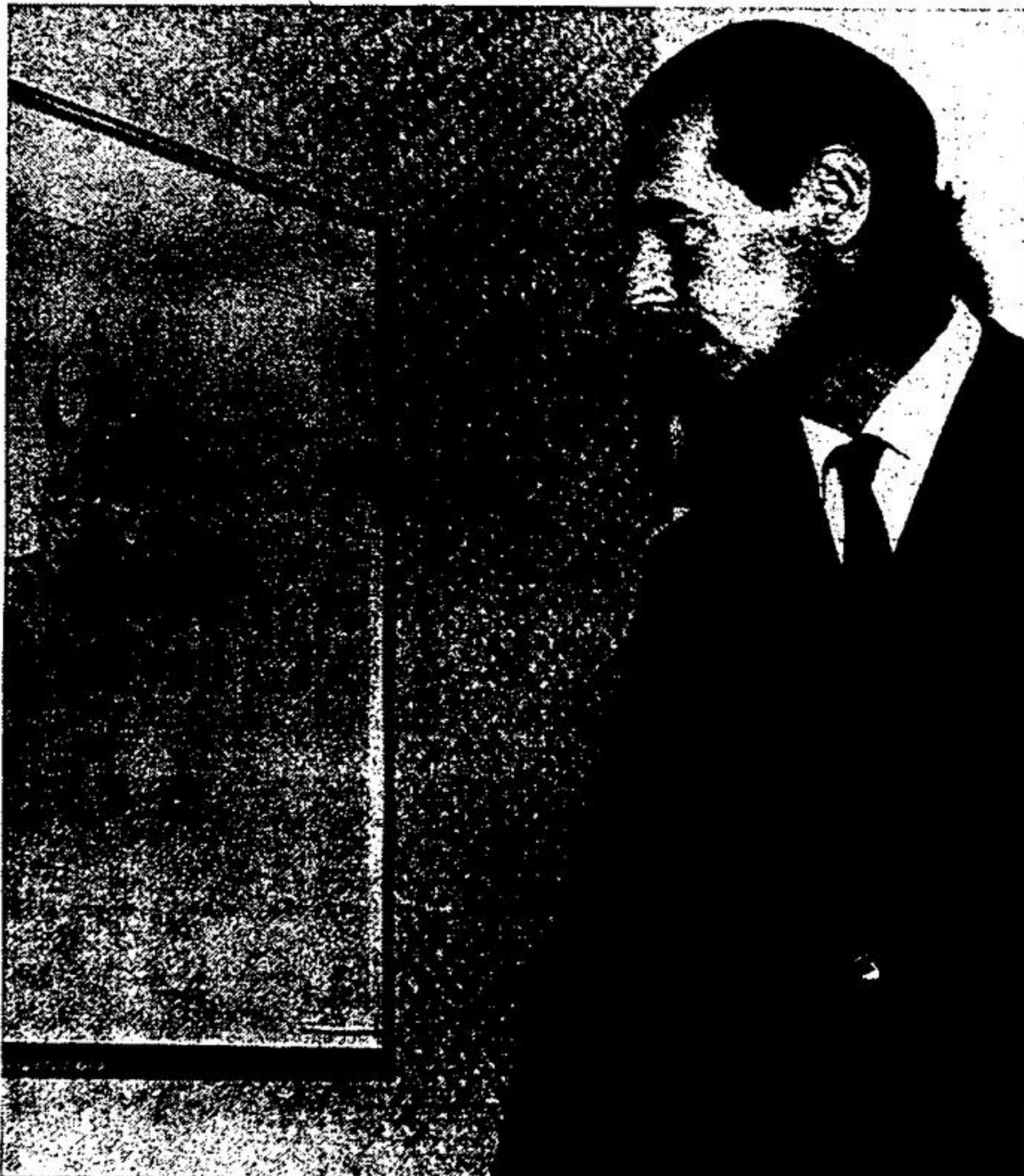




MISS LUCY MOLESWORTH holds a piece of glazed pottery, representative of her work, which is on display at House Sol on Charles Street until tomorrow. It is part of an exhibition entitled Geoffrey Rock and Crafts of Region, featuring work of fourteen district artists.



