



## Honour Dorothy Stone Legion Life Membership

by Ralph Hawes

Sunday morning, the Branch early birds were up and away at 7:30 a.m. enroute to Delhi and the District 'B' Spring convention. Comrades Hale, Murphy, Bottoms and Ward represented the Branch as delegates. The Branch colour party of six members along with pipe band travelled by bus. At the convention, fourteen resolutions were made and all were carried. One which should interest Branch horsehoof pitchers is that in future there will be two classes in district horsehoof playoff class 'A' and Class 'B' or novice. This it is hoped will create more interest in the sport.

Four members were nominated for district 'B' commander. Two declined while Dave Caperauld and J. Green accepted. The result of the voting returned Branch 120's Dave Caperauld to his second term as district 'B' commander. Seven people were nominated for deputy district commander. Five accepted with the membership voting in favour of Jack Dobbs of Dunston Branch, Brantford.

B. Hobson was again elected as chairman with Jim Hall as his deputy chairman. Other positions in the command will be made by appointment.

### Four Bands

The convention parade was a big one with two brass and two pipe bands with Branch 120's pipe band outstanding as always. Branch 120's colour party entered the contest and although they returned with no prizes, they were as smart as any party on parade.

The convention dinner was at the Polish Branch which is on the opposite side of the street to Branch 125. The Branch Air Cadets opened their Air Cadet week with a very successful tag day on Saturday and a Tri-Service Church parade at Guelph on Sunday.

Friday evening was an important occasion at the Branch where ten new members of the Royal Canadian Legion were initiated. It was to have been a joint ceremony for new members of Branches 120 and 442 Erin; however, the delegation from Erin had only one member to be initiated. Members of Branch 120 are proud of its initiation and rightly so. Their performance last Friday was as smooth and precise as a full time military team. Members initiated were: L. Bryan, A. G. Mack, J. Allinson, W. Donahue, J. C. Hicks, H. Hayward, G. Grozier and W. Yowart of Erin all ordinary members. Two associate members were also initiated, D. Weir and D. McCartney.

After the initiation, memorial trophies were presented to the respective winners. The Dean Harley trophy was presented to Tom Harlow and Dave Bell by Gord Harley. Sam Tennant cribbage trophy to Orland Nuttall and Bernie Dore by president Hale. Fred Gilmer dart trophy to Ken DeRose and Harry Bottoms by Henry Hale. Major Ketcheson of the Lorne Scots rifle shoot trophy from District Commander David Caperauld.

