

Leadership Review Topic For Conservative Meeting

The Halton East Progressive Conservative Association formed Wednesday night — and straightaway dipped its toe in the sea of controversy.

The 100 people first heard a motion from acting chairman R.L. Freeman, which backed Dalton Camp's criticism of party leader John Diefenbaker.

The motion said it hoped that party leadership question would be reviewed and party policy clearly established.

But the motion fell when an amendment was overwhelmingly adopted. The amendment said: "While we appreciate the service of our leader on future leader we feel in the interests of the party a review of leadership be discussed every two years."

Pressing for the amendment, high school teacher Dan Hunter said the original motion was almost a condemnation of Diefenbaker.

He said the party wanted to bring unity to its ranks not further division.

Newly elected secretary W. S. Thomson said there was no point in actions of national party president Camp. He said all he had done was to bring the party into the open. He said the party should use its venom to attack the Grits for a change.

One member from the floor said that the party should take a stand on the leadership question now and let Canada know how this association stands.

Former Mayor . . .

Former Tory candidate at the Federal elections, Allan Masson seconded the original motion although he voted in favour of the amendment.

When the Halton West Progressive Conservative Association held its meeting two weeks ago, John Diefenbaker also came under fire.

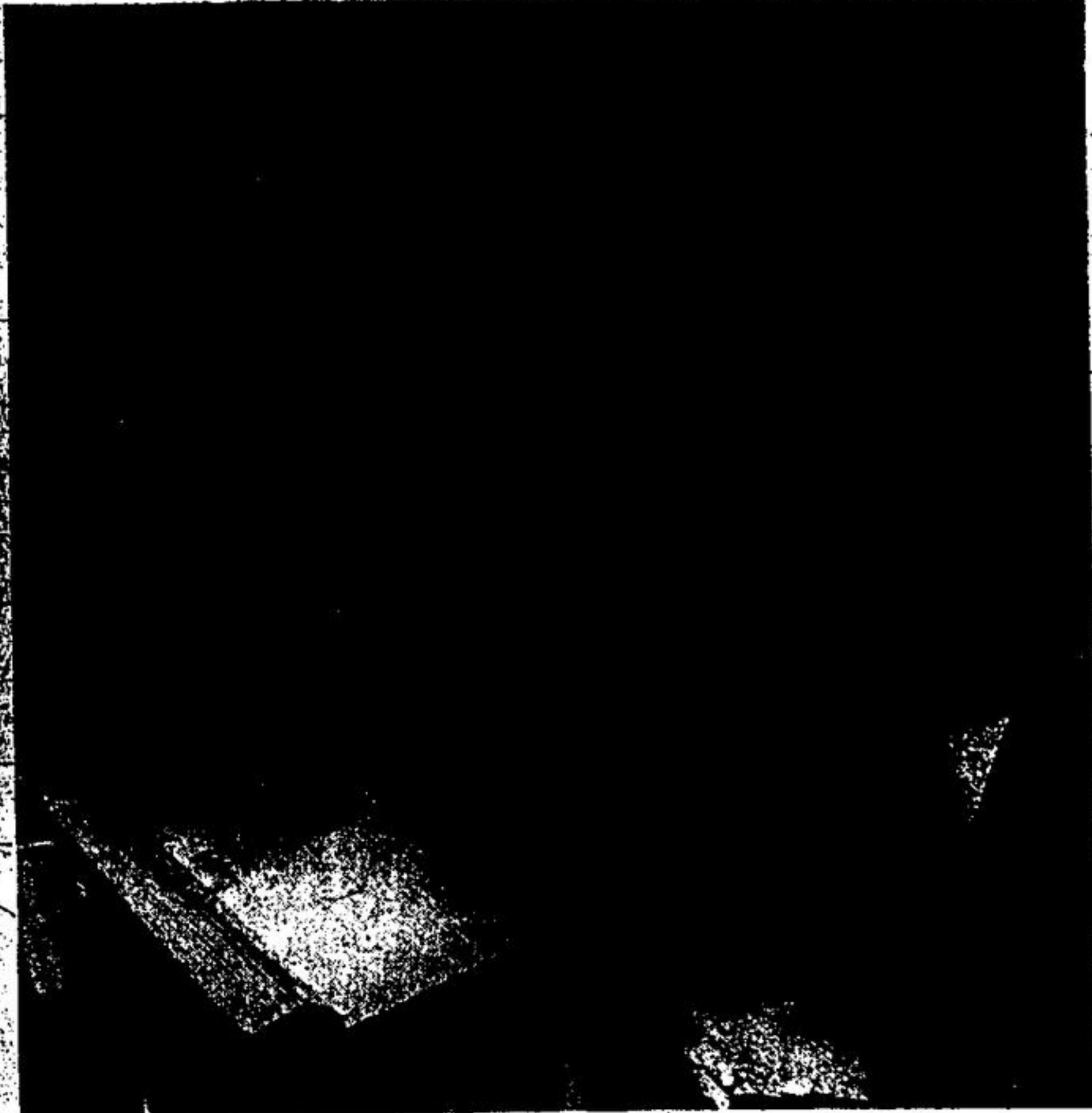
A number of speakers said there was a time for a reappraisal in leadership.

