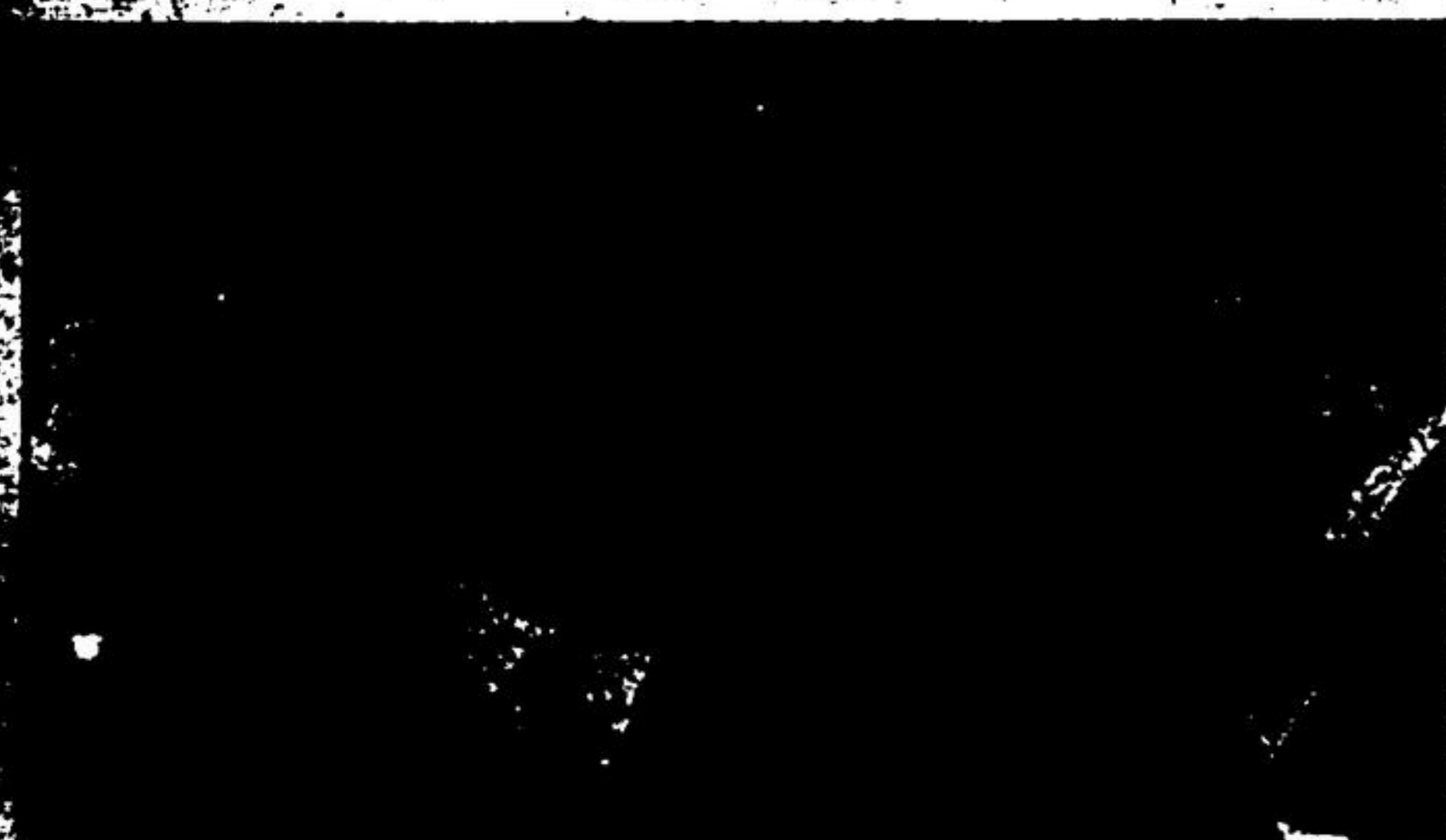
