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**ALEXANDER LITTLE WEDDING IS PERFORMED AT HOME OF BRIDE**

An arch of overgreens and white poolies on the lawn was the setting for the marriage of Mildred Lorraine Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Little of Shelburne, and William George Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander of Georgetown on Saturday, June 4th. Rev. Ross Cumming of Huttonville was the officiating minister. Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blush satin gown, with fitted bodice, long sleeves, and a finger-tip veil of net. She carried a bouquet of red roses. Her only ornament was a double strand of pearls. Her bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Alexander, sister of the bridegroom, was gowned in lilac frosted organza over taffeta, and wore a headdress of rosebuds and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. Little Miss Marie Smith in a yellow sheer dress, carrying a nosegay of sweet-peas was flower girl. Glenford Little, brother of the bride, was groomsman. Miss Norma May of Milton was pianist and Mrs. Harold McClure of Norval, sister of the bridegroom, was soloist. The bride's mother, dressed in royal blue flowered crepe, with corsage of red roses, received with the bridegroom's mother in dusty pink crepe with corsage of roses. A buffet-lunch was served by four girl friends of

the bride, Mrs. Burton-Bealey, Misses Betty Burrows, Gladys Armstrong, and Shirley Wedgwood. For a trip to Muskoka and points north, the bride donned a navy blue suit, white accessories and carried a light blue shortie coat. The young couple will make their home at 261 Queen St. W. in Brampton.

**\$365 AVERAGE AT OAKVILLE CONSIGNMENT SALE**

The Twelfth Oakville Consignment Sale with which was combined the complete dispersal of Sunnlea Herd of Willis J. Burton, Woodstock, Ontario, brought a total of \$21,105 for a general average of \$365 on 58 head. There were no exceptionally high tops but the general level of prices was good. Highest price was \$825 paid by George Stryker, Waterman, Ill., to Credholme Farm, Streetsville, for the bred heifer Credholme Susie Monogram, a grand-daughter of Montvic Monogram. Topping the Burton animals was the four-year-old Very Good Sunnlea Dominator Bessie who brought \$650 on the bid of Harold G. McCarty, Thamesford, Ontario. This animal is a grand-daughter of Marksmen. Another grand-daughter of Marksmen from the Burton herd went to Gerald Hornick, Tilbury, Ontario, at \$525. She, too, was classified as Very Good, and was a four-year-old. Still another Marksmen grand-daughter, a bred

heifer, brought \$525 from Osborn Bros, Arkport N.Y., while Harold G. McCarty paid \$600 for yet another Marksmen grand-daughter.

W. C. Good, Brantford, received \$600 from J. B. Smith, Toronto, for a seven-year-old cow, while Credholme Farm, Streetsville, sold a bred heifer to Gordon Almalie, Hlenhelm, at \$900. C. H. Walker & Son, Port Perry, received \$350 from C. P. Bechtel, Hespeler, for a seven-year-old cow.

Twenty-two milking females averaged \$308, 24 bred heifers \$300, 2 open heifers \$207, 6 heifer calves \$237 and four bulls \$247.

**FR. MORGAN'S NEPHEW ASSISTS AT MASS HERE**

Rev. Father Francis Morgan, nephew of Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan, pastor of Holy Cross Church, assisted at the early mass here on Sunday, May 22, and after Mass gave his blessing to each of the parishioners present. He was ordained to the Holy Priesthood in the Basilica of Christ the King, Hamilton, on Sunday, May 1st by Bishop Webster, of Toronto. The newly-ordained priest sang the last mass at Acton the same Sunday and gave his blessing there to the parishioners of St. Joseph's Church. Fr. Morgan will be stationed at the Cathedral of Christ the King in Hamilton.

**New Essences Developed To Recover Fruit Flavor**

A practical process for recovering in essence form the volatile aroma, or flavor, of fresh fruit juices has been developed at the U. S. eastern regional research laboratory, near Philadelphia. The essence contains all the aroma in a concentration 150 or more times that of the fresh juice. It is a clear, water-white solution that can be kept for long periods at room temperature without alteration. In concentrating fruit juices to make jellies and other products, the flavor of the fresh fruit is largely lost. This is particularly apparent in apples, the characteristic flavor of which is so volatile that many apple products have none of the fresh fruit character. Adding a small amount of apple essence to apple-juice concentrate restores the full flavor. Used as a fountain syrup, the full flavor concentrate may be diluted with plain water to make a beverage practically indistinguishable in taste and aroma from fresh apple juice. The process of flavor recovery also is applicable to other fruits.

