

COUNTY COUNCIL

Halton county council this year has undergone the greatest change in personnel in its history. Elections have resulted in 12 changes in the 14 council seats, and the sudden death of Reeve Davis, of Georgetown, added another change, since a successor will have to be named in a new election.

Until his death, Reeve Davis had been the only one of the nine Reeves in the county municipalities who would have returned to his seat in the county body this year. He was given his fourth term as Reeve of Georgetown only a month ago.

Besides nine changes in the Reeves' chairs, four of the five deputy Reeves will be new to the county council. With the death of Reeve Davis, Deputy-Reeve Reeve, of Burlington, is the sole remaining member who held his same position in the 1939 council.

Six new members will sit for the first time. They are Reeves Dr. C. H. Heslop, Milton, and J. B. Chalmers, of Acton, and Deputy Reeves Charles Hillmer, Oakville; W. S. Hall, Trafalgar township, W. J. Robertson, Nelson township, and C. H. May, Esquimaux township.

Four Halton deputy Reeves have moved up to the reeveship of their respective municipalities. They are John Byers, Oakville; Norman Gilbert, Trafalgar; Leslie Kerns, Nelson, and W. A. Wilson, Esquimaux.

Three of the new Reeves, George Finney, Nassagaweya township; Leslie Kerns, Nelson, and John Blair, Burlington, are in line for the 1940 wardenship. Nassagaweya has not held the warden's chair since 1927, and Reeve Finney, with one year's previous experience on the county council, is looked upon as the choice for this year. Reeve Blair has been deputy-reeve for Burlington for three years, previous to last year, and Burlington has not had a warden since 1934, while Nelson has not held the Wardenship since 1932. Reeve Kerns has been on the county council as deputy for three years.

The following are the members for the County Council, which will meet at Milton next Tuesday evening: Acton—Reeve J. B. Chalmers; Burlington—Reeve John Blair; deputy Reeve Rex Hume.

Georgetown—No representative. Milton—Reeve Dr. C. H. Heslop; Oakville—Reeve John R. Byers; Deputy-Reeve C. V. Hillmer; Esquimaux—Reeve W. A. Wilson; Deputy Reeve C. H. May.

Nassagaweya—Reeve G. Finney; Nelson—Reeve Leslie Kerns; Deputy Reeve Wm. J. Robertson. Trafalgar—Reeve Norman Gilbert; Deputy Reeve W. S. Hall.

ZIMMERMAN

The Community league met at the church last Wednesday evening. Miss Mary Edwards, of Burlington, was a visitor here on Sunday. Several from here attended the hockey match at Burlington last night.

The thermometer registered below zero on Sunday morning. Water is very scarce in the vicinity, and a thaw would be welcomed.

CAMPBELLVILLE

The Campbellville W. I. met at the home of Miss J. Reid on Wednesday, January 3rd. In the absence of the President, the vice-president, Mrs. J. K. Mahon, conducted the meeting. The roll call was answered by a New Year's resolution. A report was given by the Flower and Fruit conveners regarding the distribution of cut flowers and plants to the shut-ins and elderly ladies of the community. It was decided to donate \$5.00 to the Canadian Tuberculosis Association. Current events were given by Miss N. Howard. The motto "Trust men and they will prove themselves true" was given by Mrs. Nelson Howard. Community singing was indulged in. An interesting talk on "Canadianization" was given by the convener of the month, Mrs. Geo. Inglis. A demonstration on candy was given by Mrs. J. K. Mahon and Mrs. F. Bill. Mrs. M. Hood offered her home for the next meeting. The meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem.

LOWVILLE

The Women's Missionary society met on Thursday last at the home of the president, Mrs. S. T. Coulson. Mrs. Burdge Butts had charge of the meeting. The study book was read by Mrs. Elmer Foster. The W.M.S. budget for 1940 was presented to the meeting for consideration by Mrs. Lockhart Spence. The installation of officers for 1940 was conducted by Mrs. Chas. Readhead.

Rev. W. R. Archer and F. W. Harbottle attended the funeral of Rev. R. C. Albright's father at the parsonage, Freeport, on Monday afternoon.

Rev. W. R. Archer, B.A., the esteemed pastor of the United church, at the quarterly official board meeting held in the United church here on Monday night, tendered his resignation, to take effect at the end of June, 1940, at which date he will be superannuated.

The annual congregational meeting of the United church will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 25th.

A number of the young people of this community are attending the short course school being held at Nelson village this month.

The officers for 1940 of Campbell lodge, A.F. & A.M., are as follows: Worshipful master, W. J. McLeod; immediate past master, L. W. McMillan; senior warden, W. M. Vansickie; junior warden, G. M. Colling; treasurer, R. Menzies; secretary, T. H. Snyder; assistant secretary, S. Robinson; chaplain, Rev. R. Lawson; senior deacon, Dr. H. R. McDonald; junior deacon, G. R. Carbet; senior steward, E. C. Foster; junior steward, C. F. Norrish; inner guard, G. E. Readhead; Tyler, J. C. Chisholm.