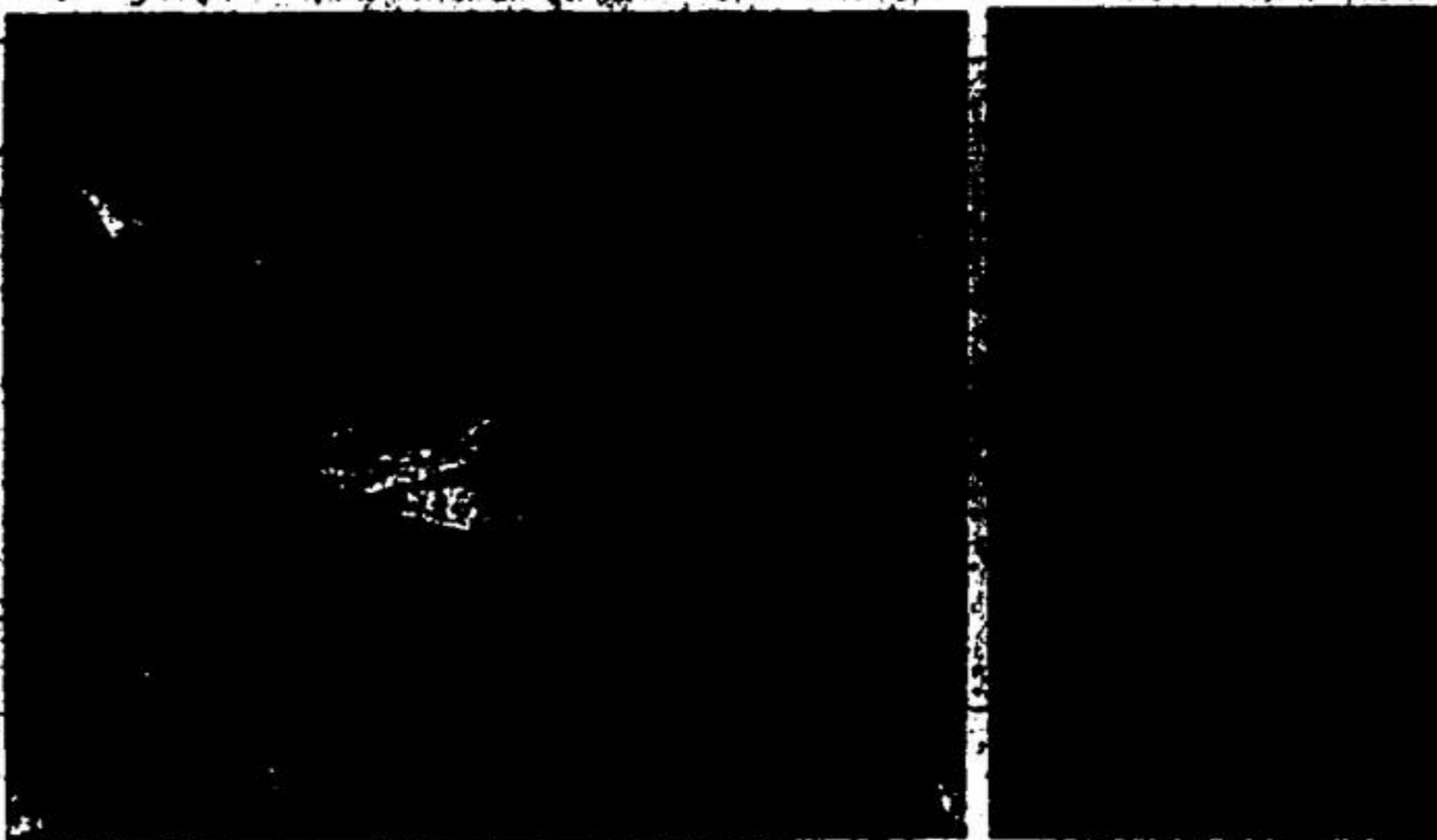


