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Milton Juveniles Honored by Dinner and Presentation

Club Who Reached the Ontario Finals Receive Windbreakers, Theatre Passes and Group Photos at Banquet at Milton Inn Last Friday Evening

Between 40 and 50 members of Milton Juvenile Ball Club, executive, town council and other members connected with the baseball club gathered at the Milton Inn on Friday last to enjoy a dinner provided by Milton Council. This dinner was to honor the Juvenile Baseball players who had been runners-up in the finals of the O.B.A. championship and had only been beaten by Simcoe in the third game of the playoffs.

After the dinner, Mayor Geo. H. Dawson called the meeting to order and stated that he was only representing the citizens of Milton in honoring the boys who had done so well during the past season. He stated that this may be the last official function at which he had the honor of presiding as his term of mayor would soon be up. He congratulated the juveniles on the showing they had made. He was pleased with the sportsmanship shown. The boys were a credit to the town on the field and also on the streets and council were happy to be their hosts. The members of the team had been all local boys and there were no imports on the team.

The boys had won the Halton County championship; Central District in defeating Alliston; Bruce District in defeating Walkerton; Lakeshore District in defeating Whitby and only lost out in the third game with Simcoe.

At this point the boys were introduced to the gathering and then W. J. Snyder, Sec. Treas. Ontario Baseball Association; Wm. Bradley, 2nd vice president O.B.A.; Ollie Johnson, president Halton County League; Terry Wilson, Sec. Halton Baseball League; Percy Merry, president Halton Agricultural Society; Dr. C. K. Stevenson, club physician; and Jas. W. Blain, Milton's most ardent baseball fan and finally the council were introduced.

Judge Munro assured the gathering that he had thoroughly enjoyed the games and he thought that there soon would be worthy successors to Milton Intermediates. He was looking forward to many more years of enjoyable baseball in Milton.

Major Bruce Fitzgerald stated that the boys had left a clean name with the sportsmanship they had shown and they can be proud of their record. The Agricultural Society were most helpful in co-operating with the use of their park for the boys. The generosity of the business men had enabled the purchase of 30 uniforms and the generosity of the fans who had kept going to the games was very helpful and enabled the club to keep going. Dr. Stevenson and Alex. Cook, secretary, had both done wonderful work for the club.

When W. J. Snyder was called upon, he stated that there were nearly 400 clubs under the O.B.A. He praised the Halton President, Ollie Johnson for his work, not only at baseball but on the athletic field. He stated that Halton County was the biggest drawing card under his jurisdiction and that there were always enquiries of "How's Milton making out?"

He advised the club to stick together and win the championship next year. The O.B.A. was formed in 1913 and it carries more clubs than any other organization in the North American continent. He stated that many of the boys who had taken part in baseball 20 years ago were now leaders in the business field.

Bud Corbett, manager of the team, stated that he was a recent arrival in town and enough credit could not be given to the boys for their work. He would like to see the boys stick together for another season's games. There are only 2 players who will not be available for next season at the present time. He thinks the promotion of sports is very fine and would like to see some provision made for youngsters in the Halton County League.

Stewart Hannant had nothing to say but by all reports he was a very efficient ball boy for the club.

Ollie Johnson said that he was honored and pleased by being president of the Halton County Baseball League. After six years of no organized ball, the Halton County League had 2 clubs in the finals and he would let the record speak for itself.

Major Fitzgerald presented the 17 members of the club with a blue and white windbreaker from the ball club, two passes to the Princess Theatre from M. Nixon and an enlarged photo of the club from Ross Pearen.

—Just sixteen more shopping days until Christmas. Do it now and do it in Milton.

Bronte Ratepayers Will Investigate Water Supply

Most Enthusiastic Meeting Discusses Incorporation of Village or Formation of Separate South Trafalgar Municipal Area

The Bronte Ratepayers' meeting held in the Community Hall on Friday evening November 29, was well attended and proved to be one of the most interesting and constructive meetings held in the village for a long time.

Mr. Frank Sullivan acted as chairman and conducted the meeting in a most capable manner.

The report of the Bronte Electric Light Commission was read by the secretary Mr. W. L. MacDonald. The condition of the system and the quality of the present service were discussed. Need for additional power and rehabilitation of the lines were emphasized.

Each of the three village commissioners, recently re-elected by acclamation, reported on the activities of the past year.

Mr. A. N. MacDonald gave a report on the work done on the sidewalks, the collection of garbage and the care of the village dump. He informed the ratepayers of the commission's intention of erecting a traffic light at the corner of Trafalgar Street and No. 2 Highway, as well as imposing a speed limit through the village.

Mr. E. Belyea reported on the Electric Light Commission's work. He outlined the growth of the village in the last few years and the prospects of rapid expansion in the near future. He quoted figures on the average consumer's amount of power and predicted that this would rapidly increase.

Mr. Belyea, also, stressed the need for a new village survey of its streets. Mr. A. Jennings, chairman of the Village Commission gave a complete review of the work of 1946. He explained the purchase of the village truck and the work of the village foreman, Mr. J. Osbourne. Foremost in his talk was the possibility of forming a Bronte Water Area, and a village incorporation. Mr. Jennings pointed out that our village covers an area of 400 acres and that it includes at present approximately 850 inhabitants. Should incorporation be considered an additional 200 acres might be acquired if the present rate of expansion continued. He also reported on the consultations with the Department of Municipal Affairs, the Department of the Assayer-General, and the Department of Highways. His remarks were concluded by mentioning how well the members of the Commission had worked in harmony during their term of office.

