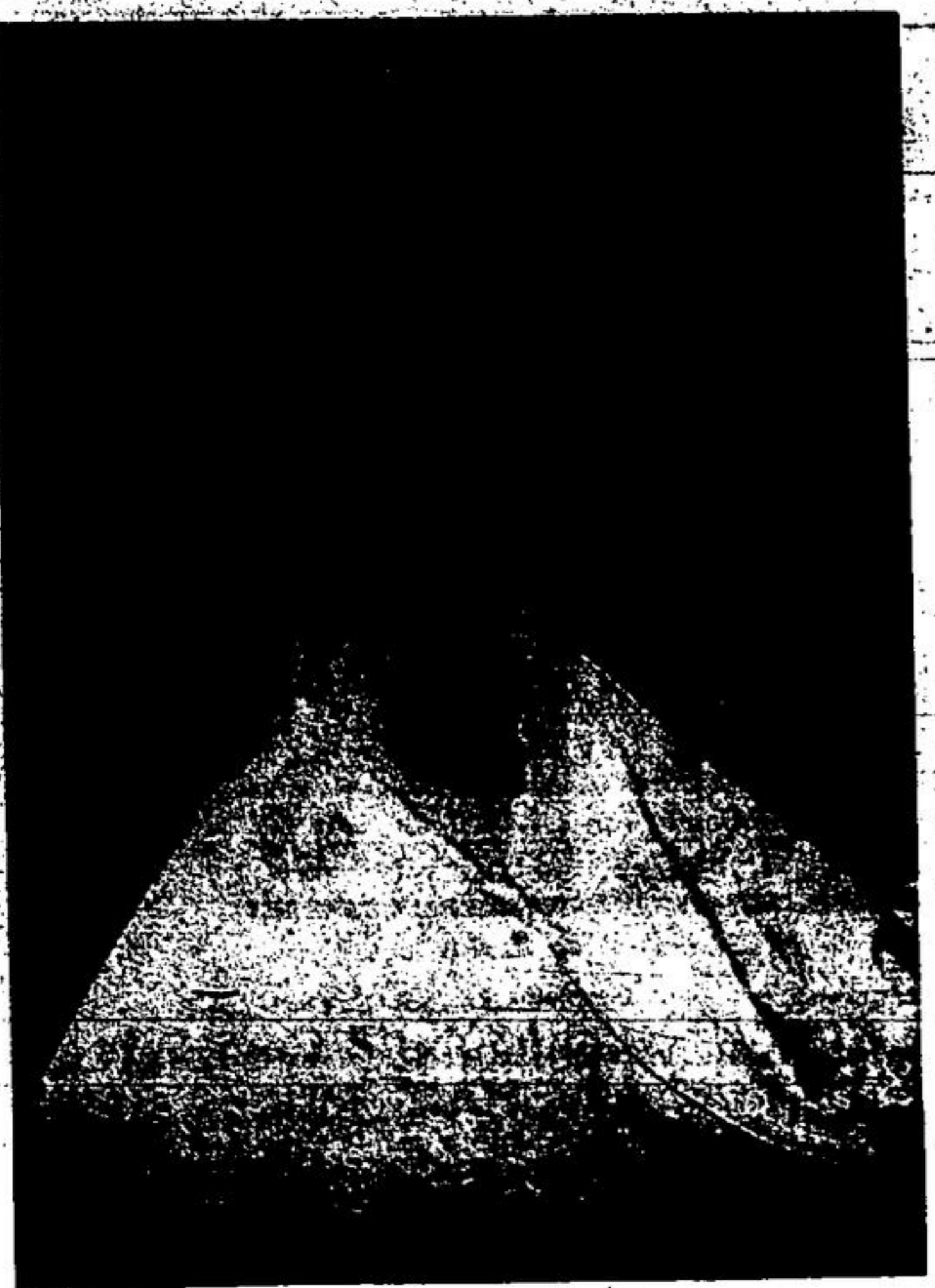


First War Vet Was Stonecutter

After a long illness John G. McQuarrie died in Sunnybrook Hospital on Wednesday, February 12th, 1963 in his 81st year. He was born in Canoe Cove, P.E.I. where he lived until he joined the 5th C.M.R.'s during the First World War. He came to the Georgetown district in 1919 and has lived here ever since. A stonecutter by trade he worked at his trade in various quarries and brickyards in the district.

