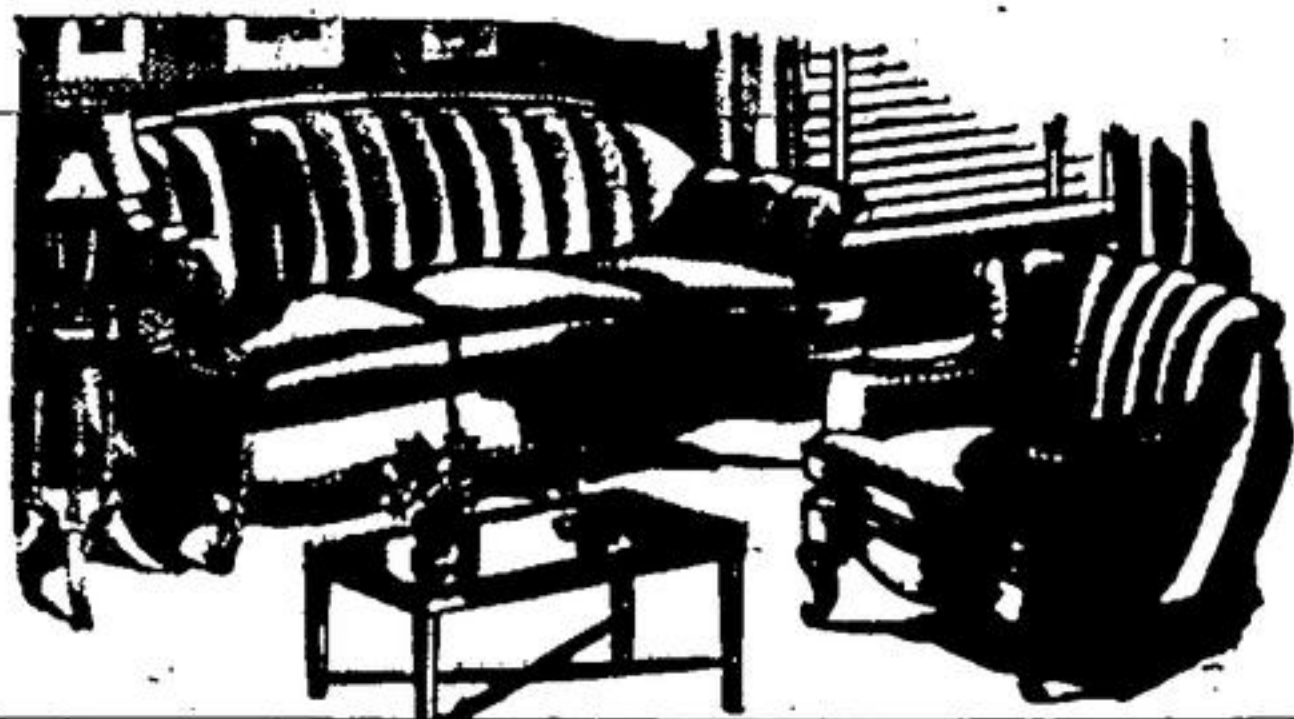
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City Brothers Become Halton County Farmers

(The following article which appeared in a recent edition of the Toronto Evening Telegram is of particular local interest in view of the fact that one of the brothers, Philip Howard, is the fiance of Miss Darrell Dawson of Glen Williams).

During the war years there were three brothers, two in the R.C.A.F. as squadron leaders and one in the South Alberta Armored Regiment. Before the war they were at school and their main pleasure was sailing.

The brothers, Sqdn. Ldr. W. E. (Ted) Howard, Sqdn. Ldr. Robert Howard, and Lieut. Philip Howard, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram J. Howard of Chumy Drive, each pursued their hazardous jobs in the war, but Ted, the eldest of the trio, began to think of what he and his brothers were going to do for a livelihood after the war ended. There were two other brothers serving in the Royal Navy, but they don't enter this story.

Ted wrote to his brothers, Bob and Philip and told them of his thoughts. He said in part "As individuals we are just mere persons in the world, together as a clan we are the Howards, and we can achieve something." More correspondence passed between them and finally they all met together in Scotland on leave and the ground-work for their future was laid.

Wanted Freedom

They all wanted one thing—to be self-supporting and be their own masters, and they wanted to own a chunk of the Canada they had fought for. So it was decided, they would buy a farm.

They had no knowledge of farming. They were all sailors and they had learned that to sail one had to master wind and weather. To farm, they reasoned, they had the same situation, the weather to overcome. So farming it was.

