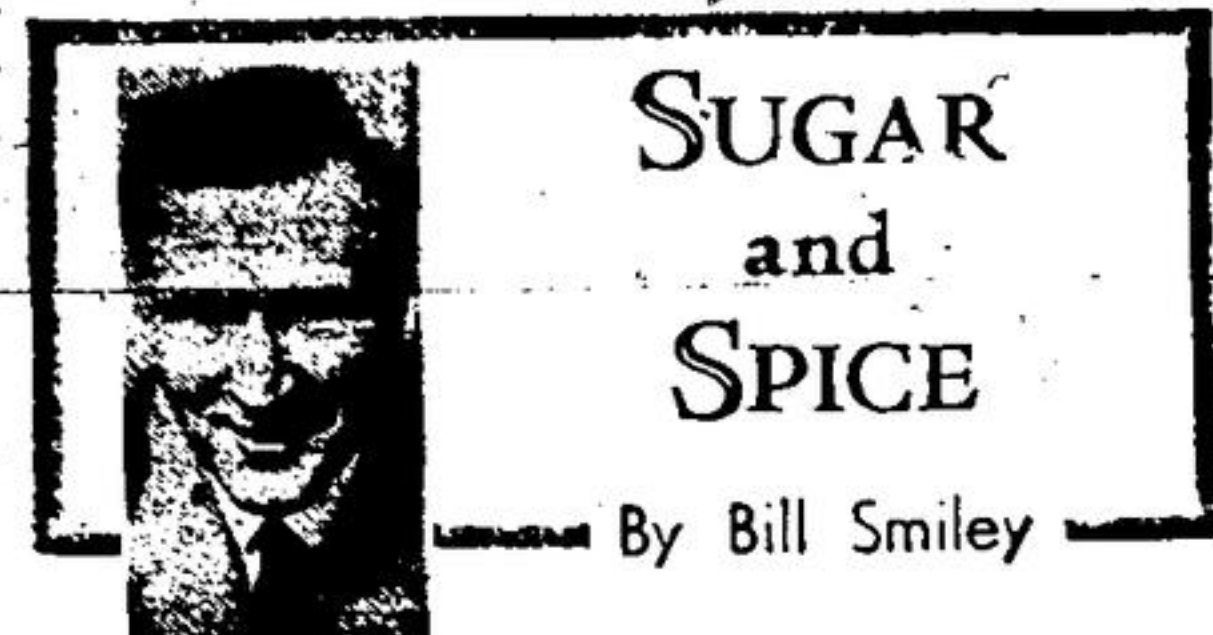


NEW CITIZENS



N. BOMHOLT C. BYDEVAATE

TWO OF MANY Halton residents who received their Canadian citizenship certificates on August 31st at Milton were Niels Bomholt, R R T, and Cornelius Johannes Bydevaate, 30 John St. E. The ceremony, before Judge W. Cory, also included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wiener, 10 Prince Charles Drive, and Egbert Schipper of Glen Williams.



SUGAR and SPICE

By Bill Smiley

Remember, a couple of weeks ago, I was telling what a wicked place the City had become! And of the dreadful pitfalls into which a steady, reliable chap from a small town can stumble, particularly if he's at the dangerous age? I promised to continue the confession of my wild adventures that night, in the next week's column, but couldn't bring myself to do it.

After serious thought, however, I've decided it's my duty to reveal the perils and the purities that exist, in the hope that you may be saved, should your foot slip from the paths of righteousness, as mine did.

You'll remember that, torn by what strange and wayward desires, I had already been clipped at a honky-tonk piano joint. And then been shorn at one of those wicked foreign movies in which the actors seem to think sex is funny, not sinful, as we all know it is.

Well, I escaped from there, and had determined to go straight to my room and read a pamphlet called The Teachers Supernatural Act, in an attempt to pull myself together.

But I fell. It was a warm, seductive, summer night, remember. Just as I walked past this narrow old house, it happened. The door was open, young people laughed and talked in the dimly lighted hall, and from the depths of the house, faintly, came a sweet song and the rinks of a guitar.

I couldn't help it. I turned and walked straight in. I must have thought I was in another incarnation, as a sailor on a street in Marseilles or Shanghai, rather than a staid thoroughfare in what was not long ago the dulllest city in Christendom.

