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FARM NEWS

Re-Elect Leonard Lister as President Halton Plowmen

"Our educational philosophy" was the theme of the thought-provoking address by George Elliott, Q.C., of Milton, at the dinner and annual meeting of the Halton Plowmen and their ladies, held in the Hornby United Church, on Friday, December 12th. Introduced by Clebert McDowell, Mr. Elliott delivered what many of those present considered to be the best effort of the many outstanding addresses for which he is noted throughout Halton.

Another pleasing feature of the programme presided over by Leonard Lister, president of the Halton Plowmen, was a moving picture travelogue of Western Canada and the United States, presented by Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Downs, of Hornby.

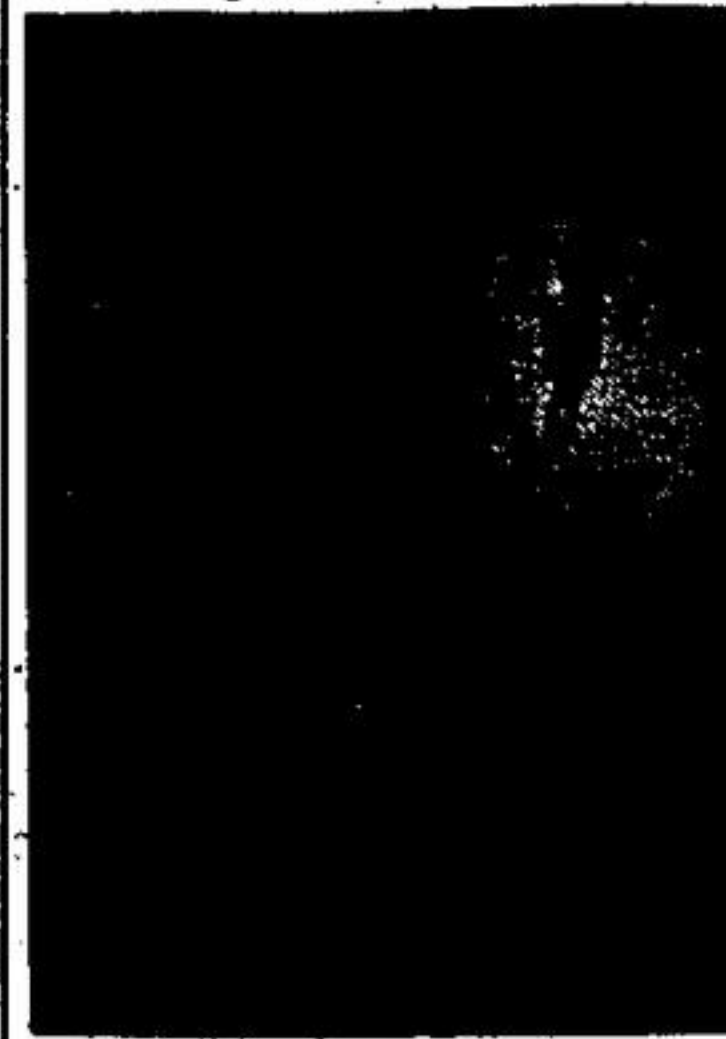
At the annual meeting which followed the banquet, catered by the Hornby W.A., a resolution was endorsed recommending that the 1959 Plowmen's directorate give consideration to the revamping of their prize list and general programme with a view to bringing them more closely in line with present day agriculture.

The election of the 1959 board resulted as follows: Hon. President, Stanley L. Hall, MPP; President, Leonard Lister; Vice Presidents: Clebert McDowell and J. H. Taylor; Secretary Treasurer, J. Allen Francis.

Directors: Esquering, Roy Currie, J. C. Cunningham, Stanley May, Clifford Wrigglesworth, Lloyd Fisher, Wyn Brad, Geo. Dixon, Trafalgar, J. C. Marshall, John W. Pickett, Lloyd May, Thos. Howden, Arnold Howden, Keith Merry, Geo. Hall, Burlington; Roy Ellenton, Glen Campbell, J. E. Ellenton, Erwin Gurfy, Hugh Warmington, Fred Agnew, Don Taylor, Nassa, Gaway: Harold Ferguson, Ross Gordon, Robt. Hurren, Geo. Swann, Sam Finnie Sr., Jack Ferguson.

Honorary Directors: W. E. Breckon, Ernest Irvine, Harold Pickett, V. E. McArthur, J. A. Dixon, Victor Hall, George Readhead, J. Spencer Wilson, W. J. Robertson, J. A. Elliott, C. F. Pickett, Ross Segsworth, W. H. Robinson.

Appoint Brampton Man To Hospital Commission



Mr. C. V. Charters of Brampton, well known figure in the printing and publishing industries and long associated with the hospital field, has been appointed by the provincial government as the seventh member of the Ontario Hospital Services Commission.