**New Steel House Offers Variety of Innovations**

Farmers and small town dwellers will be able to own a home with features of quality, beauty and utility never before offered in the housing field. Custom homes, which are scheduled to be produced at the rate of 30,000 a year, will be fireproof and will require no repairs or redecorating during the lifetime of the owner. They can be erected at a cost of \$7,000 and will have ceiling radiant heat, a completely modern kitchen, a large amount of built-in closet and storage space and a number of other features that will reduce housework and provide luxurious living. The use of porcelain enamel steel throughout the house will provide a finish that will not crack or stain and can be easily cleaned by a light application of soap and water. The houses come in six different colors, selected with a view of blending with various color combinations of furniture and other home furnishing.

**Fly Ants From Australia**

Insect history was made recently when a scientist flew from Australia to America as escort for 3,000 live ponerine ants — the first time that these insects have survived a long distance flight. It was necessary that live specimens of the ants be sent to the Haskins research laboratory, New York, on a research study into the origin and social structure of Australian ants. There are about 300 species of ponerine ants, all primitive. All attempts previously made to keep ponerines alive at high altitudes have failed. As all moisture in the ant's body had to be replaced, since the ant dehydrates in a high altitude, the problem therefore was to put enough moisture into the glass container to allow for evaporation at high altitude, but not so much moisture that the ants would drown. When the correct amount of moisture was worked out it was possible to deliver the ants in good condition.

**American Dairy Breeds**

Principal breeds of United States dairy cows are: Ayrshire, imported in 1822, origin County Ayr, Scotland, color, red of any shade, mahogany, brown or these colors with white, or white, with each color clearly defined, weighs about 1,150 pounds; Brown Swiss, imported in 1869 from Switzerland, color, a shade of brown varying from a silver to a dark brown, weighs about 1,400 pounds; Guernsey, imported in 1818, origin Islands of Guernsey and Alderney, color, a shade of fawn with white markings clearly defined, weighs about 1,100 pounds; Holstein, from Holland in 1857, color, black and white markings clearly defined, weighs about 1,500 pounds; Jersey, from Island of Jersey in 1815, color, a shade of fawn with or without white markings, weighs about 1,000 pounds.

**Causes Fabric Damage**

One of the most common forms of fabric damage, according to American Institute of Laundering, is accidental contact of clothing, linen and towels with home cleaning compounds, bleaches, astringents and medicines, which seriously injure the fabric fibers. Such damage usually shows up after laundering in the form of holes. Fabric care is the basis of thrift. Dirt and dust become embedded in fabrics, cutting into the threads, wearing them away. The sooner the dirt is removed, the less damage will result. To prolong the life of an article, never postpone having it cleaned.

**Nurse Training Started**

In 1869, a report read to American Medical Association by Dr. Samuel Gross represented a change in current thinking which since has become universally accepted. The report stated that nursing was as much of an art and science as medicine and urged that "training schools" for nurses be established in connection with hospitals in all sections of the country. First full course in nursing in this country under the aegis of a university was given in 1900 when University of

**Major Details of The Progressive Conservative Party's Declaration of Policy — Drafted and Approved by Canadians from every Province — Representing Every walk of Life**



George Drew

Since Parliament dissolved a few weeks ago, Progressive Conservative Leader George Drew has visited all ten provinces. He and the Party he leads, as a result of this tour, are convinced of one thing: It's Time for a Change! The important thing is for all Canadians to decide between now and June 27th is what that change will be. With this thought in mind the Progressive Conservative Party takes this opportunity to present some of the major items of its Declaration of Policy. This is no hastily-drafted election manifesto, nor is it the opinion of one man. It expresses the unanimous opinion of delegates from every province who met in Ottawa from September 30th to October 2nd last year.

