

Milton Member Chairman North Halton District Board

A Milton resident, John Hall, is the new chairman of the North Halton High School District Board, succeeding Ernie Forgrave, 14 Union St. Mr. Hall took office on Monday, Jan. 13th when the board held their inaugural meeting at Milton. Murray Coles of Limehouse is vice-chairman. The board is comprised of representatives from Acton, Milton, Georgetown and the two townships of Nassagaweya and Esquesing.

Members of the finance and management committee include John Creighton, Acton, Edward Force, Acton, Andrew Kelly, Milton, James Goodlet, Georgetown, Mr. Coles and Mr. Forgrave.

Transportation committee members are George C. Brown, Norval, William Coon, Acton and Ross Carbert, Nassagaweya. Building committee Fred Masterman, Georgetown, William Coon, Ross Carbert and Nelson Pickett of Milton. Property committee: Murray

Rasberry, Milton, Clarence Anderson, Terra Cotta, Ern Forgrave and James Goodlet.

Board divisions and their respective representatives are: Milton, Mr. Hall and Mr. Pickett; Georgetown, Mr. Forgrave, Mr. Goodlet, Mr. Masterman, Thomas Niven who this year serves as Georgetown's extra member; Acton: Mr. Coon, Mr. Creighton and Mr. Force; Esquesing: Mr. Brown, Mr. Coles and Mr. Anderson, and Nassagaweya, Mr. Carbert.

A guest at the meeting was Inspector G. E. Johnson who spoke to the board briefly on problems in the high schools and answered a number of questions asked him by the members. A report was also given by the secretary, Lt. Col. Gordon Brown, who disclosed that the average daily attendance last year totalled over 720 students from North Halton District and an average of 22 from other districts.

Chatting

M. H. B.

I ALWAYS THINK it would be nice to start out the new year with a clean slate — and probably a good many of us strive to that end. If we ever succeeded, bills, obligations, and problems of the old year would all be solved. Business men would have bookkeeping and correspondence caught up with — and housewives would have their houses in perfect order again after the chaos and confusion of the Christmas season.

FOR A PERSON writing a column, perhaps a clean slate is not the ideal state of affairs, however. Far better to have it cluttered up, full of wonderful ideas for future 'chats'. But being temporarily possessed by the setting-in-order zeal of a new year, I thought I should at least straighten up the 'cubby-hole' set aside for pencil, pad, and stray bits of paper on which I sometimes scribble an inspiration for a column.

How disillusioned can you get with yourself — and in the first day or two of the new year too. That was when I decided that a clean slate was for this columnist. How could I have thought those corny ideas would have the least interest for anyone. As I sorted out the untidy little heap of paper I decided the waste paper basket was the place for most of them, and in they went forthwith.

HOWEVER, I DID keep out a couple of little anecdotes to tell you about this week, which I think passed the "time test" — One is about a friend from Montreal. His little boy had been pestering him for days to go to a big new store in their shopping district. "They're giving away free watches," the little fellow kept insisting, in spite of the openly expressed doubts of his parents. Then came the morning when our friend drove his son to school and passed by the much-talked about store. "There Dad, there, see!" excitedly exclaimed the child. Sure enough, his Dad

did see — in unmistakably large letters on a banner covering the whole store front — "Watch For Grand Opening!"

THEN THERE was the note I had made about our 10-year-old daughter "coming home from school one day complaining of a sore tummy. When I asked her what she thought caused it, she said one of the boys had kicked her in the stomach. My motherly indignation cooled somewhat when she added "Gosh, he sure is girl-crazy!"

NOT THAT I intend to bore you with family anecdotes, but I also had made a little note of the time I corrected our six-year-old son for biting his fingernails. Denying the accusation, he explained he wasn't biting his nails. He was cleaning them with his teeth.

ANOTHER LITTLE story concerns a friend of mine in one of the new subdivisions in town. Just before Christmas a man rapped on her door, and when she answered, he explained he was helping conduct a survey, and did her husband drink beer. Somewhat taken aback, but being an essentially honest person, she answered in a becomingly dubious tone: "Well, yes, sometimes." Her caller then asked what brand he preferred, and after she told him, he excused himself to go out to his car. Much to her astonishment and delight, he returned and presented her with half a dozen glass tumblers, with the beer firm's compliments. And etched on them were on the glass, still the tumblers were very acceptable.

