

# Poem Details Life Of Early Pioneers

Attendees at the recent memorial service for Ballinacree Cemetery, thought a poem read by Mrs. John Snow was particularly fitting for the occasion.

The Herald has been asked to reprint this, and the poem follows:

The wilderness was our abode  
One hundred forty years ago  
And when good meat we  
Wished to eat,  
We shot the buck or doe  
For fish we used the hook and  
line,  
We pounded corn to make it  
fine,  
On Johnny cake we had to  
dine,  
In this new country

Our paths were through the  
winding wood,  
Where oft the savage rood,  
They were not wide, nor scarce  
a guide,  
But all the roads we had  
Our houses they were logs of  
wood,  
Rolled up in squares and caulked  
with mud,  
If the bark was tight the roof  
was good,  
In this new country

With axes good we chopped our  
wood  
For well we all knew how  
We cleared our land with  
hardy hand  
To fit it for the plough  
We sowed our lands with rye  
and wheat  
For strangers and ourselves to  
eat,  
From the maple tree we drew  
our sweet,  
In this new country

Of deer skins we made  
moccasins  
To wear upon our feet,  
For checking shirt we thought  
no hurt  
Good company to keep  
If a visit we would wish to pay,  
On a winter's night or a  
winter's day,  
The oxen drew our ladies  
sleigh,  
In this new country

The Indians oft-times made us  
fear  
That there was danger nigh;  
The shaggy bear was often  
there —  
The pig was in his sty,  
The wolves the children dread,  
And oft our fearful mothers  
said  
"Some beast of prey will take  
our babe,"  
In this new country.

We lived in social harmony —  
We drank the purling stream,  
No priest, no lawyer, doctor  
there —  
Was scarcely ever seen  
Our health, it needed no repair,  
No pious man forgot his prayer  
And who could pay a lawyer  
there  
In this new country.

## Rose Room Dancing Follows Swim Meet

In the final swim meet of the year, held August 22 here in Georgetown, Brampton again emerged the winner with 58 points, Georgetown was second with 43 points, and Orangeville third with 20 points.

Again the Teagons of Georgetown and the Mulhollands of Brampton dominated the event.

Winning up the event and the season was a "dive" in the Rose Room for the swimmers. Winners of the events were:

Boys' back stroke (18 and under): Jim Mulholland B. Frank Brewster G. Joe Dunford B.

Girls' back stroke (18 and under): 49 secs. Claudia Teague G. Rita Mulholland B. Debra Parkin B.

Boys' front crawl (12 and under): 36 secs. B. Langwood B. Mulholland B. C. Young G.

Girls' front crawl (15 and under): 42 secs. R. Mulholland B. J. Teague G. J. Chamberlain G.

Boys' front crawl (12 and under): 47.5 secs. F. King G. S. Connor B. M. Young G. and under: 23.4 secs. C. Teague G. G. Martin B. C. Kelly B.

Girls' Open Marathon: 23.4 secs. R. Mulholland B. C. Teague G. D. East B.

Boys' Breast Stroke (15 and under): 62 secs. J. Mulholland B. A. McMillan B. S. Llewellyn G.

Girls' Front Crawl (18 and under): 53 secs. J. Teague G. G. Martin B. A. Hoore D.

Boys' Front Crawl (18 and under): 1:06 B. Langwood B. Brewster G. B. Brooks B.

Girls' Front Crawl (18 and under): 41.8 secs. R. Mulholland B. C. Sargent G. D. Peol B.

Boys' Back Stroke (15 and under): 47.8 secs. J. Mulholland B. A. McMillan B. S. Llewellyn G. Girls' back stroke (15 and under): 52.6 C. Teague G. J. Kelly B. P. Clark G.

Boys' Breast Stroke (18 and under): 1:13 J. Mulholland B. S. Llewellyn G. J. Dantel B. Girls' breast stroke (18 and under): 57 secs. J. Teague G. R. Mulholland B. M. Bradley G. Boys' Open Marathon: 57.9 J. Mulholland B. B. Langwood B. J. Knight G.

Girls' Open Relay: 6:04 secs.

## Step Nearer for Senior Citizens

In an effort to extend the WICA activities to include the senior citizens of the town, representatives of many local organizations met in the Town Council Chamber Tuesday night to set up a Committee of senior citizens.

After the Senior Citizens Committee was formed they met in the Huttonville side road, between the town and the "Huttonville" and their own activities, but the group will plan and organize "fresh home grown" meetings will stand by prepared vegetables and fruit for sale.