A darkly handsome young fellow barred my way and asked me, pleasantly enough, if I was a member. When I shook my head, mouth open, he suggested I might like to join. It could have been the Foreign Legion, for all I cared. Forking over the modest fee, I almost knocked him down as I hastened through the door, anticipating mystic rites, cabalistic ceremonies, exotic dancing girls, and if necessary, a pipe or two of opium.

It was dark inside. On a small, lighted platform in the middle of the room, in the centre of the gloom, stood a very pretty girl, with deep red hair and white skin, and white teeth that gleamed as she sang.

Sad songs and love songs and old songs and funny songs she sang, picking them out as daintily and strongly as she picked out the accompaniment on her guitar. And that was my introduction to The Purple Onion, and the world of folk music, blues and jazz that comes to life in the City when everything else is going to sleep.

On the surface, these clubs—there are half a dozen of them in the City now—look like dens of iniquity. They are shabby, dimly lit. There is exciting music, and in some, home-made poetry. They are full of kids in their early twenties. The atmosphere is intimate. They stay open late, late.

And yet, it's a curiously innocent world. Let's take a look at The Purple Onion, first the audience. Here, three pretty Japanese girls listen intently. Over there, five young fellows heckle the singer good naturedly, between songs. Near them, two young married couples sup-

Inter Mother's Ashes in Scotland

Mrs. E. McLean TR. 7-3182

We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jarvie and family on the death of Mr. Jarvie's mother, Mrs. Mathew Jarvie, in Guelph General Hospital on Monday, August 28th. The funeral was held in Toronto on Thursday afternoon, August 31. Following cremation the ashes will be interred in Scotland, Mrs. Jarvie's native land.

As a result of a fall from an apple tree, John Venema son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Venema, Norval Barber Shop, spent four days in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton with a broken wrist. John will be starting Grade 4 with his arm in a cast but he will get along all right as it is the left arm. Tough luck John.

Miss Dawn DeEll returned home to Winnipeg by plane from Malton airport on Wed. August 30 after spending a few weeks visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Louth.

Miss Mary Fricker of Georgetown spent a few days visiting with her friend Miss Diane Fendley.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gollop spent their holidays at a cottage at Kingston. Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mrs. Gollop's sister, spent a week in Guelph with her son and family and two weeks in Hamilton visiting her daughter and family.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bianchi on the birth of a baby daughter on Thursday, August 24 in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton. A little sister for Gary and David.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith entertained the wedding party of Miss Elsie Donaldson and their son Donald at their home following the wedding rehearsal on Thursday evening, August 31.

After the holidays and before school begins seems to be a popular time for moving. We welcome to the village Mr. and Mrs. Barry Timleck from Georgetown who have moved into Miss McBride's cottage at the end of Draper St.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Graham and baby Donald have moved from Arnprior to Guelph where Mr. Graham has accepted a position as teacher at the John Ross High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schenk and family, have moved from White River, in northern Ontario and are temporarily living at Cheltenham. Mrs. Schenk is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Carney. Mr. Schenk has a position in Toronto with the Ontario Water Resources Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dunlop and three children of Port Credit have moved to Georgetown where Mrs. Dunlop is on the staff of Harrison Public School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Laird.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Maxwell and girls have moved into the lovely new rectory beside the Anglican church at Hornby. They will be missed by their many friends in the village and we hope they will return to their cottage for holidays quite often.

FARM NEWS

Attends Leadership Camp in Michigan

by J. A. F.

Sandy Hepburn, of Campbellville R R 2, represented the Ontario 4H Agricultural Club members, at the American Foundation Leadership Training Camp in 1961. Sandy was awarded the Wm. H. Danforth scholarship, allowing him to attend the camp held during August this year. The American Youth Foundation Camp is held at Stony Lake, Oceana County, Michigan, U.S.A.

The Camp was composed of one representative from each State in the U.S., and one from Ontario. The basis of awards includes athletic activities, scholarship standing, leadership in 4H club work, and character. The curriculum was composed of courses in Christian ideals, personal foundations, personal enrichment, leadership, principles and leadership practices.

