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## Chatting . . . With M.H.B.

**A NORVAL MAN,** Keith Webb and his sister, Mrs. Murray Laird, were greatly interested in a recent issue of the Montreal Standard, which featured a story on their Prince Edward Island home . . . the house Green Gables in L. M. Montgomery's famous Anne of Green Gables books. Numerous pictures showing the rooms of the house, its exterior and grounds, accompanied the article, and brought back familiar childhood memories to Mr. Webb and Mrs. Laird.

"Green Gables" where the Webb family lived was directly behind L. M. Montgomery's home, and the well-known authoress was a cousin of their mother.

Most people already know that L. M. Montgomery, who, in private life was Mrs. MacDonald, lived in Norval for six to eight years, when her husband was minister at Norval Presbyterian Church. Mrs. J. E. Maxwell happened to mention that this summer, while she and Mr. Maxwell were on their trip to the Maritimes, they went to visit Green Gables, but there was such an influx of visitors that particular day — in the neighbourhood of two or three hundred — they were unable to have a good look at it . . .

**ON SATURDAY** Mr. and Mrs. Murray Stamps moved from their apartment in the Grandview Apartments to Waterdown. Murray, a former member of the Engineering Dept. of Smith & Stone, Ltd., has been working for the past month as ceramic engineer at the Canadian Porcelain Company in Hamilton. This company's main products are the large trans-

formers used by the Hydro, Westinghouse and other companies, and exported in large quantities to other countries . . .

After he graduated from Varsity, Murray spent six months at the Canadian Porcelain Company, learning about the various stages of manufacture in their different departments. At that time, however, there was no position open for him. Shortly afterwards, he joined the Smith and Stone staff. However a month ago the opportunity came for him to take the Ceramic Engineer's position with Canadian Porcelain. Before he left Smith and Stone Murray was presented with a handsome new driver for his set of golf clubs. And incidentally, these golf clubs will be getting a really good work-out now at the Chedoke Golf Club, which is just across the road from the Canadian Porcelain Co. plant.

Another former Georgetown man, John Hall, son of Mr. Joe Hall Sr., also works at the Canadian Porcelain Company. John is recuperating from a recent appendectomy operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald and children David and Marilyn have moved into the Thornton house on Mill Road. Mrs. MacDonald's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Thornton who had an auction sale of her furniture on Saturday, will live with them . . .

Extensive alterations are making a great improvement on Mrs. J. P. Reid's house on Main Street, next to the Presbyterian Church . . .

**HAVE YOU,** by any chance, noticed an odd thing about quite a number of the McIntosh apples this fall? We've discovered that they rattle. Yes, you can actually hold them up to your ear and the seeds make a loud and unmistakable rattle. Apparently there's been an odd core formation whereby the little sections normally holding the seeds in separate compartments are missing, and the seeds thus can rattle around in quite a large "seed pod" . . .

**THERE'S A VERY** good apple crop this year making it an exceptionally good season for the Apple Products at Glen Williams. This year the company is trying out a new market for their apples. They are slicing fresh apples, packing them in plastic bags and shipping them twice weekly to large retail stores in Toronto. They are designed for the use of business women who are also homemakers, and certainly would expedite the making of fresh apple pies . . . Another new line for their product, this year, is the sale of "Perfect - Py" — or pre-cooked apples — thru the stores in addition to their usual wholesale trade. For retail stores, the apples will be done up in glass containers, and should prove quite popular . . .