Milton's New Reeve

Dr. C. H. Heslop, Milton's new Reeve, is a man of varied qualifications. He has had many years experience on town council, served in the last great war with the Royal Army Veterinary Corps in Italy, is president of the Canadian Standard Breed Society, and holds executive offices in the Halton Agricultural Society and Milton Junior Hockey Association.

Reeve Heslop was born at Appleby in Nelson township, and graduated from the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. A veterinary surgeon, his father and grandfather before him practiced veterinary science in Halton. The new Reeve is a pacing horse enthusiast and during the past summer was presiding judge at numerous outstanding harness meets throughout the province. He broke and educated "Lastic Patch", and has raised and trained such well-known pacers as Jack Abbe, Irene Private and Grattanette.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH EVENING AUXILIARY

The evening Auxiliary of St. Paul's church held their first meeting of the new year at the home of Mrs. G. E. Gowland. The president, Mrs. Kibler, was in charge of the meeting. Miss M. Field, who conducted the Devotional period, spoke on the many possibilities to carry on the work of Christ during the coming year, and Mrs. K. Foster also gave a challenge for the New Year in her remarks. Two beautiful solos were sung by Mrs. Galloway and Miss Edna Anderson. The remainder of the evening was spent in an informal discussion and plans were made for the coming year.

The following are the newly elected officers: Hon. Presidents, Mrs. J. E. Bell, Miss G. Hillford; president, Mrs. Geo. Kibler; vice presidents, Mrs. K. Foster and Mrs. J. H. Wilmott; recording secretary, Mrs. G. E. Goodchild; cor. secretary, Miss N. Cunningham; treasurer, Mrs. H. Jennings; supt. of Christian stewardship, Mrs. Geo. Brownridge; supply secretary, Mrs. Featherstone; temperance secretary, Miss Freda Harrison; community friendship secretary and committee, Mrs. T. A. Hutchinson, Mrs. E. Foster, Mrs. H. Jennings; flower secretary, Miss M. Field; pianist, Miss M. Atkinson, Miss E. Anderson, refreshment committee, Mrs. A. McDonald, convenor, Miss E. Anderson, Mrs. Featherstone, Mrs. E. Foster.

Condensed Advertisements

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Turkeys for Sale—A number of fine bronze turkey hens and gobblers. Apply 290-r-3, Milton.

FOR RENT—A duplex apartment, good-sized rooms, clothes closets and good cellar, electric lights and town water and good garage. Apply Mrs. R. Ellis, Milton.

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Sanity in War Financing

Canada's forthcoming war loan can readily be expected to match the pattern of financial policy that will be universally recognized as sound, and one that reflects the benefits of experience from the last great war. Borrowing, in this instance, is a means only of bridging the margin between the amount of money obtainable by taxes and the actual amount needed to pay the costs of a government at war in defence of freedom.

Recognizing the pitfalls of her experience in the last war, Canada, on this occasion, is facing the problem of war financing in forthright manner. Canada's financial machinery has enabled her to set a course at the outset of the new world war that would have been virtually impossible in 1914; it will enable the Canadian people to avoid many of the demoralizing consequences of war, and post-war readjustments, such as befell Canada, and many other countries in the last great conflict.

This war is to be paid for, in so far as possible, as it is fought, rather than to hazard a repetition of inflationary price movements spiralling to an inevitable and expensive day of reckoning. For the past 20 years, Canada and other countries have been paying the price of inadequate machinery, lack of precedent and foresight in financing the last war. Canada now has a broad and comprehensive taxation system and the financial machinery required for exercising the control that is necessary to carry out a policy that will finance the heavy expenditures involved upon wartime conditions without giving rise to unfortunate maladjustments and their inevitable aftermath.

In recent years, Canada has pursued a moderate policy of expansion in company with the United Kingdom, Sweden and certain other countries. In consequence of that policy, Canada was able to reverse the deflationary trend of the early depression years and to facilitate an expansion in national production and business activity that has been more consistent and prolonged than in many countries. She has also effected a general reconstruction of her debt through refunding loans at lower interest rates and has repatriated, during the last five years over \$900 millions of Canadian debt held abroad. The net result has been to effect a substantial decrease in the cost of Government debt and to strengthen greatly Canada's credit position.