The importance of many of our statements of policy has been greatly emphasized by the conduct of the government during the recent session, but the policies themselves remain unchanged. They were prepared in the belief that they will serve the best interests of all the people of Canada. It is one statement of policy for the whole of Canada. The purpose of the undertaking we give to Canadians can be broken down under three headings: Opportunity, Security and Freedom.

**OPPORTUNITY**  
 The Progressive Conservative Party will assure opportunity to all our people by a bold and progressive national development program. Canada stands on the threshold of her greatest period of development. A vigorous Progressive Conservative government with faith in the future will bring into production the immense resources which we possess in every part of Canada. There is no part of Canada where there are not new opportunities of development if we provide the electric energy and other sources of power to encourage new industries and new types of agricultural production. The Progressive Conservative national development program will cover development of power, oil, coal mineral resources and the transportation facilities for their full use. We will: (a) Establish a National Development Advisory Council in co-operation with the provinces. (b) Establish a National Power Authority to co-operate with the provinces in the technical examination of possible power developments and in the actual development of electric power at cost. (c) Undertake the commencement of a joint conservation, irrigation and power project on the Saskatchewan River. (d) Encourage the development of power in the Maritime Provinces from coal as well as other means. (e) Promote the development of the great iron ore resources of Canada and the establishment of greatly expanded steel industry. (f) Stimulate the development of petroleum and other mineral resources in co-operation with the provinces, by taxation and fiscal policies to encourage the investment of risk capital in the development of water conservation, reforestation, flood control, irrigation and drainage schemes throughout Canada, for the reclamation of unproductive land and the preservation of our soil. (g) Establish a positive program of marshland reclamation and development. (h) Take effective steps as soon as possible to co-operate with the provinces in building the Trans-Canada highway and feeder roads, to not only greatly increase our transportation facilities, but also to develop Canada's tourist business. (i) Remove the discrimination in freight rates between different areas.

(k) Deal effectively with the special transportation problem of Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland, Cape Breton and Vancouver Island. (l) Take the necessary steps to proceed with the development of the power and waterways project on the St. Lawrence River. **Expansion of Trade** The Progressive Conservative Party will adopt every practical means to expand our external trade with the U.S., and all other nations. Specifically we will: (a) Promote and expand overseas trade through reciprocal trade agreements. (b) Remove all abnormal trade barriers imposed by way of license, quota or embargo. (c) Remove the arbitrary provisions of the Foreign Exchange Control Act. (d) Re-value the Canadian dollar within the limits permitted by the Bretton Woods agreement to assist our external trade. (e) Open negotiations to make the dollar and the pound convertible, to regain our markets in the sterling area. **Reduction of Taxes** Sweeping reforms in our taxation systems and reduction of taxes are necessary to encourage initiative and reward hard work. The Progressive Conservative Party will: (a) Increase exemptions to at least \$2,500 for married people and \$1,250 for single persons. (b) Increase the exemption for dependent children by \$200. (c) Lower the general rate of personal income tax. (d) Allow deductions to farmers for work done on the farm by members of the family. (e) End the persecution of our people by tax-collectors acting under arbitrary powers. (f) Encourage development of small business operated by the owner, by allowing proper exemption for money re-invested in the business and not paid out in profits. (g) Provide for a graduated reduction in taxes on other small businesses upon the portion of the income left in the business for further development. (h) Abolish nuisance taxes and make substantial reductions in general sales and excise taxes on necessities. **SECURITY** **Security of Employment** The Progressive Conservative Party assures security to all Canadians by the following Declaration of Policy.

In co-operation with the various provincial governments we will explore every possibility of expanding the opportunities for work by encouraging new types of production. We believe that the greatest security for employment in Canada is based upon the fullest development of our resources which will create new employment and increase domestic markets. **Contributory Social Security Program** This plan will provide the following benefits: (1) Old-age pensions at 65 without a means test. (2) Unemployment Insurance benefits to be extended to include payments for time lost due to accident or sickness. (3) Adequate medical and hospital care to be provided under a national health program which will include the most extensive preventative health services. (4) The same family allowance for every child, regardless of the number of children in the family. These and other provisions in our program will be worked out in co-operation with the provinces. **An Effective Program for the Construction of Houses** 1. Loans and priorities will be made available to those who desire to build their own homes. 2. Low-cost housing will be provided under plans jointly approved by the Dominion, Provincial and Municipal governments. These plans will be administered by the municipalities. 3. New types of construction will be encouraged to reduce building costs. 4. Restrictions on building supplies will be removed. **Security for Farmers** The Progressive Conservative Party undertakes to: 1. Enact floor price legislation based on the following principles: (a) A definite formula in the Farm Prices Support Act for arriving at floor prices. (b) The formula will allow for variations in production and demand. (c) Floor prices will be announced well in advance of the production period. (d) Floor prices will be arrived at in consultation with representatives of the producers. 2. We favour the restoration of the Canadian Wheat Board Act of 1935 to serve as a marketing agency for wheat producers. Coarse grains as well as wheat will be handled on a voluntary basis by the Wheat Board.