When they returned to Canada and were demobilized they started in on their venture. They knew they had to learn something about the business before buying a farm, so they did a year each as apprentice farmers, each with a different farmer. That over, they got together again and with their gratuities and other available means they purchased a 100-acre farm at Milton, R. R. 6, with beautiful rolling hills and dales all around and the magnificent north end of the Niagara Escarpment to their west.

Each Has Own Job

Ted is responsible for the cattle, Bob, the crops, and Phil, the poultry. The cattle are pure-bred Holsteins and are in grand condition. Phil is also the house steward. He it is who cooks the meals, does kitchen fatigues and also the washing.

When visited by The Telegram the brothers were hard at work. Ted and an English lad who is spending the summer here before going to Cambridge University to study law were trying to repair a piece of farm machinery. Bob was out with the farm truck and Phil was hard at work on his household duties.

They said it was their second year on the farm and that last year was a poor one. They went into the thing with their eyes open. They knew what could and probably would happen and they added a few things they thought might also happen and then reckoned they could win out.

Briefly, this is what they pointed out. First, an 11-acre field of wonderful golden wheat, a healthy herd of Holstein cattle, numerous pigs, nearly 600 chickens, two huge horses, farm machinery, a comfortable big house, the lower part of which was built about 100 years ago, and many other visible assets.

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They are wresting a living from the land and no matter how hard the grind, they are going to succeed. Work and more work is their slogan and, if they do succeed as they anticipate, they will expand their farm and their stock.

We almost forgot to mention that Bob was sent by his brothers to the Ont. Agricultural College for one year, where he passed out first in a class of 238 in 1947. That was so that there would be at least one up-to-date farmer among them. Ted is a B.Sc. and a Bachelor of Commerce and a member of the Bankers' Association.

In the first letter to his brothers on this project, Ted mentioned at the close that as all three were bachelors they would do doubt in the near future be thinking of perhaps taking unto themselves wives, and he did nothing to discourage them. In fact, he wrote: "It is a poor citizen who hasn't a few good sons and it is a poor farm which hasn't a good cook or two about the place."

Got Little Restive

Phil, the house-keeper, washer of clothes and cooker of meals, among many other chores, seems to be getting a little restive at the job. In fact, it might be that he is getting "fed up," for very recently he announced his engagement.

Words cannot do this trio justice. Born and raised in a big city, with the same banking as other young fellows for a fair amount of entertainment out of life and almost passion for sailing, they have put themselves off from all this.

Their life is devoted to hard work and they are happy about it. The work is hard but it is a good job. Their goal is success and their determination will secure it for them.

KEIR - HAYES WEDDING AT ST. GEORGE'S

St. George's Church of England, Georgetown, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday, July 24th, when Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson united in marriage Margaret Kathleen Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hayes of Inglewood, and John Gratton Keir, son of Mrs. Don Houston of Georgetown. The ceremony was performed before a background of gladioli, fern and carnations.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of ivory satin trimmed with rose point lace. She wore a floor-length nylon net veil with a halo of seed pearls and net. Her only piece of jewellery was a locket belonging to her mother. She carried a cascade bouquet of Talisman roses and orchids. Miss Betty Hayes, the bride's sister, as maid of honour wore a gown of pale blue taffeta with a shoulder length veil of blue net. She carried pink carnations. Mrs. Roy Bradley as bridesmaid wore a gown of darker blue taffeta with a blue net shoulder length veil and carried red carnations. Lloyd Keir was his brother's best man and Gear Hayes and Roy Bradley were ushers.

After the ceremony a reception was held for sixty-five guests in the Oddfellows' Hall, where John Emerson, the bride's brother-in-law, proposed a toast to the bride. The bride's mother received wearing a gown of blue and white with white accessories and a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother wore a gown of blue and white with white accessories and a red rose corsage. Before leaving on a honeymoon trip to India, the bride changed to a pink crepe dress with a charmingly lace jacket and white accessories. She wore a corsage of orchids.

FR. MORGAN VISITS IRELAND

A card received at the Herald Office this week notifies us that Rev. Fr. A. J. Morgan, rector of Holy Cross R.C. Church in Georgetown and St. Joseph's Church, Acton, is on a vacation trip in Ireland and is at present in Dublin. Fr. Morgan planned the trip last year but was unable to book passage and had to postpone his visit until this summer.

CELEBRATE 40th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday, August 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shain, Norval Road, celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary when 25 friends and relatives gathered at their home for an anniversary dinner. A beautiful wedding cake centred the banquet table. An honored guest was Mrs. John Kellar of Seaforth, who was a guest at the wedding forty years ago.



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