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FIRST SECTION

BEST RETAINS HALTON FOR P-Cs

CONSERVATIVE SWEEP OUSTS LIBERALS AFTER 22 YEARS

Sharing in a Progressive Conservative landslide which will oust the Liberal party from federal power after 22 years, Halton gave Sandy Best a trouncing majority at the polls on Monday. He retained the seat won by the late Sybil Bennett, Q.C., in 1953, adding thousands of votes in his plurality.

It was a decisive win which saw Halton's new M.P. lead every municipality in the county. Even Milton, home town of Liberal candidate Kenneth Dick voted Conservative. Mr. Dick received majorities in this district only in the Esquesing polling divisions of Quatre Bras and Dublin. CCFer Jack Henry, making his first bid for office trailed in every division.

The P-C win leaves the balance of power in Canada's incoming parliament in the hands of the CCF and Social Credit parties. Party standings, compared with 1953, are:

	1953	1957
P-C	51	110
LIBERAL	170	103
CCF	23	26
Social Credit	15	19
Misc.	6	7
Deferred	-	1
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Monday's election in the county continued a trend to the Conservatives apparent in the 1953 election. In 1949, Liberal Hughes Cleaver had a 1426 majority over Miss Bennett. In 1953, Miss Bennett received a 1264 majority over Liberal Murray McPhail. The Liberals were still strong in 1953 in Esquesing, Acton, Milton, Bronte and Nassagaweya. In 1957 the county was solidly Conservative.

It is the second time in history that a Georgetown, or to be specific, an Esquesing resident, will represent Halton in the House of Commons. Mr. Best operates a nursery stock farm on Georgetown's outskirts, while also teaching biology at the University of Toronto. His scientific bent comes naturally from his father, Dr. C. H. Best, the world-famous co-discoverer of insulin.

THE COUNTY VOTE

	P.C.	Lib.	CCF
Georgetown	1338	940	420
Esquesing	1018	835	227
Milton	919	837	221
Acton	882	604	291
Nassagaweya	482	336	62
Nelson	3663	1342	617
Trafalgar	3882	1754	645
Burlington	2702	902	371
Oakville	2380	1062	473
Bronte	348	224	104
Advance Poll	16	10	6

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THE GEORGETOWN VOTE

	P.C.	Lib.	CCF
Cloverdale	171	110	43
Swanek - Main N.	185	131	85
Park	203	120	17
College View	97	91	40
Queen	170	102	18
Mountainview	159	112	67
Normandy - Main S.	156	128	37
Sunbeam - Delrex	197	160	113

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THE ESQUESING VOTE

	P.C.	Lib.	CCF
Milton Heights	88	75	16
Quatre Bras	47	93	9
Hornby	62	57	5
Norval	153	103	18
Stewarttown	164	122	19
Dublin	102	103	27
Limehouse	52	37	37
Silvercreek	126	118	34
Glen Williams (61)	93	51	31
Glen Williams (62)	131	76	41

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Four Ballet Pupils Pass Examinations

Four pupils of the Wicky Lay School of Dancing recently tried their Grade One Cecchetti ballet examinations in Toronto. The examining teacher was Celia Frances, Director of the National Ballet Company. The girls Carol Mills, Diane Greenwood, Jackie Leggett and Marjorie Hepburn all passed successfully.

These examinations are very important and are considered "high grade" in view of the fact that when pupils reach the grade three examinations they are usually professionals.

ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Sheehy, 85 Charles Street, will be home to their friends and relatives on Wednesday, June 12th, between the hours of 3 - 5 p.m. and 7 - 9 p.m. on the occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary. The 50th anniversary of their marriage will be celebrated every year.

Social & Personal

Charlene Ormerod of Toronto is spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Scott, 41 Shelley St.

Mrs. T. Brading and son Terry from Espanola are visiting with her sister Mrs. J. Downie and Mr. Downie of the Cottage Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Stata, 9 Queen Street, attended the wedding of Beverly Joyce Hines and Donald Edward Shubel in Detroit, Mich. on Saturday evening. They spent the week end in Detroit and visited with many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Scott, Maple Ave. W. were in Ottawa last week where they attended the convention of the Ontario Automobile Dealers at the Chateau Laurier.