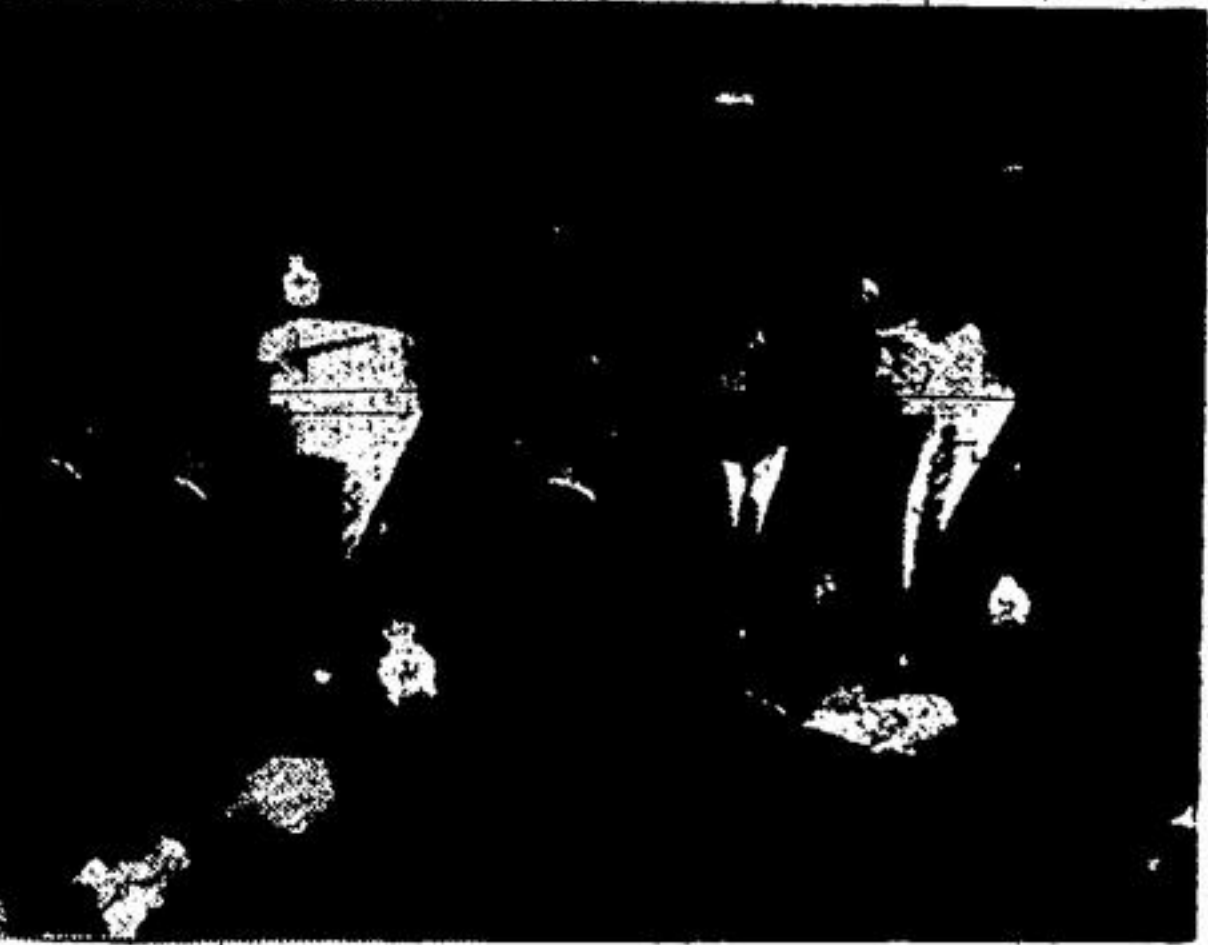
**Honorary Membership**  
The highlight of the evening came when Membership chairman Bruce Collins presented an honorary membership pin to the Branch's first lady honorary member, Miss Dorothy Stone. She has been over the years an ardent supporter of Branch 120 and during that time has been curator of the memorial book which is in the auditorium. She has zealously kept it up to date with an artistic touch which must be seen to be believed. It is a book of sadness but beautiful due to the efforts of Miss Stone.

The emblem displayed by the initiation teams were painted and donated to the Branch by this honorary member. She has contributed much to the Branch. The membership was long overdue.  
The dance which followed and the snack cooked up by Bruce were both enjoyed by those there. This evening was an evening for members and their ladies but was poorly attended when one considers a membership of over 400. The hall should have been packed.

Gusto, flare, zest, joie de vivre, intensity of feeling. All these terms have the same meaning when applied to an organization such as the Royal Canadian Legion. In essence, they mean the organization has enthusiasm where Branch 120 is concerned; the powers that be must have cause to wonder for there seems to be very little enthusiasm when Branch functions are held. One can see the same handful of stalwart mem-



Bruce Collins with Miss Dorothy Stone



Henry Hale, Erin Branch president Norm McMann, and Bruce Collins welcome new members.

bers at each such occasion. There must be an answer somewhere.

### Amazing Trio

Streetsville Branch cleaned up at the Zone euchre Saturday afternoon. Branch 120 was the host Branch. Past president performed the opening ceremony and welcomed the guests, who at once devoted themselves to serious euchre, taking time out on odd occasions to enjoy a dish of spices and peppers in Bruce's chili con carne. At the close of the day, Dave Bowman

That amazing trio, the Country Rhythm Boys, continues to fill the Legion hall on Saturday nights with fun seeking couples. Last Saturday was no exception. Most tables were full. Another popular group will be at the hall next Saturday, the Peel County Geats, who also have the ability to fill the hall. Car club winners last week were Mrs. A. Grey, A. Griewe, C. Crawford, W. Cunningham and R. Snyder.

