

# Loyal True Blues Mark 46 Years' Existence

A triple celebration was held on Saturday evening, October 28th, in Esqueving Community Hall, Stewarttown, when Halton's Pride No. 393 Loyal True Blue Association, hosted a dinner party celebrating their 46th birthday as well as Canada's centennial and the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Loyal True Blue Association.

Guests attended from Toronto, Lindsay, Peterboro, Brantford, Guelph, Rockwood, Acton and Georgetown. Many wore centennial costumes and prizes were awarded to W.M. Sister Zoe Free of Toronto (79 years a member of the association), Sister Margaret Hillier, Mr. James Gumbell and Mr. George Chambers.

A three-tiered birthday cake, suitably inscribed to cover the three occasions, centred the table. Antique oil-lamps and nosegays of red carnations with royal blue streamers completed the decorations. The birthday cake was cut by M.W. Sister May Bunting, Past Supreme Grand Mistress, and after dinner M.W. Sister Isobel Nichols, Supreme Grand Mistress of the L.T.B.A. addressed the gathering. Greetings were extended from the Provincial Grand Lodge of Ontario by the Provincial Mistress, R.W. Sister Louise Edge Brantford.

In the program following dinner, the president of the L.T.B.A. and Orange Home at Richmond Hill, Bro. Willis Cunningham, showed slides of the home and gave a very enlightening commentary. Miss Betty Ann and Miss Mary Lou Brown



M.W. SISTER ISOBEL NICHOLS of Toronto, Supreme Grand Mistress of the Loyal True Blue Association; W. Sister Alex Bullock, Worshipful Mistress of Halton's Pride No. 393, Georgetown; and W. Sister Alecia McCartney, charter member of the local lodge at the association's centennial birthday party, October 28, in Esqueving Community Hall.

## Stewarttown Residents Ask for Street Lights

A petition from residents of the owner says it's OK it's all Stewarttown and the 7th line right with us," stated the reeve. The cabin will be used by council Monday by Dave Bar. Scouts on weekend camping day. It asked for street lights for the area.

Mr. Glover told council the scouts had been using part of the land for several years for a dollar a year. The dollar cheque has never been cashed, he added. The reeve explained that the Health Unit and the building inspector may be involved, but council wasn't.

If the petitioners are still in favour then, the lights will be installed.

## Too Costly to Move Maple Hydro Pole

A motion from Milton council requesting Esqueving to pass a by-law governing land use in the area south of Highway 401 got scant attention.

"They want to know what we plan there before they try to annex it," was the reeve's comment as the matter was dropped.

Council authorized a grant of fifteen dollars to the Poppy Day Fund.

Chairman of the Georgetown Scout Group Terry Glover was told he needed no permission finished, the pole will be in place from the top, to erect a cabin middle of a safety island," he on Brockton Farms. "As long as said.

## Honoured at 4H Banquet



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# IN THE MAIL BAG

## Some Pertinent Thoughts For Canada's Remembrance

11 Ewing Street  
Nov. 5, 1967

The Editor:  
In cities and towns all across Canada we shall be remembering those who fought and the thousands who gave their lives in sacrifice for the freedom that is ours today.

As I raised my RED ENSIGN today the skies were dark and stormy, a silent prayer went up to God, the Almighty, for all his blessings to us, unworthy as we sometimes are to receive them.

I thought of those who bought for us our freedom — a freedom that so few of us appreciate and many take for granted.

I agree with Jane Scott, she is so right about the US draft dodgers, and I admire the courage and vision of Lubor Zink he is one of the very few who can clearly see the handwriting on the wall for us.

As I left my garden, after raising my flag, I thought over the past, of two world wars, and those nations who fell to the enemy and have never gained their freedom.

War is something we all hate and strive desperately to avoid, but peace at any price has proved in the past that it means disaster later on.

Before the last world war Hitler demanded this piece as a price for our peace. He got it, only to demand another piece. He overran one small country after another until he had conquered even France and his next piece was England.

But England finally woke up and decided that England was not going to be that next piece, and together with the help of her allies, Canada, the U.S., Australia, etc. they set out to drive back the invaders to their own land.

France and its ungrateful

De Gaulle was the first to be liberated, then one by one Holland and the others.

During those terrible days our newspapers carried many pictures of atrocities carried on in the name of war. We saw pictures of women being herded into the bush in Poland to be shot. We heard of carloads of young boys being shipped in freight cars and arriving at their destination frozen and stacked like cordwood.