Mrs. Y. A. Stein, 9 Queen Street, spent last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in Brantford where she attended the nurses' graduation at Brantford General Hospital and her family reunion.

Chief Constable Roy Haley is convalescing at his home after undergoing surgery in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph. He is expected to return to duty some time next week.

Mrs. Alleen Bradley, Victoria Street, attended the Althea-Johnston wedding in Morningside Presbyterian Church, Toronto, and the reception in the garden of the Old Mill, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Laird and Marie of 5 Queen Street, gave a birthday party for their son and brother on Saturday, June the eighth. It was Jackie's sixth birthday and his guests were Joey McMenemy, Charlie Bisha, Douglas Fenric and his brother and sister, Gordon and Catherine.

TOPS POLLS EVERYWHERE BEATS DICK BY 8725 VOTES

Recent visitors with the Denney Charles of R. E. 3, were Mrs. Charles' aunt, Mrs. D. E. Carriere, St. Thomas, and her two sisters and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Dunstons and family of St. Marys and Mr. and Mrs. Al Murray and family of Ingersoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hart, St. Catharines, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Stan Finlay.

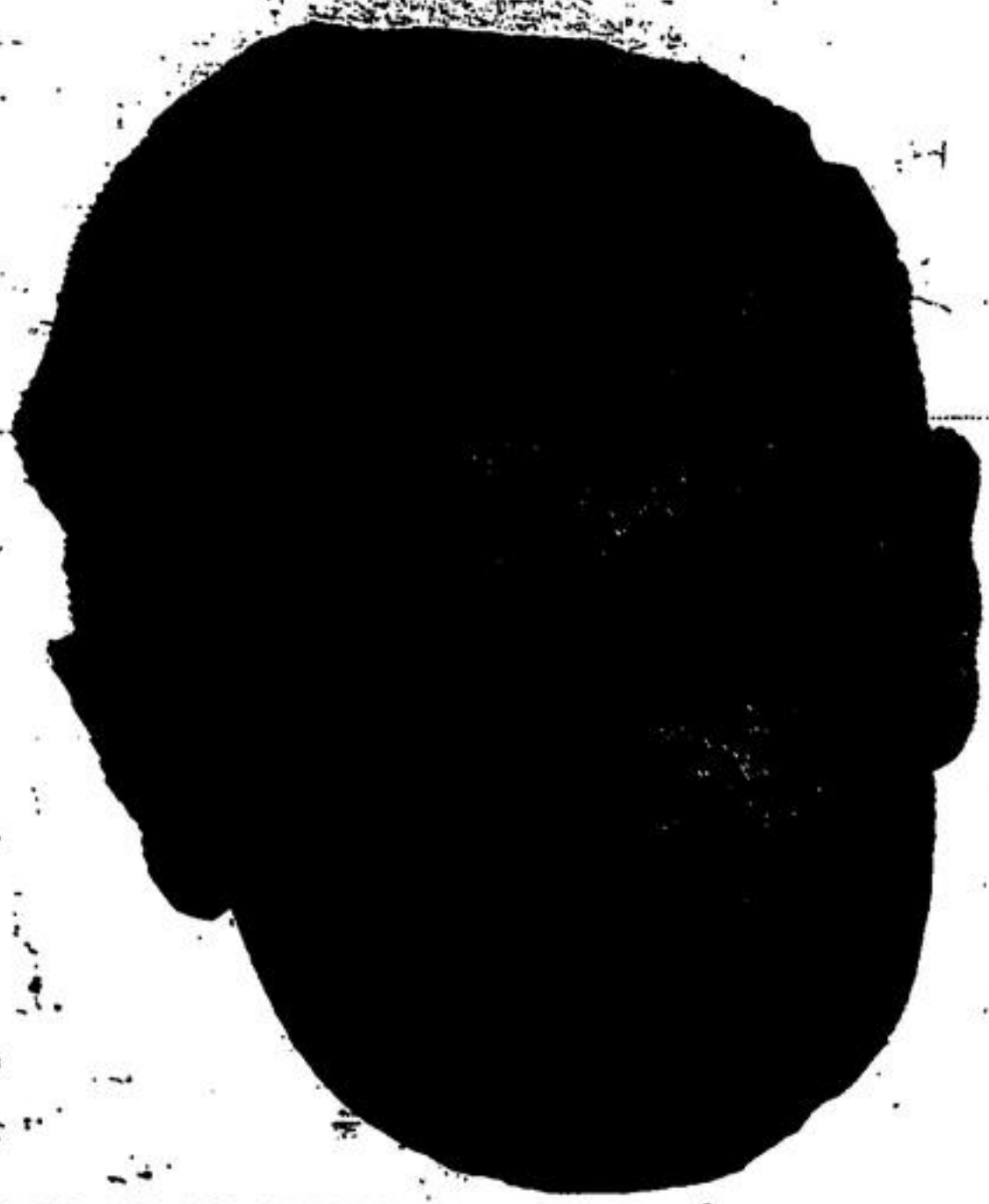
Halton's new member of parliament, Sandy Best, was congratulated by well wishers in three North-west Halton towns Monday en route to an official celebration in Milton, after news of his victory was confirmed.