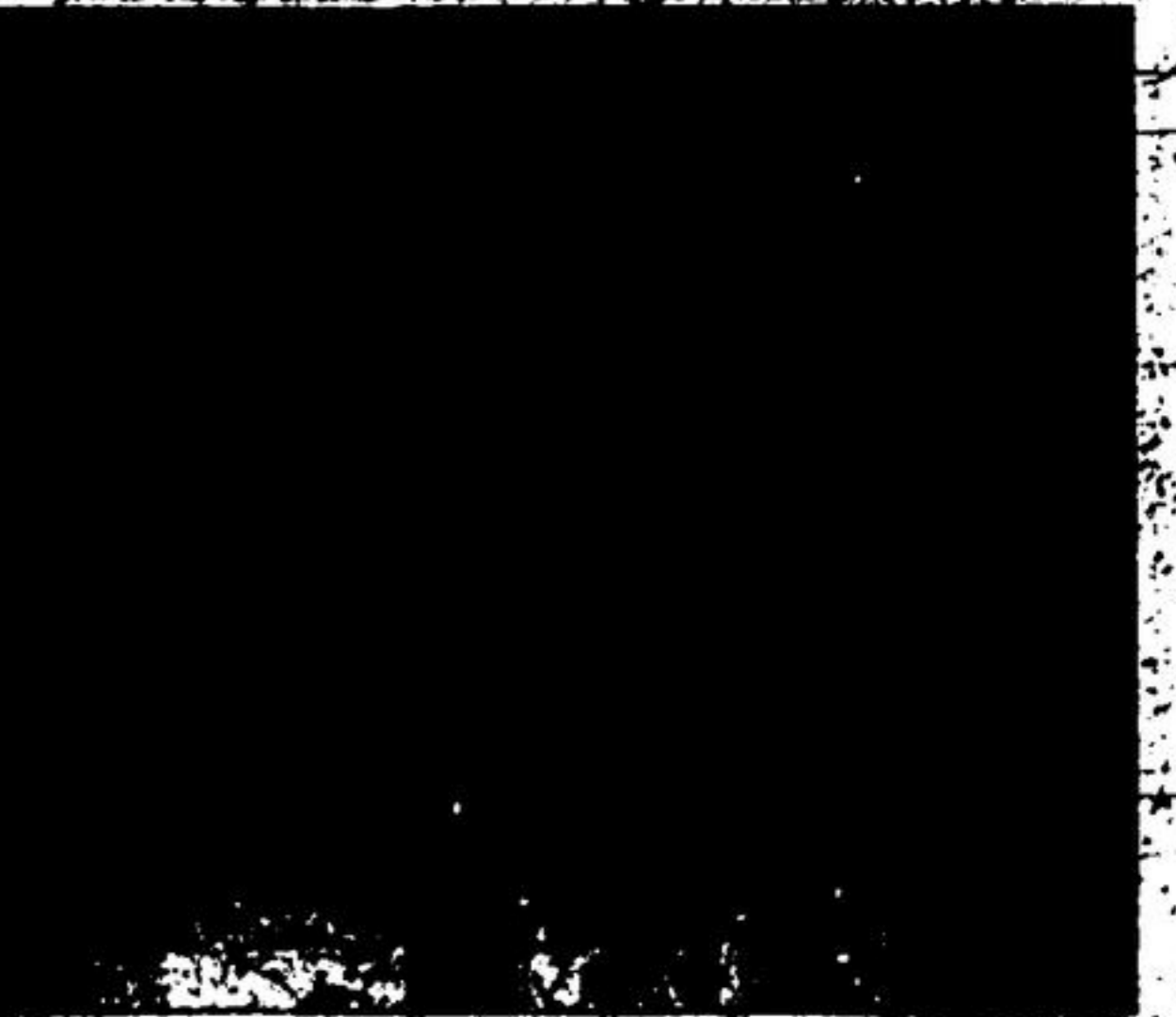
# Halton, Peel, Quebec Students Are MP's For A Day At Model Parliament