PREMIER EXHIBITOR B. GEOFFREY ROCK seen here with one of his drawings. Most of the artists were on hand to greet visitors when the exhibition previewed October 28.

LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

BY BILL COATS

The state of slam bidding in Acton has reached a low ebb. When more than half the pairs who played these cards missed bidding a slam, something is wrong. Some slams are difficult to bid. You must find out not only your controls but if they are in the right suit. Distribution plays a very important part in many slams.

But here is a hand based on power alone. North-South are vulnerable and the dealer is East.

North			
S-K 2			
H-J 9 7 5 2			
D-A 8 2			
C-A Q 8			
West			
S-Q 9 7 6 5 4S-10 3			
H-8	H-10 3		
D-J	D-Q 10 8 7 6		
C-K 9 7 6 5	C-J 10 4 3		
South			
S-A J 8			
H-A K Q 6 4			
D-K 5 4 3			
C-3			
East			
Pass	1H	Pass	3H
Pass	4NT	Pass	5H
Pass	6H		

Opening lead diamond jack. The bidding is not as straight

forward as it looks. North has a difficult choice at his first opportunity to bid. Usually the jump raise in opener's suit is made on 13-15 points and good trump support. North has 14 points in high cards alone. He also has a doubleton spade, five trump and a trump honour — each of which rates a one-point evaluation.

However with such a fine heart support and no other bid-able suit, North should raise hearts rather than invent a bid.

In at least one case, West came in with some interference. bidding. This often happens at duplicate. West reached six spades and was doubled. He went down six tricks for an 1100 point loss.

This would have been fine if the other pairs had reached six hearts worth 1430. However, only one pair played this hand at six hearts.

There is no problem to the play. There is only one loser and that is in diamonds. In order to attempt to get rid of a diamond loser, declarer should take a finesse in spades.

This is not dangerous for even if the finesse fails, a diamond can be discarded on the spade ace. In this way declarer trades

a spade loser for a diamond loser.

But I still wonder how three north-souths out of five didn't find this heart slam.

Monday's winners at Acton Bridge Club: 1st pair, Barbara Smith and Jackie Nolan; 2nd pair, P. Jeffares and Mrs. Kay Campbell 3rd pair, Harry Frost and Bill Hamilton; 4th pair, Duke Wilson and Gloria Coats.

76 Year Old Tom Brownridge Wins Halton's Plowing Match

It was grey but not gloomy on the Stan Norrish farm near Eden Mills Saturday, Oct. 28th as plowmen from the county and beyond braved rain and snow flurries to compete in Halton's centennial year plowing match.

Two special events highlighted the match — the competition for Queen of the Furrow honours and the special centennial class for horse-drawn plows.

Furrow Queen
In the Furrow Queen contest, judged on the basis of appearance, plowing ability and a 3-minute speech on the activities of the county plowmen's association, the 1967 crown went to Rosemary Booth. Runner-up was Doris Pickett.

The winner won a trophy, and the right to represent Halton in the 1968 International match.

The centennial event drew 12 entrants; and some, although all were top plowmen, had never handled a horse-drawn plow before. Winner was 76 year old Tom Brownridge of Ashgrove, oldest competitor for any of the match's nine events.

Following are the winners of the nine regular events:

In the open event for tractors in sod, Glen Gray was first, Roy Craig second and Bob Armstrong.

In the class for two or more furrows with open mounted plows, winner was John Wilson of Norval, followed by Burt Robertson, Brian Marshall and Lloyd May.

Mounted Plows

Bob Brander won the event for ages 14 to 16 pulling mounted plows. Alvin Jamieson was second and Harley Pickering third.

The Eaton Class, open to boys or girls 14 to 17 years old using tractor mounted plows, was won by Janet Taylor, who is now eligible to participate in the Eaton's Junior championship class at the 1968 International. Jean Wilson placed second in this event.

The class for tractors in sod open to competitors aged 14 to 20 was won by Larry Pickett of Georgetown. John Devlin was second and John Breckon third.

