

Hilton Falls Project

Snow Aboard Bulldozer Turns Sod for New Dam

Forty persons shivered in a cold November wind and hail Thursday while Halton East MPP Jim Snow "turned the sod" with a bulldozer for the new Hilton Falls dam, and reservoir.

Hilton Falls dam is the fourth major one undertaken by Halton Region Conservation Authority.

The dam's combined reservoir and recreation area will occupy 1,100 acres of land in north Halton, just north of the Keiso area off Equestrian Road 5.

As with all HRCAs dams, the Hilton Falls project will start off with a limited recreation role, according to HRCAs chairman

Barry Humphreys. He said the main recreational use of the area will involve walkways and trails.

Humphreys said the Hilton Falls project has taken the longest of the four dams to get started because of problems encountered in acquiring the necessary land.

TWO YEARS'

It took almost two years for courts to grant the HRCAs a 20-acre parcel of land near the entrance to the area.

The dam will be 70-feet high and 1,500 feet long.

The 500-acre reservoir will be formed by diverting a stream in the

northern portion of the area and making use of a steep-sided glacial valley in the Niagara escarpment to hold the water.

DEEPEST

The reservoir will be one of the deepest in the area, with the depth expected to be 46 feet near the dam.

Humphreys said the dam will be built in two parts, with most of the earth-moving to be completed this year.

He said he hopes the project will include a fabri-dam similar to one used at Scotch Block dam.

The fabri-dam is an air-filled tube which occupies the central portion of the dam, and has the same function as sluice gates.

Gosling President Ontario Arena Men



DON GOSLING

At the annual general meeting of the Ontario Arenas Association held on October 13, at the Lakeshore Lions Arena, Don Gosling of Georgetown, was elected president of the association for the coming year.

Jack Green of Etobicoke the immediate past president presented Mr. Gosling with a gavel, and in return Mr. Gosling presented Mr. Green with his past president's certificate and pin.

Don Gosling, manager of the Georgetown Memorial Arena, has been a member of the Ontario Arenas Association for the past 10 years the last 4 years as a director on the executive committee during which time he served in the offices of 2nd vice-president and 1st vice-president.

The Ontario Arenas Association Inc., now in its Twenty-Fifth year of operation, was originally formed by a group of interested arena owners and operators for the purpose of pooling ideas that would benefit all people in the arena field. The nucleus consisted of six men and has grown to the present strength of 227 Arena Members and 101 Associate Members who are fully aware of the needs for such an Association.

Hornby News

Child Suffers Broken Leg, Shock, Bruises When Hit by Car

Julie Stenmann, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stenmann, was struck by a car in front of her home on the Fourth Line. The car was driven by Janet Lorenz of Rexdale. The driver swerved to miss the little girl but ended up in the ditch where she knocked off three fence posts. The little girl suffered a fractured leg, shock and bruises. She was removed to the Milton District Hospital.

The fifth meeting of the Hornby North Cautious Crafters was held at the Hornby Community Centre on November 1st, with Orlene Course in charge of opening the meeting. The theme for the meeting was, First Aid and the guest speaker was Mrs. Helen Miller. The Hornby Trail Blazers (Seniors) accompanied them. There were 37 girls present.

The North Trafalgar Euchre Club held their weekly euchre party on Saturday night, November 6, at the North Trafalgar Community Centre. There were eleven tables of euchre in play with the prizes being awarded to Mrs. Otto Marshment, Mrs. Gerald Teneycke, Mrs. Roy Wilson, Marjorie Sparling and Mildred Henry who tied for the low score. Mrs. Joe Sammit, Clare Wilson, Joe Ellis and Bill Thomson. The lucky draws were won by Mrs. Ola Robin and Otto Marshment.

Get well wishes are extended to Elmer McDowell who returned home last Tuesday. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery to better health.

Birthday greetings are extended to the following who are celebrating their birthdays: Mrs. John Cordingley and Harry Lowden on November 12; Mrs. Lillian Hamilton on November 13; Ronald Break on November 15 and Yvonne Brown who will celebrate her 8th birthday on November 17.

Get well wishes are extended to Cecil Carton who is a patient in the Milton District Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bousfield, were the guests of honour at a presentation held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bousfield in their honour, on Tuesday evening with 30 guests attending. Mrs. Ann Vandenberg and Mrs. Lillian Howden were in charge of entertainment which was a very friendly game of euchre with the prizes going to the following winners: Mrs. Raspberry, high prize and Mrs. Craig Royce the low prize and for the gents the winners were Frank Peacock who won the first prize and Martin Vandenberg the low prize.

Following the game of cards the young couple were presented with a lovely Coffee Table by Mrs. Howden and Mrs. Vandenberg on behalf of all attending. A vote of thanks was extended by the young couple for the very useful gift. A delicious lunch followed and a social half hour enjoyed by all.

Get well wishes are extended to Harold Robson, who is a patient in the Milton District Hospital.

Get well wishes are also extended to Stan Eyre, by his many friends in

the Hornby district. Stan, is recovering from surgery in the Georgetown District Hospital.

Friends in this district were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Fred McCarron, who died at Blind River, Ontario, on Thursday, November 4, in his 84th year. He was the beloved husband of the late Mildred McCarron, dear father of Betty Anne (Mrs. D. Boardman) of Sutton, John Frederick of Toronto, Dear brother of Isabel (Mrs. J. G. McClure) Brampton. He rested at the Lee Funeral Home, 258 Queen St. South, Streetsville where service was held on Monday, November 8th, at 2 p.m. Interment at Streetsville Cemetery. Mr. McCarron lived for many years in the local district prior to moving to Sutton several years ago.

—Mrs. Jim Hamilton

\$296 Worth Of Livestock Killed by Dogs

Livestock destroyed by dogs cost the Esqueping taxpayer \$296, council was informed Monday night. Three farmers south of Norval lost sheep, ducks and a goose. Douglas Gardhouse lost a registered ewe lamb valued at \$100, Mac Alexander lost five sheep valued at \$95, and Donald Timber lost 32 ducks and a goose for a loss of \$77.

Under the Livestock Protection Act losses are made up by the township if the owner of the dog cannot be found. If the owner is known he is liable for the damages. In addition any farmer can legally shoot a dog who is annoying or harming livestock.

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