At the early returns were received at P-C headquarters here his election seemed certain and a motor cavalcade began forming at 8 p.m. As soon as election was conceded by the Liberals and CCF, the cavalcade, horns honking started on its rounds. Mr. Best, Stan Hall, MPP and his wife, local P-C president Leslie Clark and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Best and Honky Best rode in two convertibles, driven by Vern Kirby and Jim Burris.

A call was made at Glen Williams, at P-C headquarters there, and then there was a tour of the Delrex and Normandy districts of town. At Berwick Hall, the Girls Pipe Band joined the group and led a parade up Main Street. The parade toured to Acton for a similar Main Street celebration, then to the county town for another parade to the traditional victory celebration in Milton Town Hall. There county president George Elliott, Q.C. introduced the new MP and Mr. Best expressed his thanks to supporters and his desire to serve his county and his country as a member of the next Canadian parliament. Stan Hall, MPP was also on the speaking platform. The cavalcade continued to Oakville and to Burlington.

Returning to home territory, the victory celebration continued at an open house at the home of the local president, Leslie Clark.

NEXT PRIME MINISTER?



EXPECTED TO BE CANADA'S next prime minister after the Progressive-Conservatives gained the most seats in Monday's election, John Diefenbaker will be conferring on Friday with the Governor General and Prime Minister St. Laurent about a confused situation in which his party has not a clear majority.

Richard Senko Working Saskatoon Radio Station

Radio station, CFQC in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, will have a new local sales promoter next Monday in the person of Richard Senko, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Senko, 14 George St. Mr. Senko will leave for his position by train on Thursday night.

In his second year of radio advertising he has been employed with Radio Representatives, National Sales division, Toronto, for over fourteen months where he held the position of sales representative. Prior to this he was employed with Confederation Life Insurance.

As sales promoter Mr. Senko will deal directly with the local Saskatoon businessmen with regard to advertising on station CFQC.

Present Bowling Trophy To Winning Legion Team

President of the Industrial Bowlers Club, Bill Anderson, presented the winners trophy to the Legion No. 1 team at the Industrial Bowlers banquet in the Legion Hall on Thursday, May 30th. The members of the team which topped the league honors were each presented with a clock. The Legion ladies who catered to the turkey dinner were thanked by Bill Korack and presented with the proceeds of a collection taken up by the bowlers. Each lady also received a rose.

The captain of Legion No. 1 was called on to make the presentation to the Silver's team who received wallets as well as the team trophy. Sid Silver presented each member with a white shirt. The winners of the playoffs, Andersons took the playoff trophy plus individual vouchers.