WHAT A NICE pre-Christmas surprise thought our friend, hurrying to the phone as soon as she had closed the door. Quickly she phoned everyone she could think of in the neighbourhood to tell them about their probable caller, and also to tip them off about the right answer to his questions. Presumably, the public relations man gave away quite a few sets of tumblers that morning.

And indeed he had, as the girls discovered when they congregated for tea one afternoon a few days later, and compared notes. But there was one girl present who had been inadvertently

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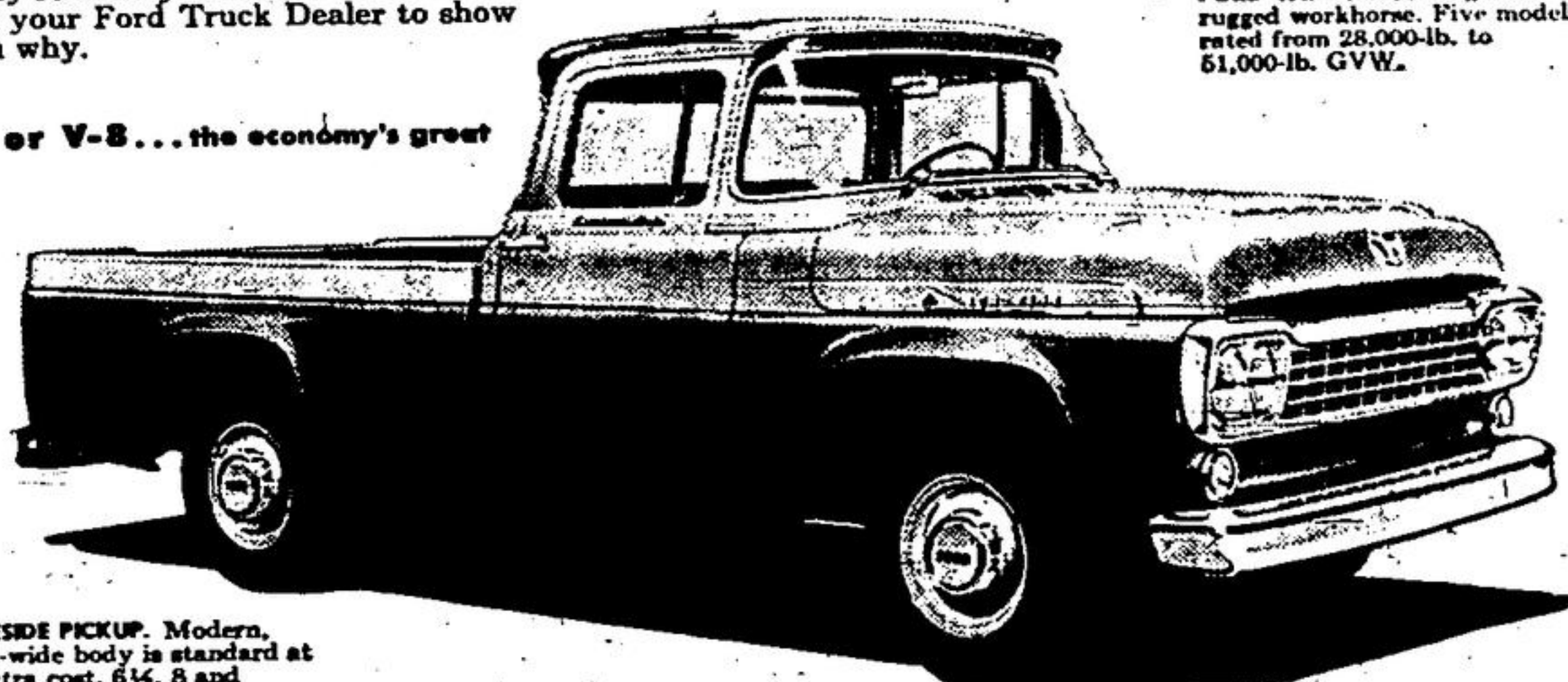
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overlooked in the tipping-off process. The man had called at her home, too, but in response to the question: "What brand," she had named a make different from all the rest. Thereupon her caller had excused himself to go out to his car, and had returned to present her with a case of their favoured beverage!

Ah, well, this little story has no moral... Except that all the recipients were lucky because it was only a day or so after hearing about this incident that such "indirect advertising" by beer companies had been discontinued.

FARM NEWS

George Haver Heads Halton Jersey Club

J. E. W.

That Jersey cattle and Jersey milk are in strong demand was proven in a convincing manner by several speakers at the annual meeting of the Halton Jersey Club held at Stowtown on Thursday of last week.

