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LOCAL GIRL GOING TO NEW ZEALAND

Miss June Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thompson and member of the Bank of Commerce staff for the past few years, left town the end of the month to spend some time in New Zealand.

She will travel with Misses Patricia and Constance Donaldson, who came from New Zealand some time ago to visit with their sister, Mrs. James Linton. They have been working in Toronto.

The ladies will motor to Vancouver and their ship sails from that port on June 8th. Their destination is Wairarapa, where the Donaldsons live. Miss Thompson has made no definite plans, but intends to take a job in New Zealand and live there for a time.

A group of friends gave her a surprise personal shower last week at her home on Durham Street and members of the bank staff presented her with luggage as a bon voyage gift.

FOSTER BROWNRIDGE GETS 60 YEAR BADGE

Foster Brownridge, Omagh, was presented with his 60-year badge by Oakville IOOF Lodge at a meeting last Wednesday.

"25 Year Club" Members Receive Watches and Pins



NEW MEMBERS of the 25-year club of Smith & Stone Limited and associated companies, Fiberglas Canada, Ltd. and Duplate Canada Ltd. are shown with Col. W. E. Phillips, center, president of the three companies. Left to right are: Arthur E. Wilson, vice president, public relations. Col. Phillips and

Ronald G. Edwards of Georgetown. Wilson has been in the electrical industry for 63 years; 25 with Smith and Stone. Lapel pins, gold wrist watches and certificates were received by new members at a reception and dinner in Toronto attended by the 72 members of the club. A two-hour program featured the

Bromby Singers, Doug Romaine and other top talent. Company-chartered buses provided return transportation for members from Georgetown and Oshawa. Don McPhail, another Smith & Stone who joined the club, is at present visiting with his mother in Scotland, and could not be present to receive his pin.

Herdmen's Club Members Honoured at Dinner

For the past two years the Ontario Department of Agriculture has been operating in Halton County a pilot Junior Herdman's Club. Eleven young men between the ages of 21 and 25, of the thirteen who started successfully completed the course and were honored at a dinner at the Ontario Agricultural College.

C. D. Graham, Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, stated that this experimental group has successfully demonstrated that such projects were practical and that his Department is now planning to offer similar courses on this and related subjects to the young farm people of the province.

The course for the Junior Herdman's Club included practical work in caring for the cattle, a study of keeping animals healthy, record-keeping, proper feeding, and the economics of profitable farm operation.

Six books to serve as the nucleus for a livestock library were presented to each young man completing the course by the Holstein Friesian Association of Canada and the Halton Milk Producers Association. Those qualifying were: Gordon Alton, Burlington; John Pickett, Hornby; Fyfe Somerville and Don Matthews, Acton; Ford Wickson, of Bronte; Fraser McNabb, Georgetown and John Stark, Collin Marshall, Don Joyce, Sam Harrop, and Clarence Ford, all of Milton. Guidance has been given by staff members of the Ontario Agricultural College the Ontario Veterinary College, and the Department of Agriculture. Local leadership was supplied by assistant agricultural representative Art Bennett.

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Simmons New Engineer for Three North Halton Towns

K. R. Simmons has been engaged as town engineer to serve a trio of North Halton towns in a venture which is believed to be unique in Ontario municipal affairs.

Mr. Simmons, who commenced his duties yesterday, will be in charge of general engineering work in Georgetown, Acton and Milton. The plan, which came after several meetings between representatives of the three towns is hoped to give the towns continuity of engineering advice in road, sidewalk, water and sewer work, and has possibility of saving considerable money in outside engineering fees also, though in major projects it is expected that consultant engineers will still be engaged.

He was one of two applicants interviewed last Wednesday by a committee which has been established to operate the plan. Eleven applications for the position were received, with salary requests ranging from \$4,000 to \$7,500. Mr. Simmons will receive \$4,200 and \$8 a mile car allowance.

The plan has the unanimous ap-

proval of the three town councils. The administrative committee, composed of three from each council, is headed by Mayor Jack Armstrong, Georgetown as chairman and Acton town clerk Jack McGeachie as secretary. While Georgetown members are the mayor, Reeve Stan Allen and Deputy Allan Norton, any council member may serve the town as a voting member of the board if one of these cannot attend a meeting. Acton is to pay the engineer's salary and expenses and bill the other two municipalities for their share.

Until the end of 1954, costs will be shared on an equal basis. A record of time spent will be kept, and if it is found that any one town is getting more benefit from Mr. Simmons' services, it is possible that next year's costs will be assessed on a pro rata basis.

Mr. Simmons is a 1950 graduate engineer from the University of Toronto. Native of Toronto, he has been working recently in Montreal. He is married, and in fulfillment of part of the conditions of the job, will be making his home in one of the three towns.

isted Art Bennett with the evening's programme. Among interested spectators at this were Ken Benson, chairman of the agricultural committee of the Kingsway Kiwanis, of Toronto, and his fellow Kiwanian Irv Goddard.

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May 18, 1954

To the Citizens of Georgetown and Glen Williams:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank all who have contributed to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind building fund. Your response in money and assistance to this worthy call for help has been very gratifying.

I would especially mention the unlimited amount of effort and time devoted by our local organizer, Mr. R. Licata, who has been the driving force behind this very worthy cause. Also all the other volunteers who gave of their time and effort for the CNIB.

Yours very sincerely,

H. C. McClure,

Local chairman CNIB Building Fund

FARM NEWS

4-H CALF CLUBS HOLD MEETINGS

Halton's three 4H Calf Clubs held their monthly meetings on Thursday and Friday evenings. Members of the 4H Beef and Dual Purpose Club met at the farm of T. C. Amos, at Moffat, where Art Bennett, Associate Agricultural Representative, assisted by Club Leader Sandy Buchanan, had two excellent classes of Shorthorns which tested the ability of club members and seniors alike.

On Friday members of the two Dairy Calf Clubs met at the farm of Ken Ellis and Sons, Henry. Two excellent classes of Jerseys were

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