The young men who fear for their lives have my sympathy but they should remember that the things that happened in the last war, could very well happen here or in the U.S., unless we take care to keep those lessons in our minds.

Most of those who marched in peace parades are those young students who have never known the ravages of war, they have never heard the scream of sirens, or seen the fire bombs descending on their homes.

They have never received a letter telling, "All we have left is a clock and a fireplace tender.

The horrors of war should not be, but as long as we have power-crazed men like Hitler, like the communists who still today have not freed the Nations under their control, and who would use the same tactics today that they used during the Hungarian uprising in 1956 when they used tanks in the streets of Hungary to subdue those who wanted the very freedom which is ours today.

Before I entered my home after raising my flag in silent tribute, I stood for one brief moment to look at that flag, and as if in answer to my prayer, the sun came out in all its glory. This week we remember Flanders Fields, and the oft repeated words "Let Us Forget."

— Katherine Cordaro

## Disagrees With Editor, Says Local Party Politics Good

40 Main St. S.  
Nov. 4th 1967

Mr. Editor:  
In your editorial comment, Close Election, dated October 26 you wrote in part, "We think party politics play no part in Municipal Affairs". I could list several municipalities where party politics do play a very large part, and very successful in municipal politics. However, I would like to suggest to you and to your readers the need for party politics on the municipal level.

To have political parties at the municipal level is simply being realistic. The candidate by identifying himself with his political beliefs will enable the public to better assess his probable reaction to local issues. The choice will not depend then on such political intangibles as business affiliations, personal success, charity donations, club memberships, or pressure exerted by various organizations and groups which heretofore have influenced the vote to elect councils which have proved to be bitter disappointments.

It is time for all candidates to be recognized for what they are. If we are to have a true democratic government in the Federal, Provincial and on the municipal level. We must have an informed electorate before we can expect an intelligent choice of council members.

And what of the candidate himself? How will his actions be affected by announcing his political affiliations? Certainly he will be less dependent on local influential backers, he can be more impartial in his decisions knowing he has his party's support. He can be better informed by seeking the advice of fellow party members with experience in municipal affairs. His election campaign will not be limited to his own financial reserves, and he will have the help of many volunteer workers whose interest is for better government, for the town they live in.

The standard of local government will improve with the introduction of party politics, any dishonest dealings, or corruptions of officials will be reflected in the party's image, and it will be in the party's interest to see that the people toe the line. It would mean less election promises that are never fulfilled, and more truthful information to the people. Anyone who is unwilling to be recognized as to his political leanings and wishes to run as a candidate, either has something to hide, or is seeking election on false pretences.

## Commends Choice of New Councillor

97 Sargent Road

Dear Mr. Editor:  
Commendations are surely in order to council for the appointment to fill the vacant council seat for Ward 2.

The choice has not been an easy one.

In a fast growing community such as ours, the desire might seem to be for a person of past experience. But with no new council could tend to become intolerant to the desires of the people.

All considered it seems the choice has been a wise decision in the appointment of John Hole.

He was the runner up in the past two elections to represent Ward 2.

Now that his desire to be a representative has been fulfilled, he will be bringing to council his years of organizational abilities gained through union management relations. Also he has always taken a very active part in Legion affairs and he is deeply concerned for the continued progress and improvement of Georgetown.

John will definitely be an asset to maintain a favourable balance in our municipal government.

Yours truly,  
Albert Porter

## Relatives Meet First Time in 47 Years

Mrs. Elizabeth Overland of Sault Ste. Marie made a surprise visit to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott a week ago Sunday. Mrs. Overland and Mr. Scott are cousins and had not met in 47 years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Campbell moved back to Silverwood from town this past week.

Mrs. Harry Marchington, Miss Lisa Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lindsay and family and Mr. Ross Burt of the Silverwood district were recent Expo visitors.

Mrs. W. R. Norton was an Institute delegate to the area convention in Guelph.

The good wishes of the community are extended to Sheila Campbell and John Stull who were married on October 28 in Limehouse Presbyterian Church. The reception was held in the church hall.

Mrs. Clare Wilson and Miss Joan Craig visited at Hopetown last weekend.

Mrs. F. Campbell spent a few days in Richmond Hill last week.

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## Elevate Henderson To Corporal's Rank

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A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend. Open House will be held on Saturday, November 11th and Sunday, November 12th from 2 - 4 p.m.

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**Baha'is of Georgetown**  
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MRS. M. BARR, Secretary

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