The producers themselves will decide the method by which their wheat will be handled and sold. Marketing boards and representatives of the producer organizations should and will determine their own method of marketing. 3. We will establish a board of livestock commissioners. 4. We will extend the activities of the Federal Farm Loan Board, so that farmers can take advantage of long-term, low-interest rates. 5. We will increase the facilities for agricultural research to find new uses for agricultural products. We will in cooperation with Provincial Departments of Agriculture, conduct thorough studies of contagious animal and plant diseases to reduce the heavy annual loss from these causes. 6. In determining agricultural policy, we will enlist the cooperation of farmers' organizations throughout Canada. The best interests of agriculture can be served under the guidance of those with practical knowledge of each phase of agriculture. **Security for Labour** Good working conditions for our people and friendly relations between workers and management, are not only in the best interests of the workers, but also in the best interests of the country. The security and happiness of all our workers must be protected by legislation providing for effective collective bargaining, the determination of mutual rights, as well as conciliation and settlement of difficulties which may arise. (a) We will establish a National Labour Council with equal representation from labour and management. This council will examine causes of labour disputes and propose solutions. It will conduct research to improve labour relations. (b) We will provide for greater labour representation on government boards, commissions and agencies. (c) We will encourage profit-sharing plans, through adjustments in taxation. (d) We will improve legislation providing for compulsory collective bargaining; certification of labour organizations after a majority vote; machinery for conciliation of disputes; fair and adequate wages; standard hours of work, keeping in mind the industry concerned; holidays with pay. **Security for Veterans** (a) We will establish a standing committee of the House of Commons on Veterans Affairs to regularly

review veterans problems; (b) to retain and constantly improve all veteran legislation; (c) to eliminate unnecessary delays in dealings with veterans and to simplify procedure; (d) to extend pension benefits to the members of the merchant navy; (e) to accept the medical category recorded on enlistment; (f) to abolish pensions of First World War veterans, providing for upward revision where the disability has increased; (g) to increase and extend provision of war veterans allowances — with an increase in the amount that a veteran may earn above the allowance paid. **FREEDOM** The Progressive Conservative Party pledges itself to terminate bureaucratic action by government-order-in-council, ministerial proclamation and departmental regulation. (a) We will restore responsible government answerable to the elected representatives of the people. (b) We believe in the widest possible measure of personal freedom consistent with law; order and the general welfare. (c) We are opposed to powers which give the government control over the rights of the individual. (d) We will restore the full supremacy of the law and the equality of every citizen under the law. (e) We will conserve the authority of the provincial and municipal governments over local affairs. (f) On assuming office we will convene a Dominion-Provincial conference. (g) We believe that national unity depends upon respect for the federal constitution and the clear definition of the responsibilities of the Dominion, Provincial and Municipal governments, with assurance of adequate financial resources to carry out those responsibilities. (h) We undertake to restore freedom of speech over the radio and to place the supervision of all Canadian broadcasting under an independent administrative body. (i) We will abolish the license fee on radio receiving sets. (j) We give our unqualified support to the North Atlantic Security Pact. I believe this statement will provide convincing reasons why you should cast your ballot on June 27th for the Progressive Conservative candidate in your own constituency so that the public business of this great country will be handled by a strong, vigorous and progressive government in the years ahead. **George Drew** Victoria, B.C., May 30, 1949

**IT'S TIME FOR A CHANGE—14 YEARS IS TOO LONG**  
**VOTE FOR YOUR PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE CANDIDATE**