Last week's gathering held at the Legion Hall, Church St., was called for the adoption of a constitution for the newly-formed association. The new association was brought about by redistribution of the provincial ridings. Halton was split into two — west and east.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE GETS A NEW NAME

A change of name from National Employment Office to Canada Manpower Centre has been announced by Mr. H. W. Fullard, manager of the local office of the former National Employment Service. Mr. Fullard said that the new name reflects more accurately the emphasis that the service is placing on counselling, training, labour force, mobility, up-grading research and labour market information.

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SMOKEEATERS PROUD OF THEIR PRESS CLIPPINGS

SPECIAL GUESTS at the Halton Fire Prevention Bureau dinner at Georgetown Golf & Country Club last week were Halton Mutual Aid, Co-ordinator Chief Douglas Wilson of Oakville and Bureau Chairman Captain Harold Coulson of Milton Fire Department. Chief Wilson, and Capt. Coulson, left, are pictured showing the Halton Bureau's annual scrapbook to local insurance agents, Glenn Magnuson of Evans Insurance, Georgetown, and John Dunlop of the George C. Brown agency, and Georgetown Fire Chief Erwin Lewis. Seven insurance inspectors provided by the local agencies assisted firefighters in the "blitz" inspection Wednesday of last week. The Bureau provided a noon dinner at the golf club and the agents hosted a supper at the fire hall.

CVCA Hosts Authorities At Supervisor Workshop

The Credit Valley Conservation Authority was host last week to 15 Authorities from across Ontario for a two day Conservation Areas Supervisors Workshop.

Representatives were present from Metro Toronto and Region, Lower Thames, Catfish Creek, Ausable River, Upper Thames, Grand River, Maitland Valley, Saugeen Valley, Central Lake Ontario, Otonabee Region, Big Creek Region, Halton Region, Hamilton Region, Niagara Peninsula and Credit Valley Conservation Authorities. Norman J. McMahon, general superintendent for the Credit Valley Conservation Authority arranged the workshop, held at Clarkson.

On Tuesday, John Hodgins, Ausable River Conservation Authority, led a discussion on erosion control; Ken McClure, Otonabee Region Conservation Authority, talked about woodlot management; Rex Bishop, Upper Thames River Conservation Authority, gave a paper on concessions and property rental; Norman McMahon, Credit Valley Conservation Authority, spoke on the problems of water safety in conservation areas and Bill Locker, Metro Toronto & Region Conservation Authority, discussed boat rental. Each speaker had researched his subject thoroughly and answered questions from the 50 members present.

Officers elected Tuesday evening for the coming year were: president, Bill Locker, vice president, Ken McClure, secretary-treasurer, Dick McArthur of Niagara Peninsula Conservation Authority, executive committee, John Hodgins, Norman McMahon, and Vic Ross of

Grand River Conservation Authority.