FIVE MEMBERS of the 30 member delegation from the Province of Quebec confer before sitting.



SAXE, THE DOMINION Party leader, fires up his cohorts in a party caucus. The National Party formed the government. Ten Georgetown high school students took part, bringing the greatest single contribution to the parliament. In the centre is one of the judges, seven with the opposition and three with the government.



PRIME MINISTER John Saul, of Oakville-Trafalgar, congratulates Georgetown student Stewart Saxe, the leader of the Opposition, on winning the shield awarded the MP making the greatest single contribution to the parliament. In the centre is one of the judges, seven with the opposition and three with the government.

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### Says Industrial Decision Could Mean Large Plant

A week ago Mayor Gibbons hinted to council that there might be pleasing news on Georgetown's industrial horizon. Monday, while still revealing no details, he said there is something in the wind which could mean a million square feet of industrial buildings here. "It will be finalized one way or the other in the next few weeks," he said.

The discussion took place at council appointed the 1945 industrial Commission. This year, the 7-man group contains no councillors as has been past custom. Members are Sam Penrice, Alex Blackwell, Connell Smith, James Linton, William McNally, Malcolm Freeman and Roy Wilson.

"I'm recommending they establish a budget and engage a part-time industrial commission," said Cr. Jim Young.

### Wants Council Appeal Insurance Turn-Down

Insurance claims have become a frequent basis for discussion in council the past year. Several times councillors have expressed dissatisfaction with the number of claims turned down by the firm which has Georgetown's liability insurance.

When news of a turn-down of the injuries sustained by a resident in a fall on a town street was received Monday, Mayor Gibbons suggested an appeal to the insurance firm.

He said Georgetown pays some \$5,000 in premiums and has received only \$800 in paid claims in a year.

Cr. Powers pointed out that liability insurance costs only \$1200.

"I'm talking about the total insurance we pay and the total claims," said the mayor. "I think the business is too good for the company to say they don't want to handle our liability insurance."

Cr. Roy Ballentine said council could consider putting the business up for tender rather than awarding it on a group basis.

"Don't forget that we want to place the business locally and all agents are included in the local association," said Cr. Francis.

Reeve Elliott wondered if the town could handle small claims itself.

The discussion took a political tack when the mayor opined that state insurance might be the only solution.

"Now you're talking," said Cr. Francis, who is a member of a political party which advocates this.

The discussion ended with no course of action being taken by council.

### Armoury Display Showcase For Scout Week Activities

This week belongs to Scout-land and everyone connected with the movement is doing his best to advertise the fact.

Boy Scout week extends from Sunday, Feb. 21 to Sunday, Feb. 28 and in Georgetown no day passes without the local organization founded by Lord Baden Powell making its presence felt.

The week climaxes this Sunday with a church parade and service at Knox Presbyterian Church. Area Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies will attend.

The high point for the general public will be a display and series of demonstrations at the Loree Socks Armoury on Park Ave. lasting from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Sat. A new feature, the display has been named Action '45 and will serve as a showplace and information centre for anyone who wishes to learn more about Scouting. Organizers of course hope the public will take advantage of the opportunity to inspect the displays.

Displays have also been set up in store windows as reminders of this important period in the lives of local boys.

Georgetown Rovers will be living reminders at the Delree plaza Saturday where they will camp and serve coffee.

The following facts and figures offer an idea of the size of the Scout movement in this area:

Month	Max	Min
February	34	7
Wednesday 17	34	7
Thursday 18	37	12
Friday 19	9	1
Saturday 20	31	-4
Sunday 21	39	13
Monday 22	10	-1
Precip. '45 snow		
Max high '39	44	
Min low '4		-10
Alicia F. C. Scott		

### "Little Hut" Tonight Adjudication Follows

Tonight will be an evening full of suspense for the Little Theatre group, who will be presenting their first performance of "The Little Hut" at the Georgetown High School.

Mr. Stanley Richards, New York playwright and Author, will be adjudicating the play, to determine whether or not it should be included among the finalists for the Western Ontario Drama Festival. It is hoped that Mr. Richards will be giving a public adjudication following the performance.

Knowing of the tensions that accompany the entrance into a Festival such as this, it is hoped that there will be a full attendance to help the cast to give of their best for this important event.

Curtain time is at 8:15 prompt, and further performances are on Friday and Saturday.

### OAC Special Week to Update Farm Methods

A very important week for farmers throughout this portion of Ontario is being held from February 22nd to 26th, at the OAC, University of Guelph. Each day has been set aside for a specific topic, with the new trends and up to date information discussed.

Monday is Crops Day; Tuesday is Soils Day; Wednesday Dairy Cattle Day; Thursday Swine Day; and Friday, Beef Cattle Day.