### Wentworth, Victoria Boys are Top Salada Plowmen

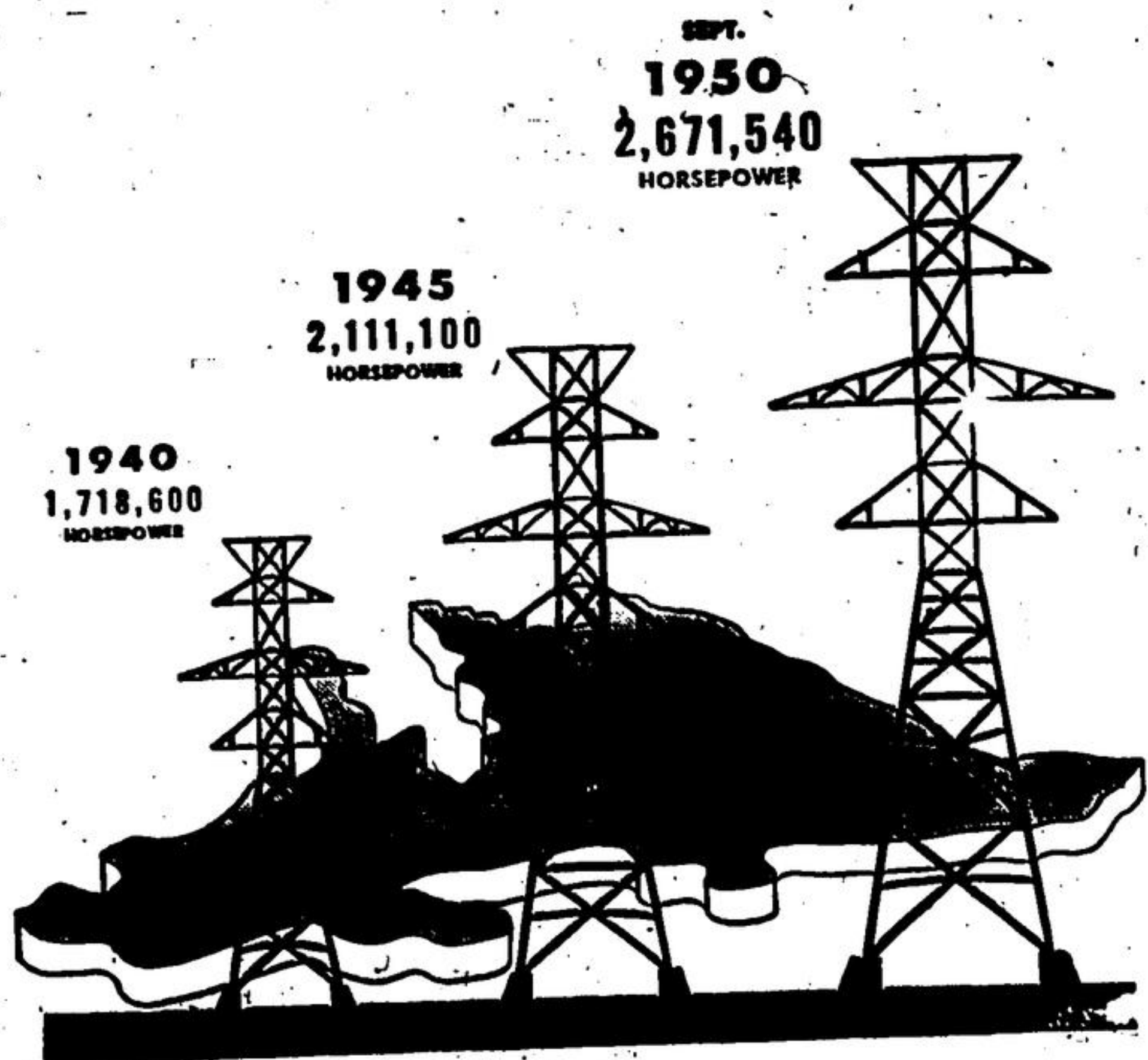
On a field swept by winds of almost gale force and intermittent sheets of rain, two Victoria County boys won first prize in the Salada Tea Inter-County Horse Plowing competition, major event on Thursday, October 12, at the International Plowing Matches being held near Alliston. While the weather resulted in a much smaller crowd than the previous record breaking day, all competitors agreed that it made the light loamy soil of six hundred acre Nottawasaga Valley Farms just about perfect for plowing.

Thirteen year old Ivan Bell of Kirkfield had the highest number of points though the other member of the Victoria team, his cousin, Gerald Bell of Woodville was not far behind. The Wentworth County team consisting of George Markle, Alberton and Tom Braithwaite of Ancaster won second place. These four boys, with a trip manager to be appointed by the Ontario Plowmen's Association, will make a tour of agricultural and conservation projects in the eastern United States next spring as guests of the Salada Tea Company of Canada, Limited.

Other winners in this event for boys are as follows: Grey County, Beverley Brown of Aytton and Mae Gamble, Owen Sound; Haldimand, Harold Nixon of Hagersville and Wray Richard of Cayuga; Wellington, Archie Crobbie, Guelph and Lindsay Love, Guelph; Waterloo, David Taylor, Galt and Calvin Hondrich, New Hamburg, and Brant County, W. Silversmith and Carmen Porter of Oshweken.

### GIVEN SANDING CONTRACT

Mellor Brothers, Acton, have been awarded a government contract for sanding district highways this winter. The Mellor firm will make its headquarters at Rockwood and will sand No. 7 Highway from Guelph to Brampton and No. 25 from Acton to Milton. The firm has nine trucks and will add other trucks during the winter if necessary.