The dinner meeting attended by some 60 Jersey enthusiasts, was ably presided over by Wm. Featherstone, president of the club. The meeting was honoured by the presence of Maurice C. Beaty, president of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club, who brought greetings from the parent organization and at the same time extended an invitation to attend the annual meetings of the Ontario and Canadian organizations which are being held at Cornwall, on Feb. 11 and 12.

James Bremner, secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club was also in attendance and reported that Ontario is now doing 60% of the Jersey business in Canada. When presenting Maurice C. Beaty with the Premier Exhibitor and Premier Breeder awards won at the Halton Parish Show, Mr. Bremner congratulated Mr. Beaty on having won the same awards at the 1957 Royal, where he had, he added, the greatest Jersey show ever held in Canada. Dudley Oliver, business manager of the Ontario Jersey Club gave a most enthusiastic address on the new programme in merchandising Jersey milk. Reference was made to one small dairy on the outskirts of Toronto which when the programme started two years ago was handling 7 cans of Jersey milk—today, Mr. Oliver stated, that same dairy is handling 120 cans daily of Jersey milk. A total of 62 dairies in Ontario, he added, are handling approximately 3000 cans of Jersey milk per day.

The A.J. programme as also pointed out by Messrs. Beaty and Bremner has resulted in an increasing demand for Jersey cattle and at considerably higher prices than a year ago.

Endorse Brucellosis
This meeting also went on record as endorsing the proposal that Halton immediately take steps

to inform all cattle owners of the Brucellosis Control Area Plan with a view to Halton achieving that status at the earliest possible date.

Another pleasing feature of the programme was an illustrated address on British Columbia by Edwin Harrop of Milton R.R. 5, who was one of the party of 106 on the tour sponsored by the Ontario Soil & Crop Improvement Association in 1957. Others who spoke briefly were Geo. Hewer, newly elected president of the Halton club; Mac Alexander, and J. Allan Francis, associate agricultural representative for Halton and Peel counties, who presented an interesting report on 4-11 calf club activities.

The newly elected officers and directors follows: President, Geo. Hewer; 1st vice-president, Ernest Davies; 2nd vice-president, Don Matthews; secretary-treasurer, J. E. Whitlock.

Directors: Esquesing, Mac Alexander, Gerald R. Graham, Ken Ella and Bruce Nixon; Nassagaweya, Duncan Moffat; Trafalgar, M. C. Beaty, W. H. Devlin, and Wm. Featherstone; Wellington County, Fred Moore.

Director on board of Ontario Jersey Club, Ken Ella.

Notice to Creditors

In the Estate of **DR. FRANCIS ROBERT WATSON**, late of the Town of Georgetown, Ontario, Gentleman.

Creditors and others having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned Executor on or before the 19th day of February A.D., 1958, after which date the estate's assets will be distributed, having regard only to claims that have then been received.

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All persons having claims against the estate of **CATHERINE JANE DAISY ARMSTRONG**, late of the Town of Georgetown, in the County of Halton, spinster, who died in the Town of Georgetown on or about the 28th day of November, 1957, and all others having claims against her estate are hereby notified to send by post prepaid, or otherwise to deliver to **HEWSON, ORD & HELSON**, Georgetown, Ontario, Solicitors for the undersigned Executor of the Estate of Catherine Jane Daisy Armstrong, on or before the 19th day of Feb., 1958, their names, addresses, descriptions and full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, and that immediately after the 19th day of February, 1958, the Executor will proceed to distribute the Estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Executor shall then have notice.

DATED at Georgetown, this 29th day of January, 1958.
ELIZA ANN ARMSTRONG,
Executor, by her Solicitors
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THE Anglican Parish St. George's

**SEPTUAGESIMA
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2**

8.00 a.m.—No Service
9.45 a.m.—Church School, Sr. Dept., age 9-17 yrs.
11.00 a.m.—Church School, Jr. Dept., (Infants 8 yrs.)
11.00 a.m.—Holy Communion
Nursery Care: Infants
4.00 p.m.—Holy Baptism
7.00 p.m.—Evensong

Thursday, February 6
10.00 a.m.—Holy Communion
Intercession (Prayers for the sick)

St. Alban's GLEN WILLIAMS

8.00 a.m.—Holy Communion (Corporate for Men's BAC)
9.30 a.m.—Matins
10.45 a.m.—Church School