The new Commissioner is now chairman of the Board of Charters Publishing Company Ltd., having been its president from 1943 to 1958. Mr. Charters is the former publisher of Brampton's weekly newspaper the "Conservator" and was managing director of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association from 1935 to 1946.

For 20 years, Mr. Charters was a member of the Board of the Peel Memorial Hospital and was the board's president in 1955-56. He also has been a member of the Ontario Hospital Association's board of directors from 1951 and was president of the association in the year 1956-1957. Other activities included membership in the Brampton Lions Club, of which he was past president, and in the Brampton Chamber of Commerce of which he is a former secretary. Mr. Charters is an Anglican and a member of the executive committee of the Toronto Diocesan synod.

Farm Forum Majority Would Accept The Average Cost Figure

On the first of December, 400 of Canada's Farm Forums met to discuss the third National Topic: the Cost of Production. 4352 members attended the meetings.

84 per cent of the forums, or 341, agreed that they would be prepared to accept an average Cost of Production as set by some national body, instead of their own Cost of Production. Only 27 groups or 7 per cent felt that the standard cost would be unfair to the small producer.

The 341 forums who would accept a standard cost of production had differing ideas on the body who should establish this cost. 43 Forums or 34 per cent, would like to see farm organizations establish the figure. 78 Forums or 29 per cent feel that a Board of Arbitration could do a better job for both the farmer and the consumer. 52 groups of 13 per cent want to see the government, farm organizations and co-ops represented on the board which decides on a suitable cost of production. Finally, 37 forums or about 9 per cent favour government and farm organizations working together, if such a Cost of Production is to be set for all farmers.

A few groups expressed feeling that no fixed cost of production should be established. They suggested instead, that low floor prices be continued, that controlled production be considered and that cooperative farming be undertaken.

The consensus of opinion appears to be... Canada's forum would accept a cost of production figure if it was set by an impartial board, on which their organizations were represented along with the government and the Co-ops.

NO INJURIES IN TWO ACCIDENTS

A 1951 Pontiac coach driven by Mrs. Thomas Gadd, 3 Durham St., suffered approximately \$150 damage when it struck a tree at the corner of Queen and McNab Streets on Monday, December 22nd.

Mrs. Gadd was driving south on Queen and attempting to make a left turn onto McNab when the car skidded on the hard packed surface into the tree. Mrs. Gadd escaped injury in the smash which occurred at about 12:05 p.m. and was investigated by Cpl. Jim Bilbrow.

On Saturday at 1:10 a.m. a Direct Winters Transport tractor trailer was in collision with a car driven by Douglas Mitchell of 5 Arletta St. at the intersection of No. 7 Highway and the eighth line resulting in estimated total damage of \$650. The transport was driven by Jeffery Dickson, 6 Balsam Dr., Guelph and neither driver was injured.

THE MAIL BAG

Cancer Unit Says Thanks For Assistance in Work

Dear Mr. Editor:

Milton, Ontario
December 20, 1958

The Women's Service Committee of North Halton Cancer Unit is very grateful to the town council of Milton for giving us the use of this room for the making and storing of dressings. Since the room was freshly decorated it has been a pleasant convenient place to work. Our most urgent need at the moment is more cupboard space for the storing of dressings.

During the year, 14 sessions for the makings of dressings were held, with an average attendance of 16 volunteers. 2450 dressings of various sizes and 1850 dressings supplied to patients.

In one instance, home service was temporarily supplied until other arrangements could be made by the family, or through a service club.

In October two members of the service committee attended the annual conference in Toronto for two days, and three more members attended sessions for one day. Attending this conference was a privilege and an education, the highlight being the tour of the Princess Margaret Hospital. About 300 delegates were present representing every Cancer Unit in Ontario. It is hoped that next year many of our members will be able to attend the conference.

At this time we would like to extend to the many volunteer workers from the Women's Institutes, IOE Chapters, Business Women's Club, Mr. and Mrs. Club, as well as individual volunteers from the Georgetown, Acton and Milton areas, our sincere thanks for their faithful attendance at work meetings. I would like particularly to mention conveners Mrs. F. W. McMaster, Mrs. C. G. Wilson, and Mrs. C. B. Knight, Milton, Mrs. Rae West, Acton, and Mrs. Ernest Alcott, Georgetown, for all they have done toward the success of this very worthwhile project, and without whose interest and assistance the present organization would not have been possible. Two groups of volunteers have been formed. One group, under the convener Mrs. F. W. McMaster and Mrs. Thompson, meets on the first Monday of the month, and another group, convener Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Knight, meets on the 3rd Monday. We have also had the cooperation of the Halton County Health Unit, and we are most grateful for their assistance.

There is genuine enthusiasm among the volunteers, and if the need for dressings and other services continues to grow, the committee is well organized to take care of any demand.

Respectfully submitted,
Kathleen M. Thompson,
Chairman, Women's Service Committee

Most local residents had a long holiday week-end, with many plants arranging extra days off by working Saturdays beforehand to make up the extra time.

New Year's Greetings

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