All farmers are invited to attend.

## Strike at Standard Hangs on Vote

**Engage Consultants for Planned Water Tower**

Opposition to a proposed overhead water storage tank, dropped by one Monday when Cr. Jim Young voted in favour of hiring the Proctor & Radford engineering firm as consultants.

Only Mayor Gibbons and Cr. Francis continued their opposition to the \$220,000 proposal, initial stage of which was approved a week ago on Feb. 14.

Cr. Francis said his opposition is partly based on a trust problem in the water supply which should be dealt with first.

Water Chairman Don Powers said there is no reason a solution to rust cannot be sought at the same time. This has also been discussed with the engineers and council will look at an iron removal plant in Richmond Hill.

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Workers will vote first on accepting or rejecting the new contract, and if they give it thumbs down, a second ballot will be taken on strike action.

Local president Gerry Klatt said the special membership meeting has been set for 4:00 o'clock.

International United Auto Workers representative Mr. Lorne Charlack will attend the special meeting. He has headed the Local 876's negotiations since the membership rejected the company's first offer a month ago.

Since that time, Standard management and the negotiating committees have met three times, twice to bargain, and once to discuss the incentive plan.

Rugged obstacle separating management and the Union which the January ratification meeting reflected the company's terms was the proposed three year contract. Wages and fringe benefits as outlined in the contract were also not acceptable to the Local 876 members.

## Saxe Judged Best Contributor To One Day Model Parliament

Stewart Saxe of Georgetown High School won the trophy for the outstanding single contributor to the United Nations Association Model Parliament held Saturday here in the high school.

Judges W. Carr, and F. N. Vickers, resident area inspector, also awarded Central Peel Secondary School the trophy for the outstanding contribution by a school.

For the event the high school auditorium became the House of Commons, with student representatives from Halton, Peel and Quebec province facing each other across the floor, with Prime Minister John Saul of Oakville, heading the government in power. (The National Party) and Stewart Saxe leading the Opposition, (the Dominion Party).

Presiding over the House were Speaker H. Luzzis of Brampton, and Deputy Speaker David Blaney of Georgetown, who were elected when the House convened.

Sergeant-at-Arms Clifford Levy, bearing the mace, preceded Charles Templeton, well known newspaperman, T.V. commentator, and defeated candidate for the Liberal party leadership, in the procession to the "Throne".

Mr. Templeton in a black gown and cocked hat, acted as the Governor-General, reading the Speech from the Throne in both English and French.

In the speech setting out government policy, Mr. Templeton stated, "Although the government recognizes the advantages of the free enterprise system, my ministers feel we can no longer meet the needs of Canada by following a completely laissez-faire approach to our economic problems." An approach which the government felt had helped to widen the gulf between the richer and poorer regions of the country. A major cause of this disparity was attributed by the government to the "alarming and haphazard growth of automation."

As a remedy the government proposed to establish a federal agency to investigate the present situation, and to recommend specific policies to ensure the fulfillment of Canada's economic potential.

Continuing with the Throne Speech, the government advocated measures to promote the teaching of French and English in the elementary schools, as a means of promoting better understanding and mutual respect.

The resolutions arising from the Speech from the Throne, proposed by Prime Minister John Saul read as follows:

We propose to create a national Economic Planning Council to encourage the establishment of industry in depressed areas, and to regulate the growth of automation. These objectives will be accomplished through a series of incentives. This council will concurrently investigate new related employment opportunities.

The second resolution read as follows:

We propose to establish a Dominion-Provincial council, charged with the responsibility of determining and with Parliament's approval implementing measures which will encourage the teaching of both French and English beginning at the Elementary School level. This council is also charged with the responsibility of investigating the practicality of extension of Section 133 of the B.N.A. Act.

The Dominion Party headed by Stewart Saxe severely criticized the first resolution on the grounds that it was interfering with private industry. They also questioned the meaning of "regulate" in the context of automation. They felt that "regulate" meant "control." The second resolution was criticized on the grounds that education was a provincial matter and always had been, so the Federal government had no business saying what should be taught in the schools.