In 1925 he married Eva Hills in Georgetown, who with their children Bruce, Eileen (Mrs. G. Fudge) Ingleswood, Nadine, (Mrs. Roy Bradley) Stewarttown, Margaret, Jack, Donna (Mrs. D. Smith) Erin and Gloria, all survive him. Eleven grandchildren also survive, and one brother Henry B. of South Port, Conn., and a sister Miss Mary Jane McQuarrie of Charlottetown, P.E.I.

The Canadian Legion, Branch 120, of which Mr. McQuarrie was a member, held a service at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home, 34 Edith Street, Georgetown, on Saturday, February 15th at one o'clock followed by the funeral service conducted by Rev. Morgan McFarlane at two o'clock. Pallbearers were Robert Rayner, Philip Carney, Percy Dillon, Nick Brown, William Gibbs and Alf Sykes. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.



—Gordon Campbell, Brampton

LEAVING KNOX PRESBYTERIAN Church following their wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ewen pose for their picture on the church steps. Mrs. Ewen is the former Annie Marie Spitzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Spitzer, 3 Margaret St. Her husband operates a mink ranch at Norval.

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(Continued from Page 1) erment there had accomplished in such a very short time, and predicted a great new future for this country, when the PCs were returned on March 31st, with a greatly increased majority. Mr. Hall was thanked by Mr. Elliott for his fine address.

As there was only one nomination, that of Sandy Best, the mover, Mr. J. Timmerman, Burlington, and second George Cleave, were called on.

Mr. Timmerman spoke at some length of parliament, last session, as he had seen it on a visit to Ottawa in its final days. He spoke of the high respect and admiration shown Halton's young member by all the members of the House, and of the outstanding contributions he had made to the House through his speeches.

He was followed in speaking by Mr. George Cleave, long-time Esqueving farmer and former warden of Halton, who said he was honoured to second Sandy's nomination, and said that in the future Canada would hear great things from that young man. He brought down the house when he brought up the subject of Lester Pearson asking the Conservatives to stand aside and let him form a government. Mr. Cleave said he could understand Mr. Pearson's desire for this, because he knew that would be the only way he or the Liberal party would form a government!

Sandy Best then spoke at some length, thanking those who sponsored his nomination and thanking everyone for their support. He spoke of what had taken place and of his thoughts on the campaign to come. He said that with the support of the group there, and the many thousands of other workers throughout the county, he felt confident of victory, but emphasized the need for everyone to lend a hand. Mr. Best told of the work of the past parliament, and of the event leading up to dissolution. He said that he hoped to see as many of the people of the county as he could, and that he was very appreciative of so many being at this meeting.

Mr. Clark then introduced John Pallett, from Peel county, another young MP who had made a great mark in parliament. Mr. Pallett then spoke at some length, dealing particularly with some aspects of the Liberal statements about their leader. He pointed out that Mr. Diefenbaker had been a recognized expert on foreign affairs for many years, and indeed had been the outstanding representative at the U.N.'s formation at San Francisco, while Mr. Pearson was still a relatively unknown civil servant. He predicted a great future for Sandy, and said he hoped to see him returned with a majority of at least 15,000 this time, and with the enthusiasm and numbers of this convention that should prove an easy mark. He urged everyone to get out and work until election day.

Mr. Pallett was thanked by the president, who in humorous allusion to the fact that Peel Liberals had failed to find anyone to oppose Mr. Pallett at the Liberal nomination meeting, said that he felt that Halton was assured of that 15,000, and that he was sure Peel would give him 15,000 too, that is, if the opposition found anyone to run against him!

As no further business was forthcoming, Mr. Clark called for motion of adjournment, and the meeting ended with lunch and a get-together, with Mr. Pallett, Mr. Best and Mr. Hall moving around in the crowd, renewing old friendships and meeting the many new faces.

Combines Smith & Stone Look Like Hockey Tops

Smith & Stone will just need a tie next week to advance into the final round of the Industrial League playoffs against the winner of the Combine-Provincial series after grabbing off their second win against the Toronto Metros on Sunday by a lop-sided 5 to 1 count. The two teams tied in the opener.

The game was won in the second period as Jim Beckett carried the S & Sers beyond the reach of the desperate Toronto club by notching two goals and assisting on a third. Jarvie from George Webster was the combination that first put S & S on the score sheet. Bobby Hall from Beckett, Beckett from George-Hall and Beckett all alone accounted for the four second period tallies.