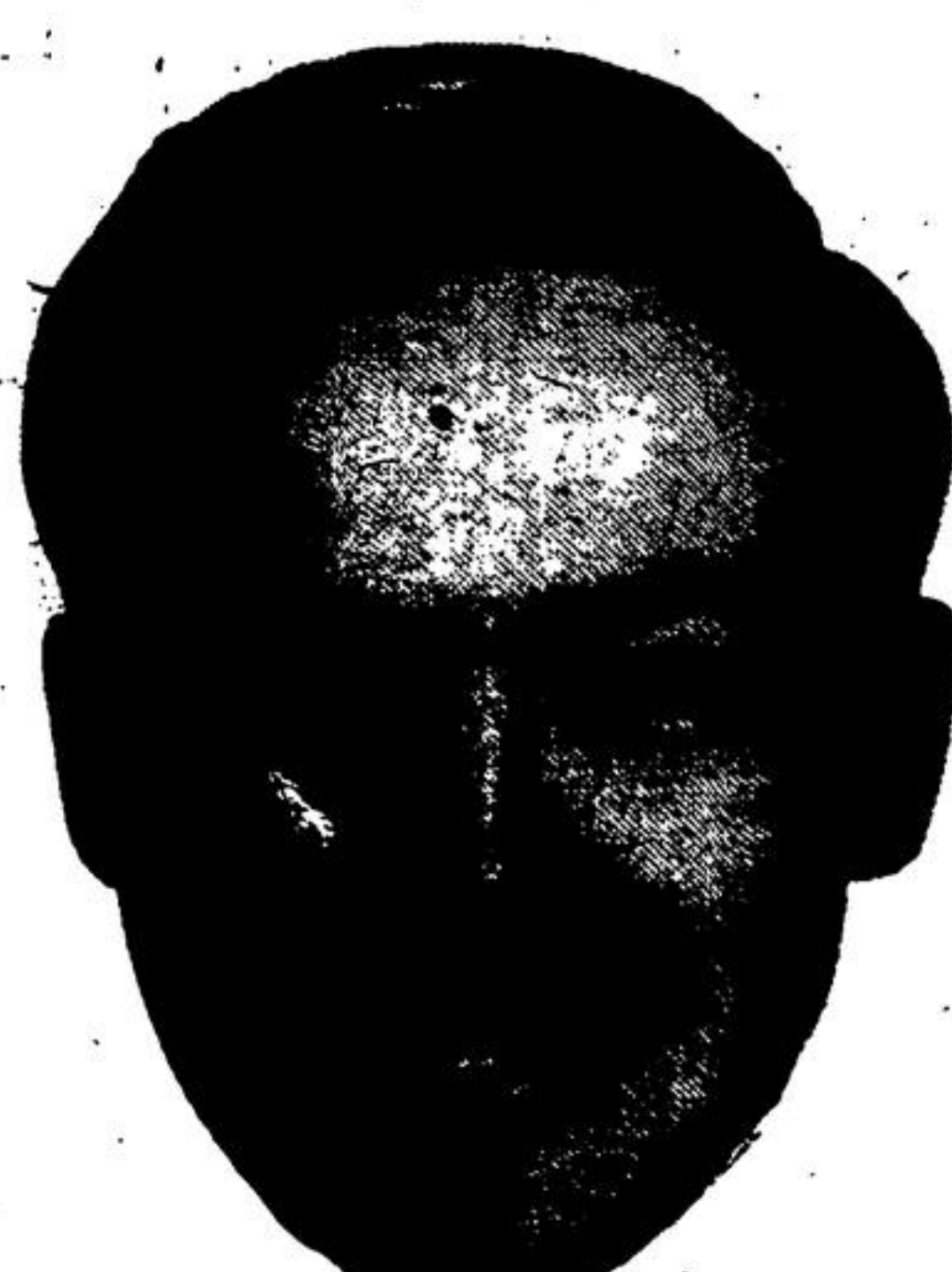
TV lamps were the prizes for season high in the single, triple and average departments. George Barber made the presentation to the winners, Ace Bailey, Jim Reaves, and Bill Anderson. An award for the most improved bowler went to Earl Wilcox.

Victor Gunn, captain of the Bar Files, presented the prizes for the next nine highest averages. Frank Anderson and George Webster received desk sets, Ace Bailey and George Barber, cuff links and tie pins, Bill Korack, Lorne Shipway, Ted Fenning, Harry Bradford, and Shel Law, key fobs.

Mrs. Jack Yoksimas of the Lucky Strike bowling alley was presented with two cups and saucers for her help to the league plus a novelty award of a waste paper basket, compliments of one of the bowlers who ruined the one belonging to the alley by kicking it everytime the pins refused to drop.