### BRIDGE CLUB

Fifteen tables played at last week's session of Georgetown duplicate bridge club in the Legion auditorium.

Winners for north-south — 1st, Mike Lorusso, Dick Prust, 2nd, Richard Raymond, John Zahara, 3rd, Bill Barbour and Bill Hamilton; 4th, Kay Harmer, Eunice Bremner; 5th, Ron Dawson, Don Williams.

East-West winners: 1st, Leo Kistemaker, Clarence Lanstra; 2nd, John Coats, Vi Naylor; 3rd, Muriel Allen, Pat Williams; 4th, Larry Lawson, Fred Kerr; 5th, Mrs. Erin Hyde, Mrs. Neil Pattullo.

### HORNBY

The ladies of Eden United Church had a very successful day on Saturday, April 19 with their refreshment booth at the auction sale held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall.

John Cordingley was treated at the Milton District hospital on Tuesday April 15, following an accident at his home while attempting to cut an elm tree up with a chain saw. The chain saw slipped and cut John on the chest and leg. He was taken to the Milton hospital by Jim Hamilton and later in the day released. It took several stitches to close the wounds.

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## Tyler-Johnston Wedding In St George's Anglican

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Rev. Eric Mills officiated at the ceremony in St. George's Anglican Church and George DeKloer was organist. Mr. Johnston gave his daughter in marriage in the double ring ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white silk with lace sleeves and a lace train, and her headdress was a ring of lace which held a four tier shoulder length veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of sprigged tea roses.

Mrs. Stu Johnson, Acton, was matron of honour, wearing a gown of apricot silk with chiffon train and a matching headpiece. Bridesmaid Peggy Tyler was similarly gowned, and junior bridesmaids Karen and Lee Johnston wore apricot silk trimmed with green velvet. The four attendants carried nosegays of white daisies and baby's breath, and the junior bridesmaids wore a ring of daisies in their hair. Senior attendants wore heart shaped necklaces and juniors gold lockets, gifts of the bride.

John Ford was groomsman and ushers were Doug Vivian, Craig Johnston and Bob Tyler. At the reception, the bride's

mother received wearing a pale blue corded silk suit, navy accessories and a pink corsage.

The groom's mother wore a pale green ensemble and a corsage of yellow roses. The bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Johnston, Manitoulin Island, were wedding guests and Mrs. Johnston wore a dark brown lace dress, pink coat and hat and beige accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

For a honeymoon trip the bride travelled in a blue leather suit, black accessories and a corsage of tea roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler are living at 96A Guelph St. He is employed in Streetsville with Chrysler Tire Centre.

Prior to her marriage, the bride was a guest at four surprise bridal showers. Verna Hall, 56 Byron St., entertained at a dual shower for her and for Mrs. Doug Freestone, the former Ose Poulsen, attended by school friends. Mrs. Stu Johnson entertained at her home in Acton and the bride's aunt, Mrs. Homer Johnston had a shower at her home, 335 Delrex Blvd. Peggy Tyler had relatives of the groom to a shower at her home, 20 Elgin St.