Jarvie added another in the third period from George Webster and George Hall. Kostyluk averted a shutout when he guided a shot by Maxie past Gordie King near the end of the stanza. In the first game of the afternoon the Combines took full advantage of their three complete lines to keep Provincial off balance and roll up a 6-2 win over the Provincial Mill. The victory gave the Combines a 2-1 edge in games and was convincing enough to set them up as favourites to take all the marbles next Sunday when they continue their 3 out of 5 series.

There was no scoring in the first period. Clare Burns, Mike George, Doug Tucker and Ron Ritchie hammered dents in Maltby's armour in the second while Paul Barber tallied for the coaters.

In the final frame Combines continued to pull away, Mike George got his second marker from Baxter and Ritchie and Bob Ezard rapped in a centering pass from Doug Tucker. Provincial had the last word when George Barber out-guessed Pick Dillon late in the game. Ted Fenning got the assist.

With Toronto and Provincial hanging on the ropes, next Sunday may be the last chance to see all four teams in action. Smith & Stone goes against Toronto in the first game at 2:15, Combines and Provincial clash in the wind-up.

ASHGROVE

MRS. WICKSON HOSTESS FOR MISSION MEETING

The WMS meeting was held on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 11th at the beautiful new home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wickson with president Mrs. Thomas Blackett presiding and opening the meeting with a short poem "Does Your Light Shine?" also a hymn and a prayer. Roll call was answered with a verse about Paul. Some thoughts on Citizenship were given by Mrs. Thomas Giffen. Considerable business was dealt with and delegates were appointed to attend the Presbyterian in Oakville on the nineteenth of February. Mrs. John Ruddell had charge of the Devotional. Theme was "Looking to Christ and Not to Ourselves" with Scripture reading from Philippians by Mrs. Arthur Ruddell. Study Chapter was taken by Mrs. Clayton Wilson on the fifth program, Conversations on Japan which stressed Youth in the News and told how Japan is still not free of tragedy and hardship and these strike deeply into the lives of young people. She was assisted by Mrs. J. H. Hunter.

Missionary prayer was given by Mrs. George Nurse and Mrs. Frank Ruddell thanked the hostess for the use of her lovely home and all who had taken part in the meeting. A social hour followed.

TEN TABLES PLAY AT LEGION W.A. EUCHRE

Legion W.A. held a euchre at the Legion Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 11th with ten tables in play.

Carrying prizes were won by Mrs. Bob Bonfield, 145 Main St. N. and Mrs. Milton Harker, 16 Arletta St. Mrs. Bonfield also won first prize in the euchre with Mrs. Albert Henney, Normandy Boulevard; second, Mrs. A. Hutchinson 3rd, and Mrs. Waldie, McNab St. 4th.

Low scores were won by Mrs. Clare Wilson, R.R. 1 and Mrs. Clifford Stacey, 8 Draper St. and the door prize by Mrs. Fred McCartney, 60 John St. E.

A lunch was served after the euchre by members of the executive.

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of parliament in not bringing down a budget and of reckless spending of the taxpayers money in order to fulfil election promises. "It is of no interest to the taxpayer if the budget is hidden under finance minister Fleming's bed," said Mr. Dick.

He said Lester Pearson offered a program to Canadians that could solve the unemployment situation in a hurry. He would reduce income taxes by 25% immediately, allow exemptions to newly married couples for a period of three years and cut sales tax on automobiles which would give the economy and the car business a shot in the arm.

Mr. Dick said that in accepting the nomination he felt sure that Halton county would want to be on the side of the government, and that there was little doubt but what Mike Pearson would be Canada's next prime minister after March 31st.

Three other names were placed in nomination, those of Lester Whiting, Oakville, Maurice Manderson, Georgetown lawyer, and Wessel Gail, Burlington lawyer. Each of the nominees addressed the gathering, and all declined in favour of Mr. Dick who they said was far more fitted to represent Halton county.

In declining his nomination Mr. Whiting spoke of the valuable service Ken Dick had rendered to Halton, as reeve of Milton, warden of the county, his work with Halton Centennial Manor, and as an army captain in the war. He hoped that every voter in the county would on March 31st give him the honour he deserved and elect him to Ottawa along with Lester Pearson.

Mr. Whiting said he was also declining the nomination to offer his services to Mr. Dick as campaign manager, and that he would work untiringly towards his election.

Mr. Manderson said that while declining the nomination at this time he would sometime in the future like to represent the Liberal party in Halton. He spoke at some length on the policies of the Liberal party in this election and gave some sound reasons why electors should go out and vote Liberal on March 31st. He offered his co-operation to the candidate.