Top Places

Three top places in the open class for tractors in sod, three furrows or more, went to Ron Goetting, Dwight May and George Dixon.

The Ernest Irvine tractor utility class, for Halton residents aged 14 to 29, was won by Brian Marshall, followed by John Wilson, Janet Taylor, Harley Pickering, Dwight May and Larry Pickett.

In the open tractor utility class, the three top places went to Bob Armstrong, Ken Taylor and Alvin Jamieson.

There were no entrants for the jointer plows in sod class, or for the horseshoe pitching.

The match was followed in the evening by a banquet at Brookville Public School.

Dress-Up Party Provides Fun for Manor Residents

A "dress-up" party was held at the Halton Centennial Manor last week with the auditorium decorated in Halloween style with witches, cats, goblins and pumpkins.

Mrs. Stan Allen, chairman of the Manor Auxiliary was the Master of Ceremonies for the residents, staff members and guests who attended.

There was a Grand March for all in costume so the judges, Mrs. Bernadette Serafini, Mrs. Alice Alton and Mrs. Gayle Etherington, of the Catholic Women's League, could pick the winning costumes.

Chocolate bars and apples were distributed to all the residents and following the selection of the prize winners, Mr. and Mrs. George Martin were chosen as Centennial King and Queen of the party.

Mrs. Allen and her fellow workers sponsored the evening which concluded with the serving of tea, coffee and doughnuts.

Mrs. Martin won first prize and Mr. Anderson second for the best decorated wheel-chairs; Mrs. Shaw first and Miss Belcher, second, best centennial costume; Mr. and Mrs. Cuttriss, first and Mr. Buck and Mrs. Small, second, best centennial dressed couple; Mrs. Pearce first and Mrs. Metzger second, best halloween costume; Earl Leaver first and Vern Reynolds second, best athletic costume; Mrs. McMullen first and Jim Begley second, best comic costume; Agnes Boss first and Miss Lotty Moore second, most original costume; and Mrs. Forbes for the best single centennial costume.

Initiate Four New Kin, Club Plans 'Buddy' Night

It was initiation night at the Georgetown Kinsmen's general meeting in Stan's Restaurant on Monday night, Oct. 30th. Four new members were initiated into the club by president Bill Sunnucks and past presidents, Trevor Moores, Dean Taylor, and Harry Levy.

The four new members are Dave McLeod, George Bowen, Luke Cazabon, and Russ Diegel. Guests for the special night included Peter Mann, Wilson Thatcher and Hugh Powell.

During the business meeting which followed the initiation ceremonies it was learned that the fall fair booth and the turkey shoot were both financial successes. It was also learned that stag ticket sales were moving fast.

The fall council held in Toronto was a great success with almost 700 people in attendance. The Georgetown Club hosted the council this year and a detailed report on this event will be forthcoming in the near future.

The club voted to buy a Santa Claus suit for use by the club at their various Christmas-time functions and also to be available to other clubs and to any charitable organizations which can make use of it.

The Kinsmen's Club's next meeting will be "Bring a Buddy Night" on Monday, November 12th. "Bring a Buddy Night" is a new plan. Each Kinsmen club in Canada will hold such a night during the month of November. Its purpose is to

let the members show their friends just what the Kinsmen do, and in so doing help to further Kinsmanship in the community.

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Burlington Man Was Bank Manager Here

Manager of the Bank of Montreal branch here several years ago, J. Roy Smith died in Burlington on October 20.

Mr. Smith, a native of Chesley, taught public school before joining the Merchants Bank in Chesley. He was transferred to Winnipeg and later served with the bank there and in other communities in Manitoba. Later he returned to Ontario and was manager of the Bank of Montreal in Bothwell, Campbellford, Georgetown, Hanover and Welland.

After the death of his wife, he made his home in Burlington with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur (Mary Louise) Brennan.

He also leaves sisters Clara and Mrs. Raymond Jones, Toronto, Mrs. M.F. Shipley, Detroit, brother Edward of Toronto, and three grandchildren.

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