## Your Hydro is growing fast - but

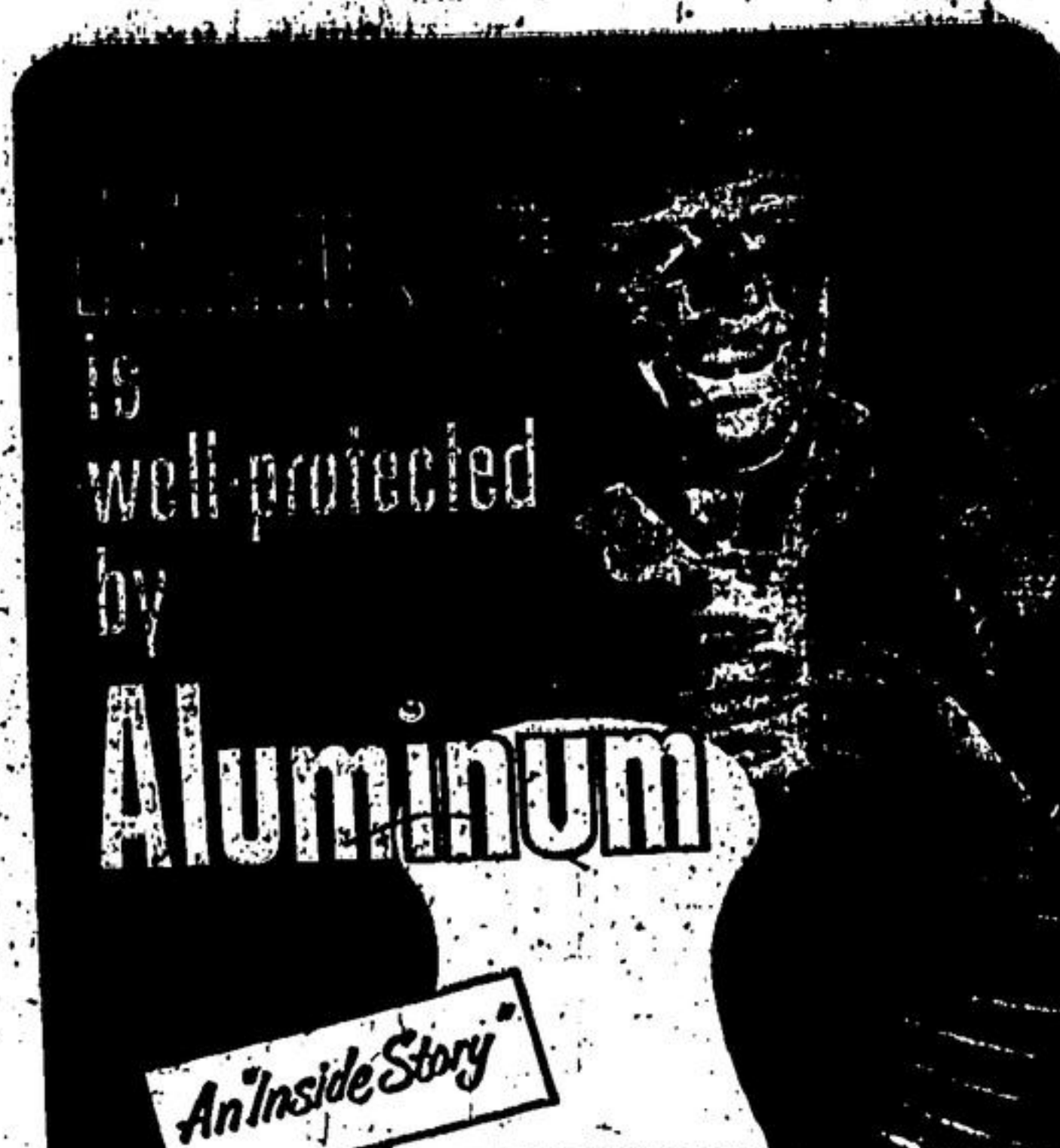
In 10 years your Hydro has increased the power supply to Southern Ontario by 952,940 horsepower, over twice the combined power requirements of the cities of Windsor, London, Hamilton, Peterborough, Kingston and Ottawa . . . and there will be more power within the next few months.

Ontario's growth has been amazing. Since 1947 the population has increased by 323,000, over 70,000 new homes have been constructed, approximately 700 new industries have been established and the value of production has risen an estimated 1½ billion dollars, 88,541 new rural consumers have been supplied with Hydro and the value of agricultural production has increased by some 400 million dollars . . . all of which called for power in greater quantities than at any previous time.

**BUT**—in addition to this tremendous growth, the recent step-up in industrial activity due to defence rearmament contracts has brought about a sharp increase in the use of electricity. In the past few weeks the maximum primary demand in Southern Ontario has been as much as 400,000 horsepower (298,000 kilowatts) higher than a year ago . . . an increase 5 times greater than the long term average rate of growth. For this reason your Hydro urges everyone to co-operate in the conservation of electricity.

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