

NATURE UNSPOILED



YOURS TO PROTECT
The BLACK-THROATED GREEN WARBLER is small with a greenish-olive back, yellow face and black and white underparts. He lives in tall trees, so all you usually see is the white breast and black throat. He eats injurious caterpillars, and should be protected.

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County Rate Jumps Now 7.9 Mills

A county rate of 7.9 mills was established at the meeting of Halton Council last Tuesday in Milton. The 1950 rate is over a third higher than last year's rate of 5.5. Reeve Kenneth Dick of Milton, finance chairman, presented the report in which it was estimated that the county would have to raise \$158,000 with \$98,000 to be spent on roads. Mr. Dick said he believed that property value in the county under the new basis of assessment will be well over thirty dollars.

Charity and welfare, which includes child welfare, hospital accounts, the home for the aged and Ontario Training School will cost \$99,000 and is the major item in an expense budget of \$173,000. Debt service charges are \$10,109, school \$14,250 and agriculture \$8350.

A new departure for the county this year will be a centralization of charitable donations. All municipalities have been asked not to make individual grants to fund drives. In the budget, \$2200 was included for: Red Cross \$500; Institute for the Blind \$300; Salvation Army \$500; Hospital for Sick Children \$500; St. John Ambulance \$200 and Navy League \$200.

ASHGROVE Children Christened at Mother's Day Service

A lovely Mother's Day service was held in the church on Sunday morning. Beautiful bouquets of daffodils, pink and white snapdragons and pink petunias decorated the front table. Printed programmes "God Works Through Homes." A choir of mothers sang two numbers and Mrs. Frank Wilson told the Bible story of Timothy. A baptismal service was held for Stuart, Frederick Nurse, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nurse and Ellen Marion Hunter, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hunter, who wore a long white hairloom worn by his grandmother and mother and her own two little sisters at their christenings.

The W.M.S. meeting was held on Tuesday afternoon, the 9th of May in the Church basement. The president, Mrs. C. B. Dick, opened with the hymn "Jesus thou Divine Companion". Roll Call was answered with a Bible verse containing the word "Gentleness." Devotional was given by Mrs. John Belloddy who also gave the report of the morning session of the Presbyterial W.M.S. meeting held in Oakville on April 19th and Mrs. Hector Bird presented the afternoon session. Meeting closed with a hymn and prayer followed by a plant and seed sale.

Congratulations and very best wishes go to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wilson who are celebrating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday, May 20th. May they have twenty-five more happy years together. Miss Irene Huffman of Toronto spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Graham.

CARLING BREWERIES APPOINTMENT



S. C. CARA
T. R. Arkell, Sales Manager, The Carling Breweries Limited, announces the appointment of S. C. Cara as Assistant District Manager for the Kitchener-Brantford-Guelph area. Mr. Cara was formerly a Carling representative in Brantford and district.

School Pupils Attend County Council Meeting

Sixty-two boys and girls, representing almost every school in Halton were guests of the county council last Tuesday. This has become an annual affair, designed to promote interest among the school children in the administration of county municipal affairs. At the morning session each of the pupils, under the direction of county treasurer Margaret Maxted and engineer Roy Smith, introduced themselves and their school and Warden William Vanackle welcomed them and introduced the members of council.

Luncheon at St. Paul's Church was prepared by Mountain Women's Institute and school inspector L. L. Skuce was the speaker. Bill Thompson, S. S. 12, Esqueping and Donna Frank, S. S. 3, Nasagaweya sang. In the afternoon the pupils visited the registry office and different departments associated with the county buildings. Dorothy Williams represented Georgetown Public School.

—Did you ever notice that a woman's final decision is not always the same as the one she makes later.

BAPTIST HIGHLIGHTS

Rev. C. R. Gower had a special Mother's Day message at the Baptist Church on Sunday morning when he read the lesson from Proverbs. The value of a virtuous woman cannot be estimated, he said and it is a great blessing for children to be brought up in a Christian home. The mothers of today have a greater responsibility and the great need today is the family altar. In keeping with the day, the choir sang "My Mother's Bible." At the evening service, Mr. Gower's theme was "Woe to the offenders of the Gospel." The punishment is greater for the tempter than for the tempted, he said, and was unto the man who leads others to sin. Douglas Peck sang "Faith of our Mothers" during the musical part of the service.

CLEARING AUCTION SALE

FARM STOCK, IMPLEMENTS & DAIRY EQUIPMENT.
The undersigned has been instructed by
THOMAS WEBB
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FRIDAY, MAY 19th
at 1:30 P.M., the following:

IMPLEMENTS: Ford tractor, complete with lights, plough, and lift harrows; Fleury Bissell tractor disc; rubber tired wagon; Beatty track, car and hay fork; Surge milking machine, complete; about 2000 ft. of dressed spruce lumber; 1"x8"x14"; about 250 cement blocks; The above equipment is all new since last June.
3 drum steel roller; chain saw, nearly new; 6 ft. M.H. mower; 13-disc drill; extension ladder; plating scale; steel stone boat head; wheelbarrow; tools, forks, shovels, and other small articles.

CATTLE — Holstein cow, 4 yrs. calf at foot; Holstein cow, 3 yrs. bred in Oct.; Holstein cow, 7 yrs. bred in Nov.; Holstein cow, 7 yrs. bred in Oct.; Holstein cow, 7 yrs. bred in Oct.; Holstein cow, 6 yrs. bred in Oct.; Jersey cow, 3 yrs. bred in Oct.; Shorthorn cow, 3 yrs. bred in Feb.
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