Bill McLean, conservation areas administrator for Metro Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, spoke on personnel policies Wednesday morning. "The superintendent has a responsibility to both the Authority he works for and to the men who work for him," Mr. McLean said. "It is important that a written personnel policy be agreed on by the Authority so new employees know what the employer expects of them."

Mr. McLean emphasized that each Authority should work out its own policy to suit individual authority needs.

LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

BY BILL COATS

Modern bidding is much more competitive than it used to be. A good bridge player doesn't sit back just because the opponents have the best of the hand. Idle bids have been put to use as competitive devices.

Take a look at this bidding cards. This means that a number sequence.

West North East South
1H Pass 2H Pass
Pass 2NT

The meaning of North's reopening bid of 2 no trump can be determined by a process of elimination:

(1) North cannot have a strong balanced no trump hand. If North held 16 points or more he would have taken some action over the one heart bid.

(2) Since North's bid cannot be natural, it must be a take-out bid of some kind. If North had support for all the unbid suits, he could make a take-out bid. Since he didn't, just which suits can North have?

(3) If North's bid is for take-out, it must be with support for two suits. But if one of these suits is spades, why bid two no trump, which makes it impossible to bid 2 spades? In short, the 2 no trump announced a weak reopening hand with support for either minor.

North's hand might be:

S-X
H-X X
D-Q J 10 X X
C-K J 10 X X

Here is another example of a bidding sequence.

North East South West
Pass Pass Pass 1S
1NT

Normally, an overall of 1 no trump shows a balanced hand with 16 to 18 points. But how can this be so? North passed originally. North's no trump bid is a take-out bid. If he had three suits for take-out, he could double. Hence the no trump take-out is special and shows just two suits — clubs and diamonds.

In both these examples, we have shown examples of the "unusual no trump". This is a special take-out bid which calls for partner to bid his best minor suit.

Now this may cause the partner some concern. His best minor suit may not be very good but he is still asked to bid his best minor. Here is an example of the unusual no trump in action.

Dealer — South.
East - West have part score of 60.

North
S-K 8 5 4
H-J 9 4 2
D-J 6 5
C-K 5

West
S-A 9 6 3
H-A K 10 5
D-A 7 4
C-9 3

HOSPITAL'S SEPTEMBER

Sept. Yr. to date		
Admiss'ns	174	1,396
Births	26	243
Deaths	6	21
Daily average		
No. of pat'ns	55.4	55.2
Percent of beds occupied	72.9	72.4
Percent of Bas'ettes occupied	40.6	41.3
Major operations	16	128
Minor operations	58	473
Emergency visits	187	1,338

Wins Colour TV In Legion Draw

A Georgetown man was the winner of a colour television, first prize in a draw made at the Erin Fair Monday, Oct. 10.

Francis Hulme, 32 Park Ave. was the winner of the set, raffled by the Erin branch of the Royal Canadian Legion. The draw was held to raise money for a building extension.

Mrs. W. Cleave Tells Institute Ladies About European Travels

Sixteen women attended the October meeting of the Georgetown Women's Institute in Knox Church Hall Wednesday Oct. 5 when Mrs. Wilbert Cleave gave an illustrated talk on her two-months long trip across Europe last spring.

Members were delighted by the pictures and the comments of Mrs. Cleave who was invited to the meeting by Mrs. Frank Petch.

Roll call was answered by the members giving their shoe sizes during the opening exercises. During the business session, a committee was named to make plans for a euchre to be held in Stewarttown Hall in November. A draw for a quilt will also be made then.

A report of a board meeting in Milton October 3 was given by Mrs. Wilson, who had attended.

Lunch, and a social half hour concluded the evening.

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BRIDGE CLUB

There were ten tables playing duplicate bridge in the Legion Auditorium on Tuesday evening, October 11th. North-South winners were Del Wallace, Charles Corcoran; Mrs. Harvey Clark and Mrs. M. C. Code; Richard Prust and George Sargent; Mike Lorusso and Alex Carey; East-West winners Miss Olive Logan and F. Kellar; Mrs. Rae and E. Mackenzie; Mrs. Floria Nodwell and Mrs. Wellington Wilson; Mrs. W. Thompson and Mrs. A. Pritchard.