## Pleads County Should Pay School Operating Deficit

A spirited plea for County assistance to schools for Retarded Children was made by North Hutton Association President G. G. Addison at Council last week, on the subject of the three schools in the County.

To ensure the continued operation of the schools the gap still others give nothing but the existing government grants and the total of "massive" grants should be borne left up to the whims of each municipality, according to individual council.

Eventually, the government has promised to provide funds for the complete cost of retarded children, but when Burlington and Oakville "tell us we don't know" commented spokesman G. G. Addison last week. He explained the \$33,000 had to be raised by the local associations who operate the schools and the task was becoming impossible.

We can't take care of the deficit ourselves. The money is not there. We are spending so much money on research and training to take care of these children, pre-school and home care programs which are not being attended by the school, we are being asked to build a new school which was looked after by the Association over \$50,000. The Province contributed a total of \$17,000. He felt the help on a portion of the deficit would be farthest from the finance committee each school crosses municipal for further study.

## Food Prices Effective Aug. 28, 29, 30, 31 We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities



- FOR LABOR DAY HOLIDAY SAVINGS**
- Allen's Drink 3 48 oz. tins 89¢
  - Cohoe Salmon 2 1/2 tins 69¢
  - Bick's Relish 4 12 oz. jars 85¢
  - IGA Coffee Sunny Morn 1 lb. bag 55¢

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FRYING OR ROASTING

# CHICKENS

Average 2 1/2 To 3 Lb.

## 35¢ LB.

- Fresh Chicken Cuts** Legs or Breast 55¢
- Sliced Side Bacon** Royal Guest 1 lb. pkg. 69¢
- Dinner Ham** Male Leaf Smk. Ready to Eat 95¢
- Fraservale Frozen Peas** 2 lb. Poly bag 39¢
- Hospitality Cherry Pie** On Sale Tablette Each 45¢
- WHITE SWAN Toilet Tissue** 2 roll pkgs 45¢
- Charcoal or Briquettes** 10 lb. bag 69¢

- MARIE KEMPTER R R 1, Georgetown**
- NIBLETS Corn Whole Kernel 2 14 oz. tins 35¢
  - BUNS Dempster Wiener or Hamburg 2 pkgs of 8 49¢
  - IGA Cheese Spread 16 oz. jar 53¢
  - POTATO CHIPS 14 oz. box 59¢
  - SALAD DRESSING IGA 37 oz. jar 49¢
  - Mason's Drinks 12 10 oz. tins 89¢
- OR CASE OF 24 51 77

**BANANAS**  
GOLDEN RIPE **10¢ lb.**

No. 1 Grade Thompson Seedless **GRAPES**  
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HALO SHAMPOO 99¢ Special  
NO. 7 CIGARETTES carton of 200

WITH FREE \$4 BONUS TAPE  
CLARK'S BEANS with PORK Two 15 oz. tins

WITH FREE \$2.00 BONUS TAPE  
GOOD LUCK MARGARINE Two 1-lb. pkgs.  
40 Fathom  
FROZEN COD FILLETS 1 lb.  
Tablette COOKED MEATS 6 oz. pkg.  
Mac & Cheese, Pickle and Pimento,  
Chicken or Dutch Leaf  
No. 1 Grade  
ONTARIO NEW POTATOES

**GEORGETOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

# SCHOOL OPENING

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd, 1963**

PUPILS ATTENDING PUBLIC SCHOOL GRADES K.P. - 8 WILL COMMENCE SCHOOL ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3rd at 9 A.M.

Pupils who have not already registered, kindly assemble at 8.30 a.m.

**Debate Subdivision Road Work Deadline**

Mr. L. H. Hutton, Chairman of the Debate Subdivision, has set a deadline for the completion of road work on the Huttonville side road. He stated that the road work must be completed by the end of the month, as the road will be closed for two weeks when the road is repaved.

**Bride, Groom Feted With Several Events**

The wedding of Miss Barbara Land and Mr. John Hutton was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hutton, on Sunday, August 25. The ceremony was officiated by Rev. J. Hutton. The bride was accompanied by her father, and the groom by his mother. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride and groom were feted with several events, including a luncheon and a dance.

# TEEN DANCE

## RE-OPENS

# SUNDAY AFTERNOON

## SEPT. 8th - 2-5 P.M.

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# ADMISSION 50c

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AT THE NORVAL ONT.

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