

Largest Crowd for Lions Garden Party

The largest crowd on record jammed Huttonville Park Saturday for the ninth annual Brampton Lions Club garden party. The crowd of 1200 of all ages was welcomed by Lions President Del Chapple.

Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, MPP for Peel, officiated at the opening ceremonies and lauded the Brampton Lions Club for many contributions to the community.

The exciting evening of entertainment was under the direction of master of ceremonies, Vince Mountford. He introduced the many fine acts including: Billy Meek, a young Scotch comedian; Marvin Johnson, a band balancing artist; the western music of the County Cowboys; the three comedians, Paul Brothers and Shirley; magic tricks by the Great Miro, and the piano playing of Jack Ayre.

The Brampton Citizens' Band provided hand music to round out the all-star show.

The following took part in the junior program: Elizabeth Armitage, Thelma Cappa Morrison, Iva Davidson, Peter Harcourt, Caron Steel, Jackie Morrison, Thelma Morrison, Phyllis Wren, Grant's dancing trio, Glynn Evans, Marlene Young, Glenna Doherty and Donna Doran.

The refreshment booths did a roaring trade all night providing food and drink for the many who attended the party.

HONEST GIRLS TURN PURSE INTO POLICE

\$8.51 isn't a fortune, but it's a lot when your mother sends you shopping.

Last Wednesday morning, Robert Wrigglesworth appeared damp-eyed at the police office to report losing a small purse with money he was to spend on a shopping errand.

He was all smiles when police chief Roy Haley told him that two young girls had returned the purse found on Main Street, via the Herald Office, only a few moments before. The girls, who are to be commended for their honesty, were Helen Kennard and Beverley Emmerson.

MRS. HERB DOLSON SHOWER HOSTESS

A Snelgrove bride Lois Groat was honoured at a number of guests, including a shower at the home of Mrs. Herb Dolson. The program at the miscellaneous shower included a program in which Mrs. John McClure of Georgetown sang a solo accompanied by Betty Artott, and Ruth Snell gave a reading. Mrs. D. Fryer and Mrs. John Lyons helped with the gifts.

Miss Groat married Norman Russell, a Brampton district farmer, on July 18th in Cheltenham Baptist Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Groat, Cheltenham and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Russell, Brampton.

BRITAIN TO TAKE SURPLUS CHEESE

Speaking to the Frontenac County Holstein Breeders Club at Kingston on July 14th, Everett Biggs, Dairy Commissioner for Ontario said: "The United Kingdom government has approved the sum of approximately four million dollars for the import of Canadian cheddar cheese from July 1st, 1955 to June 30th, 1956. In my opinion this will be enough to clear the surplus production above domestic requirements in Canada for that period."

Mr. Biggs made this announcement at what was characterized as "Operation Moo" by the staff at Old Fort Henry, Kingston. A group of Holstein cattle invaded the Fort for the evening and Holstein breeders numbering 400 accompanied them. "David" the goat who is mascot at Old Fort Henry greeted each visiting bovine at a special ceremony, the guard paraded with the life and drum band, in authentic historical costume and cannon boomed a salute.

Mr. Biggs stated that the first steps had been taken to make Kempsville Agricultural School cheddar cheese research centre for the province of Ontario. Prof. Owen Irvine, formerly of the Ont. Agricultural College at Guelph and recognized as one of the outstanding research men on cheese in Canada, has been appointed to head this centre. A top dairy bacteriologist will be appointed to work with Professor Irvine.

John Powell, of the Holstein Friesian Association of Canada, reported that G. M. Clemons, secretary manager of the Association had just returned from Europe feeling optimistic about the future prospects for sale of top Canadian Holsteins there. Last winter the first shipment of Holsteins to Spain took place and a repeat order has now been secured. The herd of close to 1,000 head of Canadian Holsteins being maintained by County Marotto near Venice is providing favourable publicity for our cattle and the prospects are that more business will be coming from Italy. In Great Britain the trend is toward a more dairy like animal and definite interest is being shown in the possibility of importing Canadian Holsteins. Mr. Clemons was impressed with the profitable sideline of raising Holstein steers that has been developed by the Brits and was inclined to think that our Canadian breeders should look closely at the possibilities involved.

Mr. Powell stated that during the first six months of 1955 a total of 42,113 purebred Holsteins have been registered. This is the largest total in the association's history for a similar period and represents a 7 per cent increase over the first six months of 1954. Transfers of ownership were up 7 per cent and exports had gained 25 per cent.

The proceedings were enlivened when four prominent Holstein men, Ruthford, Melquham, Lanark, Harold McCaul, Napanee, Lawrence Leadbeater, Secley's Bay and Gerry Nelson, Port Perry, were arrested by the Fort Henry guard, blindfolded and then condemned to judge a class of cattle by feeling with their hands. The result reminded spectators of "the six blind men from Hunderstan who went to see the elephant though each of them was blind." Leadbeater was the winner with McCaul second, Nelson third and Melquham bringing up the rear.

A panel discussion on type with fieldman R. Grant Smith, Brockville as moderator and Maryan Arthur, Bill Bracken, Reg Watson, Graham Anglin, all members of the Kingston-Sydenham 4-H Club as panelists.

NAME CLARENCE BAIN SCHOOL CARETAKER

One of nineteen applicants for the position, Clarence Bain has been chosen as caretaker of Georgetown High School.

Mr. Bain, who closed his variety store in town this spring, now lives at R. R. 1 Georgetown in the highway area between Georgetown and Silvercreek.

Other business transacted at a meeting of the high school board in Georgetown last week included awarding of a contract for painting the outside of the Georgetown school. Gordon Farlow, Milton, who tendered \$402 was the lowest of five received.

Myron John Crawford Dies at Cardinal

A lifelong resident of Cardinal, Myron John Crawford, 66, died in his sleep on July 23rd. He was the father of James Crawford, 51 Normandy Blvd.

Mr. Crawford, a tinsmith by trade, retired on pension a year ago from his position with the Canada Starch Company. A member of Royal Lodge No. 338, he was a past noble grand. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Crawford was the only son of the late James and Minnie Miller Crawford. Surviving are his wife, Emma Coons, their only son James, Georgetown and three grandchildren. The funeral service on July 25th took place in Cardinal Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. McMillan officiating. Pallbearers were six lodge friends, John Sims, William McIrvine, Earl Comstock, Len Brown, Collie Allen and William Amell.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE ESTATE OF Wilfred Spence, Gentleman, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Wilfred Spence, late of the Town of Georgetown, gentleman, who died on or about the 14th day of October, 1954, are hereby notified to send particulars of same to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of August, 1955, after which date the estate will be distributed with regard only to the claims of which the undersigned shall then have notice, and the undersigned will not be liable to any person of whose claim she shall not then have notice.

DATED at Georgetown, this 26th day of July, A.D., 1955.
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