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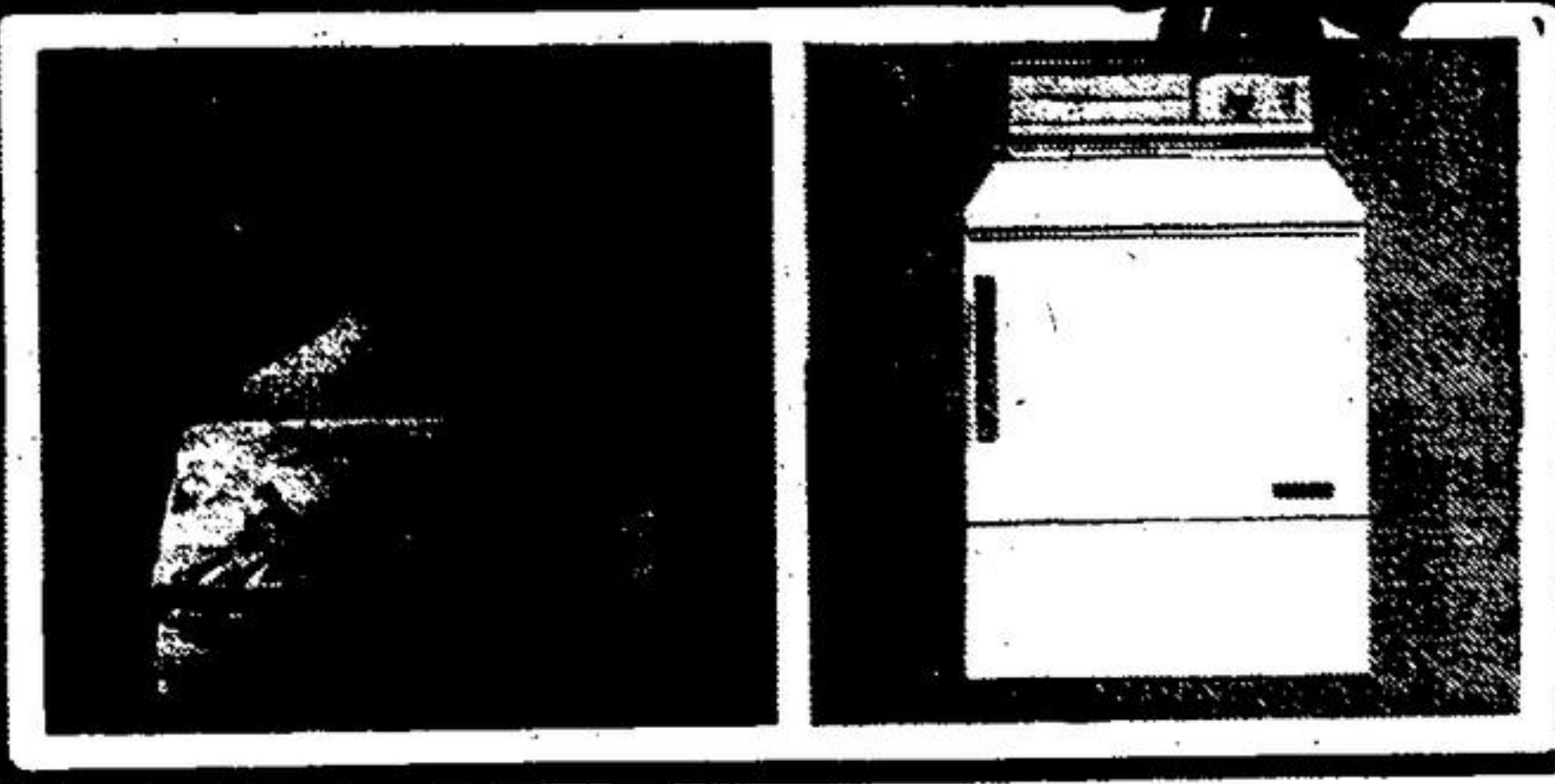
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