There were also prizes given at the dance which followed the banquet. Mrs. Gene Green won the door prize, Mrs. William Anderson and Frank Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Murphy, Mrs. Jack Yoksimas, and Shel Law, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Green spot dance prizes. The music was supplied by the Debon.

HALTON'S NEW M.P.



BEST FOR HALTON - BEST FOR YOU was a campaign slogan which paid off at the polls Monday when Sandy Best scored an impressive win in his first election campaign. He will replace the late Sybil Bennett as a Georgetownian, when parliament convenes in the next few weeks.

Heart Attack Fatal For Legion Caretaker

Albert Edward (Ted) Rogers, 53, caretaker at the Legion Hall for the past three years, died from a heart attack in the building last Thursday morning. Mr. Rogers had been cutting grass and had just entered the building when he suffered a fatal seizure. He was found soon afterwards by the steward, Bob Blair.

A native of Deal, England, he had been in Canada since childhood, emigrating with his parents, who settled in Sherbrooke, Quebec district. They later moved to Hamilton. He had been a Georgetown resident since 1940.

A former employee of Georgetown Clay Products, he served overseas three years with the Lorne Scots Regiment. Since the war he had lived near town on No. 20 Sideroad. He was a member of Branch 120, Canadian Legion.

Surviving are his wife, Florence Hendrick; three sons, Edward of Georgetown, and George and Robert, serving with the Canadian Army in Souest, Germany; his father, James Rogers, Hamilton; and four grandchildren. Another son died in infancy. He also leaves four brothers, Frederick, Charles, George and William of Hamilton.

Rev. Kenneth Richardson conducted the funeral service on Saturday at the Harold C. McCure Funeral Home with interment following in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were his brothers, Frederick, George and William, a nephew, Harold Rogers, Hamilton, Percy King and Herb Harlowe. Members of the Legion conducted a Legion service at the funeral home on Friday night.

LIMEHOUSE

BIRTHDAY PARTY HELD FOR MRS. EMERY McDONALD

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Russell McDonald on the arrival of a little son in Guelph Hospital a week ago and also to Mr. and Mrs. S. Kara, who had their second son, born on June 8th and to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kier, a son on June 6th.

Mrs. Jas. Noble visited at Cheltenham on Wednesday last week. On Sunday afternoon there was a very pleasant gathering at the home of Mrs. Emily McDonald, Dolly Vardeen, when over seventy guests from Acton, Limehouse, Georgetown, Brantford, Milton and other areas met to celebrate her birthday and that of her twin grand-daughters, Michael and Larky, children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald, 1077 St. George Street.

COMMUNITY FAREWELL FOR WARNE FAMILY

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warne, Vera and Roy were honoured at a social gathering at the church. Both Mr. and Mrs. Warne have been active in the Sunday School and on church committees for quite a few years and it is with a feeling of great loss that we see them moving away from our midst to Acton. What will be our loss here will be gain to the church there. Mr. F. J. Shortill acted as chairman for the evening and a presentation address was read by Mr. F. W. Shortill. Mr. and Mrs. Warne received a lovely kitchen table, an electric alarm clock and a Bible and Vera and Roy each received a bed lamp. Each one expressed their thanks and Mr. Neel-son also spoke a few words. Those taking part in the program earlier in the evening were Mr. Ernie McEnery and daughter Caroline, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Swindlehurst, Mrs. Robert McEnery, Mrs. Black and Bobbie, Ann Shortill, Charlene Burt, Alan Snow and the Givens sisters. All of the younger ones taking part were members of Mrs. Warne's Sunday school class.

Public Relations was the theme of the Institute meeting held at the home of Mrs. Wm. McLean on Wednesday evening, June 5th. A film on the different races of people was shown by Mrs. N. Sinclair and Mrs. F. J. Shortill took the topic which followed the topic which followed the improvement of yourself, that you haven't time to criticize others. A letter of thanks was read from Dr. Lotta Hitchmanova, director of the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, thanking the ladies for the tunics sent to the Middle East for the school children there. Another item of business was the schooling of two delegates to attend a course in the fall on lamp shade making. Mrs. T. Gibson and Mrs. Robert McEnery are to be the representatives. Mrs. Leo Jamieson conducted a survey on radio and TV programs. The ladies gave their views on different programs and what was the most educational for children. This was very much enjoyed. Lunch was served by the social committee, Mrs. L. McLean, Mrs. J. McEnery, Mrs. H. Hiltz.