A comprehensive program with group social and recreational activities was also included in the camp schedule.

Sandy Hepburn's selection is the result of his over all participation in 4-H club work in Halton county.

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BUILDING SAND
ROAD GRAVEL
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INFORMATION about the ONTARIO RETAIL SALES TAX

The following basic information about the 3% Retail Sales Tax, that went into effect September 1st, will be of interest to every resident of Ontario.

Why the Sales Tax was introduced

Ontario is experiencing the most dynamic growth in its history.

As a result, the demands on the provincial treasury continue to grow at an unprecedented rate. For example, during the next five years we must build the equivalent of one thousand schools large enough for 500 pupils each. This means that provincial grants to schools must be greatly increased in the years immediately ahead, or municipalities will be faced with crippling mill rates to provide basic educational facilities. Hospitals, highways and other public works must also be greatly expanded to meet the needs of our rapidly increasing population.

Your Province must increase its revenues by about \$150 million annually to pay for these vital projects.

After considering every method available to the Province, of raising money, your representatives at Queen's Park decided that our vast financial needs could not be met out of present sources of revenue. It was agreed that The Retail Sales Tax Act was the fairest and most practical way for residents of Ontario to contribute to the cost of their schools, hospitals and other essential services.

Before drawing up the Ontario Retail Sales Tax Act, your government closely studied the retail sales taxes of seven other Canadian provinces and many states of the U.S.A. The Ontario Retail Sales Tax Act has the broadest exemptions of any of these retail sales taxes. Only two other provinces have a tax rate as low as Ontario.

Collection of Tax

Those who regularly sell goods as a normal part of their business must apply to be registered as vendors. Those who have applied are now receiving their permits.

They will collect 3% tax on the price of goods sold to the ultimate consumer. The tax will be collected only once. Thus, a registered wholesaler will purchase goods for resale tax free from the manufacturer. He in turn will sell to the retailer on a tax free basis. Then the retailer will collect the tax when he sells to the consumer.

Homes Not Taxable

Houses and other buildings are real property and are not subject to tax under this Act. The building contractor pays tax on materials incorporated into the home or other structure but no tax is payable on the labour that constitutes a large part of the total price of a home.

If furnishings such as draperies, stoves and refrigerators are sold with a home, tax is payable on the fair value of such furnishings.

Services Not Taxable

Only items of merchandise that are moveable, and telephone services, except long distance calls, are subject to the tax. Those persons selling "services," such as barbers, beauty shops, laundrers and dry cleaners, do not collect tax, but must pay tax on the materials they use in supplying their service. However, if a repair service includes substantial quantities of parts or material, the entire bill will be taxable unless the materials are shown as a separate charge from the labour.

Casual Sales

When an individual sells goods privately, the transaction is a "casual" sale. In such cases the purchaser and not the seller of taxable goods is responsible to report the purchase and pay the sales tax on the purchase price to the Retail Sales Tax Branch, Office of the Comptroller of Revenue.

Instalment Purchases

Sales tax is due on the total price when the sale is made, even though payments may continue over a long period of time. Finance charges are also taxable unless quoted and itemized separately.

Trade-ins

The actual selling price minus the amount of the trade-in allowance is the amount upon which sales tax is payable.

Farming

Farmers will be exempt from tax on most equipment, on agricultural seeds and feeds, on drugs and medicines for livestock and on many other commodities used directly in the business of farming.

Exports and Imports

Goods exported from Ontario are not taxable since the tax is applicable only to goods used in Ontario. No tax is payable under this Act by manufacturers on goods they purchase for use in the production of goods for sale. Thus, their competitive position in the export market is maintained without change after the introduction of this tax.

Goods imported into Ontario are taxable since they are purchased for use in Ontario. The purchaser of the imported goods is subject to the same tax he would have to pay to an Ontario Vendor if he purchased the goods in Ontario.

Rental of Moveable Property

The person who acquires possession of moveable property by paying a rental price for its use is regarded as a purchaser of such property under the Act and tax is payable by him on the rental price paid.

Registered vendors are receiving special cards that list exempt and taxable goods. Each explains how the Retail Sales Tax applies to each particular type of business. Additional information is available from the District Sales Tax Office serving your community.

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