During the luncheon, attended by all the delegates, the judges, and two members of Parliament, Dr. H. Harley and George Kerr, who had watched the debate from an unaccustomed seat in the spectators gallery, the guest speaker, Charles Templeton urged all the students to join a political party and become interested in politics. "After all the politicians guide the destiny of the world," he commented, "and it behooves all of us to know what is going on."

He pointed out that joining a party does not mean you agree with everything done by the party, but "if you don't like all the party views, work to change them," he concluded.

The debate on the resolutions continued all afternoon, ending with the awarding of the trophies already mentioned.

The full day climaxed with a dinner and dance.

### Local Bus Service Starts Thursday

A subsidized Georgetown bus service was turned down by a substantial majority in a question vote at the December elections. But on Monday, those who favour buses will get their wish. Georgetown Transportation Co., operated by Art Scott, has announced a scheduled day linking the east and west sections of town.

And as a "get acquainted" offer, there will be free transportation today and Friday.

The Monday to Friday daily service will have five departures from the east town highway limits and four from the downtown depot.

Mentioning the new service at Monday's council meeting, Reeve John Elliott said a delegation of ladies, headed by Mrs. Oliver Mills, deserve credit for setting the bus service in motion. It was their plea, early last year, which prompted the December vote.

He described the new service as a "unifying force" for the town.

### Feeder Line Fault Cut Sunday Hydro

The hydro interruption which left Georgetown and rural district without electric power for over an hour was due to a fault on a main feeder line east of here according to the Georgetown Hydro office.

The break also affected Brampton and Acton.

### David Blaney, Frances Linton Seek Lion Oratory Honours

At last week's dinner meeting of the Lions Club, David Blaney and Frances Linton were chosen to represent the Georgetown club in the Lions Public Speaking Contest, when the Zone Competitions are held here March 16th.

The six finalists in the High School Competition spoke at the dinner. Christine Tost and Randy Hibbert both chose the topic "Witchcraft". Marian Burt spoke on "Conceit" and Pauline Rowe on "Folk Music". The two winners, David Blaney and Frances Linton, chose "The United Nations—A Glorious Failure" and "The Roaring Twenties", respectively.

### Mrs. Humberstone Celebrates Birthday With Family Party

On February 16, Mrs. H. E. Humberstone of Toronto celebrated her 75th birthday with a party at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ern Hyde, 24 Ewing St.

Euchre was played and prizes won by Clara and Fred Robertson, with Cliff and Jessie May getting consolation prizes. Mrs. Humberstone received several lovely gifts.

Guests included her children, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Finlay, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Humberstone, Mr. and Mrs. Ern Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Humberstone, her brothers and sisters, Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar May, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford May and Mrs. Elmer May; some of her nieces and nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Willfrid Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bonham, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul May, Mr. and Mrs. Murray May, and a few of her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Hyde and Suzanne, Pat, Philip, Ann and Gary.

### Concussion, Broken Shoulder Thrown Through Windshield

Earl Treleaven, 21 Charles St. was seriously injured when he was thrown through the windshield of his car in a highway accident Monday night.

Mr. Treleaven was returning from work at the Benson & Hedges plant in Brampton about midnight. On the eastern Norval hill his car was in collision with an eastbound vehicle which did not stop.

Mr. Treleaven was taken to Georgetown hospital for treatment of concussion, broken collar bone and broken ribs. His car is completely wrecked.

Brampton O.P.P. is investigating the accident.

### BOY SCOUT WEEK

The Park St. Armoury will be open to the public Sat. Boy Scout displays have been set up in the hall.

Scout Week activities continue with a church parade and service at Knox Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Feb. 28. Displays are being set up in store windows. The high school auditorium will be the scene of a display and series of demonstrations at the Loree Socks Armoury on Park Ave. from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. The week climaxes this Sunday with a church parade and service at Knox Presbyterian Church. Area Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies will attend. The high point for the general public will be a display and series of demonstrations at the Loree Socks Armoury on Park Ave. lasting from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday. A new feature, the display has been named Action '45 and will serve as a showplace and information centre for anyone who wishes to learn more about Scouting. Organizers of course hope the public will take advantage of the opportunity to inspect the displays.