There was no church service at Ballinacraf on Sunday but several attended the anniversary of Melville both morning and evening services. Mr. Alan Neelison was the speaker in the morning and at the evening service. Mr. Jack Bennett from Carleton was the guest speaker. The Sunday School met in the afternoon and was held at the Ballinacraf school.

Recent guests with Miss Adah Coventry, Church Street, were her cousin and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shock. Her nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McInnis and their daughter and her husband and family and her nephew's brother-in-law from Markdale.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Beaumont, Glen Williams, announce the engagement of their daughter Jean to Allan Eridson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Eridson, Caledon. The marriage will take place on Saturday, the twentieth of June, 1957, at three o'clock in St. Alban's Anglican Church, Glen Williams.

Georgetown Reeve Stan Allen is New Halton Manor Superintendent

Stan Allen, Georgetown Reeve and Halton County warden in 1956, has been appointed superintendent of Halton Centennial Manor, the county's home for elderly residents.

County council ratified the appointment, made by the Manor Board, at its meeting yesterday. One of the county's best known residents, Mr. Allen leaves a position at Smith & Stone as foreman of the fabrication section to take over his new duties. He has been a county CCF candidate in both provincial and federal elections. A Georgetown council member and reeve for several years, he intends to continue to work with his farm community.

Mr. Allen succeeds Eric W. Clarke in the position at Milton.

NORVAL

Rev. James Fraser is Norval United Speaker

Norval United Church celebrated the 104th anniversary of the dedication of the original Methodist church on the present site, last Sunday. The day was also the 68th anniversary of the consecration of the present sanctuary. A good many sat in the aisles for the morning service. The evening attendance was smaller.

The guest speaker, Rev. James A. Fraser, Toronto, formerly president of the Maritime Conference and five times elected to the general council of the church, spoke in the morning of the four anchors that were thrown out of the ship on which St. Paul was being carried as a prisoner to Rome, in an effort to keep her off the rocks. The speaker said we would do well to drop four anchors into the stormy sea of our lives to avoid shipwreck and achieve the long life ahead. The anchors are hope, duty, prayer and love.

In the evening Mr. Fraser developed his message from the text "The things which are seen are temporal, but the things which are not are spiritual." The choir music was exceptionally fine. In the morning, a ladies' triple trio sang a sacred number and Mrs. Jack May sang "Bless Us, O Lord". In the evening the choir sang "Read Your Hearts" with which they won a silver cup for best church choir at Peel Music Festival. The triple trio sang again and Julian Reed sang "The Lord is my Shepherd."

Mr. Fraser commended the choir and their director Miss Kay Coombs for the finest sacred music heard in a long time and also gave high praise to the congregation for improvements to the church building, the latest being redecoration of the sanctuary at Easter time. He complimented them also on fine increases in their contributions to the missionary and maintenance funds and in their support of the local ministry.

ENGAGEMENTS

G. H. Michie - Miss M. A. McMillan
The engagement is announced between George Harold Michie, second son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Calkin Michie, Milton, Ontario and Margaret Armour McMillan, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald McMillan, 21 Bellevue Place, Edinburgh 7, Scotland. The wedding is to take place on August 10th at Geveenside Church of Scotland, the Rev. Harold MacDonald officiating.

ENGAGEMENTS

Saxophone—G. Dyer.
Trombones—Paul Delaney, Ken Allen, P. Emmans, Bill Ennis, Bruce McKerr, Ozie Ledwith, Al Karl.
Bassoon—Art Herbert, Fred Carter, Charlie Kingmill.
Drums—Roy Cook, Earl Cuthbert.
Band Librarian—Tom Herbert.
Bandmaster—A. H. Perrott.
Mrs. W. D. Cassidy of North Bay has been spending several weeks convalescing with her daughter at South Bay, Victoria.