Hughes Cleaver, Liberal member for Halton for sixteen years, criticized the Conservative propaganda in the last election and quipped that a circular showing Sandy Best talking to a Halton farmer was no less than his own hired man.

Pete Waters of Oakville acted as general chairman of the meeting, and Edwin Harrop of Hornby followed the nominations.

Following the meeting coffee and doughnuts were served.

JIM ALCORN (left) now manager of the Bank of Commerce branch at Flesherton, was presented with a gift from the Chamber of Commerce by president Harold Bairstow at an evening in his honour at North Halton Golf Club before he left town. A large group of friends who attended the party also presented him with a handsome chair as a token of regard. Pictured in the background, left to right, are Don Barrager, who was chairman for the evening, Joseph Gibbons, Harold McClure, who made the chair presentation, George C. Hewson (behind Mr. Bairstow's outstretched arm) and Irwin Noble.

Fred Helson, Georgetown

Jim Carney Will Head Cancer Campaign Here

At the monthly meeting of North Halton Unit of the Canadian Cancer Society, held February 13th in Georgetown, the service committee reported that 250 dressings had been distributed to four patients. Further transportation funds have been provided for three patients to travel to the clinic at Toronto, also.

Campaign chairman Ernie Alcott now has chairmen in each of the three towns. The latest to volunteer is Ted Tyler, former Acton mayor. Jim Carney will chair the Georgetown area, and Glynn Roberts the Milton district.

Monday evening, the Women's Service Committee, made up of ladies from Georgetown, Milton and Acton met in the new store-room in Milton town hall to replenish their supply of dressings. Mrs. G. E. Thompson presided as chairman and three ladies from town were present, Mrs. Frank Pearson, Mrs. K. Rundle and Mrs. Ernie Rundle.

Last night, movies of the work of the society were shown to ladies of the Catholic Women's League in Holy Cross parish hall here.

The unit has received two fine work tables from Georgetown Lions Club and they are now located in the Milton workroom. They received their first use on Monday and it is expected there will be much further use for them. The Lions received a generous assist from the local Beaver Lumber Co. and Mino Millwork in providing the tables.

ATTENDS TORONTO CLEANING CONVENTION

Don Barrager, owner of Barrager Cleaners and Dyers, Main St. South, attended the Dry Cleaners Institute of Ontario convention held in the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

The convention was divided into several groups for discussions. Mr. Barrager took part in groups discussing cleaning techniques, consumer public relations and what the consumer wants and expects from his dry cleaner. Mr. Haskell of the Better Business Bureau led the discussion of the latter group.

CARS COLLIDE SUNDAY EAST HIGHWAY ENTRANCE

Damage to a 1963 Meteor driven by Richard Kinnerly of R. R. 1 Todmorden was estimated at \$300 following an accident on No. 7 Highway at the eastern entrance of town last Sunday afternoon. Neither Mr. Kinnerly nor the driver of the other car Eric Bell of 17 Sunny Slope, Highland Creek, was injured in the mishap. There was no damage to the Bell car, a '55 Ford.

Cst. Nels Trafford investigated the accident which occurred at about 4:50 p.m.

At 12:30 Sunday morning Cpl. Jim Bilsborrow investigated a collision at the corner of John and McNab Sts. involving a 1950 Pontiac driven by Edward Kirby of Esqueving township and a '57 GMC truck driven by John Byers of R.R. 1 Malton.

Damage in this one was slight totalling approximately \$145.

PAUL BARBER PRESIDENT OF ST. GEORGE'S CHOIR

Paul Barber, 1 William St., was chosen president of St. George's choir when members held their annual meeting in the form of a dinner last week in the parish hall. The Daughters of St. George's served a turkey dinner for the evening which also included movies, games and dancing.

J. L. Lambert, choir director and president of the choir last year, was dinner chairman and head table guests included Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dawson, Mrs. W. F. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warnes. Mr. Warnes presented a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Bradley as a token of appreciation for her work as organist and the chairman also expressed thanks to Mr. Warnes and Mrs. Dawson for their direction of the junior choirs. A vote of thanks to the ladies catering was made by Fred Helson. During dinner, recordings of organ recitals which introduced the new organ in the church last summer were played.

Carolyn Biehn, 26 Queen St., was elected secretary-treasurer, and Margaret Eason, 19 Byron St., Judy Bonath, 57 Charles St., Pamela Turnbull, 64 Main St. N. and Christine Marshment, 23 Hale Dr. librarians. Mrs. Thomas Parry, 177 Main St. N. will serve as gown matron.

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