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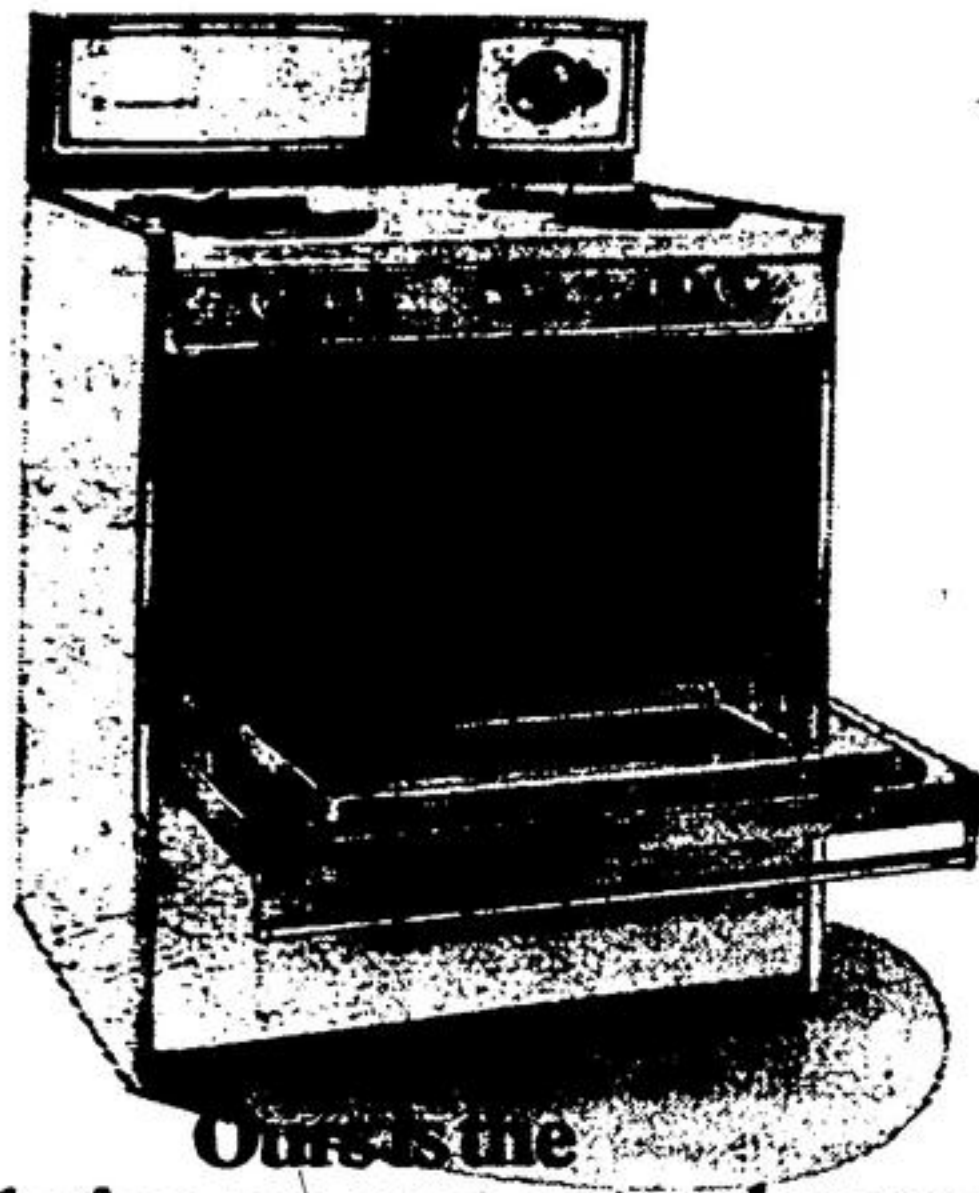
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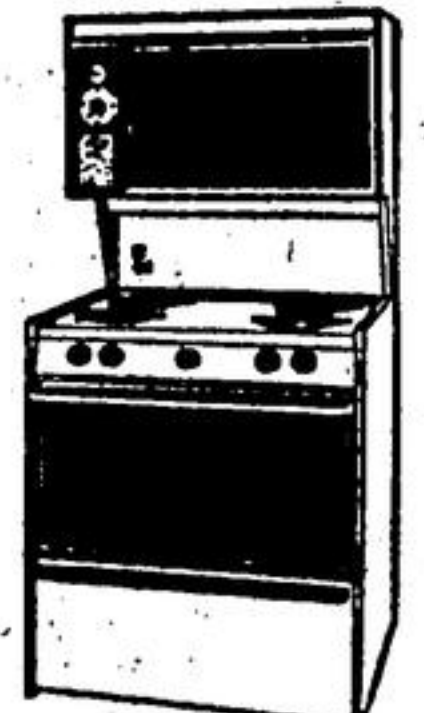
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