The new war loan, like probably all loans floated by Canada during this year, will be on a domestic basis. Canadians will provide the principal and receive the interest. The debt will be owed to ourselves in Canadian funds, and will, therefore, not give rise to the difficult exchange problems and real burdens to the country, which are inherent in external borrowing. In borrowing within our country, the Government hopes to see some of the real savings of the people converted into war loan bonds. The latest available figures show a total of \$1,734,800,000 of savings accounts held by depositors in chartered banks, the highest figure in the history of the Canadian banking system. These deposits are held in over 4 million accounts, which probably means that one out of about every three people in Canada has a savings account. By converting real savings into war loan bonds, the individual can make a real contribution to Canada's war effort, and at the same time secure for himself a safe and profitable investment.

The loan is open to popular public subscription. Clearly the call is strong, because the most emphatic demand is the moral obligation of every citizen to guard jealously the rights of freedom and shoulder his share of the bonds just as thousands of others are shouldering arms.

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Fresh and Clean SPINACH 2 POUNDS 15c

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A Call TO SERVICE on the Economic Front

"Materials and money count for so much in this war that a resolute, loyal and enthusiastic economic front line may be the determining factor."

MINISTER OF FINANCE

To your restless question "When can I help win this war?"—the answer is NOW. On Monday next, the Government of the Dominion of Canada will offer the First War Loan. The purpose of this Loan is to provide money to carry on the war, not only on the battlefields, but all along the Economic Front.

Let us explain what the Economic Front means. It means a war in which the entire natural, industrial and financial resources of the country are used to defeat the enemy. It means a "total war" in which every citizen takes a part, in which his personal resources must support those of the Nation.

In such a war, one of the chief weapons is money. Where is this money to come from? There is only one answer. It must come—and come voluntarily—from the savings of our people. The difference between us and the Germans is that we, of our own free will, lend our money—it is not ruthlessly taken away.

This is your opportunity to do your part in this struggle against Hitlerism. The eyes of the world are upon you, upon Canada, one of the strongest members of the British Commonwealth. Canadians must show that their strength, their courage and their resources are all in this fight against "brute force, bad faith, injustice, aggression and persecution."

The news of the success of this Loan must go ringing round the world. Be ready to buy War Loan Bonds. They will have the proven safety and salability of Dominion of Canada obligations. Any Investment Dealer or Chartered Bank will take your subscription. The quicker the economic war is won, the greater will be the saving of human lives... the swifter the collapse of the enemy.

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ANNUAL MEETING Halton Protective Association

The Annual Meeting of the Halton Protective Association will be held in the Court House, Milton, on TUESDAY, JAN. 16th, 1940, at 2.30 p.m.

All members are requested to attend. W. E. MCCREADY, President. ROBT. BUSH, JR., Sec.-Treas.

ANNUAL MEETING Halton Agricultural Society

The Annual Meeting of the Halton Agricultural Society will be held in the Court House, Milton, on TUESDAY, JAN. 23rd, 1940, at 2 p.m.

The Directors will meet at 1.30 p.m. Your attendance is respectfully requested. D. REID, President. E. M. READHEAD, Sec'y.-Treas.

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OMAGH WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The January meeting of the Omagh W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. Malcolm McEadden on Tuesday, Jan. 2nd. There was not a large attendance but the program was very interesting. Miss Brownridge gave a demonstration of the telling of seams, the cutting of true bias and the draping of fine materials. Mrs. William Booth gave a talk on Home Economics, giving recipes for three kinds of fancy cookies, and treated the members to a plateful of the cookies. Mrs. Bayley gave a thoughtful talk on the motto—"If you haven't what you want, want what you have." The roll call was answered with short-cuts in house-keeping. The relief committee reported clothing supplied to needy children. The hostess served a bountiful lunch. Two meetings of the governing class have been held and another is planned in the near future.

RED CROSS

The St. John's Ambulance Course will hold its first meeting Thursday, January 11th, at 8 p.m. in the Legion Hall. Dr. Freed will be in charge, assisted by Mr. T. Court. There are still a few vacancies for anyone who would like to join.

The course given by the Red Cross in Home Nursing and First Aid will have its first meeting Thursday, Jan. 11th, at 4.30 p.m. for the young people and at 8 p.m. for adults. The juniors will pay 5c a class and the adults 50c for the whole course. This includes the Red Cross Manual in both cases.

The first lecture will be given by Miss Estelle Ford on Health in the Home and Bed-Making. January 18th—Mrs. Roy Ellington will lecture on Care of the Bed Patient.

January 23rd—Dr. Syer will give a lecture to adults only at 8 p.m. (there will be no junior meeting on that day) on Communicable Diseases.

Skiers and other winter sports enthusiasts are not the only ones welcoming snow. Many farmers with cisterns nearly dry and winter wheat uncovered also are thankful.

According to the Federal Minister of Agriculture, a market is sought for 2,500,000 barrels of Canadian apples. Consumption of this fruit, raw and in its various d-lightful culinary guises, should be an easy matter for the population of this country. Let all hands tackle the job—one barrel per family.

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