The latter part of the meeting was thrown open for free discussion. Several ratepayers deplored the lack of co-operation that existed between the Trafalgar Township Council and the Village Commission, and explained how this was responsible for the agitation of an incorporated village. The formation of a separate South Trafalgar from the Queen Elizabeth south was discussed as a possible solution if more co-operation and interest were not manifest by the present township council. It was emphasized that this southern area made up one-tenth of the area of Trafalgar and contained one-half the population who carried close to 50 per cent. of the assessment. Many advantages of a South Trafalgar Township were outlined. This idea was particularly well received by the ratepayers who wished further information as to its formation.

One ratepayer asked how the Lakeshore district could expect progressive leadership as long as the Township Council was composed exclusively of farmers. He felt that no legislative body could present the breadth of view necessary when predominated by any one occupational group. The speaker felt that with hundreds of able professional and business men in South Trafalgar, it was indeed, unfortunate that some of the other occupations were not chosen to represent this area in the Township Council. He recommended the formation of a South Trafalgar Ratepayers Association which should hold monthly meetings for the discussion of Lakeshore problems.

The following resolutions were moved and passed:

That the present ball park be retained. The meeting strongly opposed the suggestion of selling it.

That additional recreational grounds be procured within the limits of the village.

That the Community Club be asked

THE WILSON-LEGGO WEDDING IN ST. JUDE'S CHURCH, OAKVILLE

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Jude's Anglican Church, Oakville, Saturday, November 16th when Rev. W. E. Ecclestone united in marriage Averie Patricia Leggo, Toronto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leggo, Newfoundland and Leslie Flett Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wilson Milton. The bride was gowning in a blue sheer floor-length gown with full skirt and sweetheart neckline. A halo of orange blossoms held in place her shoulder length veil. She carried a cascade bouquet of Tullis-man roses, bronze mums and fern. Her only attendant was her sister, Mrs. W. E. Linn, who was dressed in pink sheer floor-length gown, with matching feather headdress, her cascade bouquet of pink carnations and white chrysanthemums with fern was similar to that of the bride's. Mervin Wilson was his brother's best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Wilson, where a buffet supper was served. A three-tier wedding cake centred the bride's table which was beautifully decorated with candles and pink tapers. The groom's mother received wearing a black dress with a corsage of white baby mums and red roses.

For their honeymoon, the bride changed to a turquoise dressmaker suit with brown accessories and topcoat. The couple have taken up residence in Oakville.

PUBLICITY CHECK

HARROW, Middlesex, England (CP)—Jay-walkers and careless motorists are "pilloried" in shop windows by photographs taken by the local safety council.

to consider the securing of additional recreational area.

That a fact finding committee be formed to secure information regarding the formation of a water area. This committee was to include the members of the Village Commission and the following members:

W. G. Sargent; D. A. Allan, Alvin Bumbly, R. A. Hopkins, K. Lewis, D. Gibson, L. M. Bray, W. Patterson, W. R. Hill, J. Poole.

The committee has power to add to its numbers and is to bring back an exhaustive report on all the possibilities of establishing an area.

A resolution that this meeting most heartily commend the good work of the commission for the year 1946 was passed.

Fire Losses in Milton Only \$85 for the Year

Report of Fire Chief Received at Council Tuesday — Night Constable to be Engaged—Presentation to Additional Group of Servicemen — Street Lighting for Christmas if Possible

A special meeting of Milton Council was held on Tuesday, November 26th, when members of the Milton Branch of the Canadian Legion were present in connection with signing the lease for the Arena. A by-law was passed, and the proper officials were authorized to sign the lease.

At this meeting, it was decided to advertise for a night constable for the Town of Milton.

The regular meeting of Milton Council was held on Tuesday evening with Mayor Dawson presiding. Councillors J. W. Higgins, V. J. Norris, F. L. Crawford, G. C. Gowland and Reeve C. H. Heslop were present.

Mayor Dawson made presentation of rings and certificates to members of the armed forces who had inadvertently been omitted from the list during the recognition last summer. Those present for the presentation were Ralph Sprague, James Higgins, L. R. Stephens, W. J. Wilson was present and received his own and that of his brother A. V. Wilson. Mr. Walter Smith was present and accepted the ring and certificate of his son, A. W. Smith. The balance of the rings will be mailed to those entitled to them in accordance with the ruling made by council so that the presentations will be completed this year.

Reports were presented from the following committees:

Waterworks	\$ 94.01
Printing and Contingencies	344.35
Fire, Light and Police	796.65
Town Hall and Property	14.25
Streets and Walks	79.89
Industrial and Arena	4.65

The Finance committee passed the above accounts and their report, making a total of \$1,543.80, for payment. Councillor Crawford gave a report on the possibility of obtaining coloured lights for the streets for the

Fathers Added to Attendance at the Home and School

The regular monthly meeting of the Home and School Association was held in Milton Public School, Wednesday evening, November 25th.

Fathers were especially entertained and they helped to swell the audience to the number of 85. All grades were well represented by the parents and the competition for the holding of the pennant for this month was close. Miss Gemmill of Grade IV won out with 16 parents present.

The program was interesting and entertaining. Two numbers by a ladies trio, Mesdames Lockie, Hayward and Foster, accompanied by Mrs. R. Anderson were really fine. A series of impromptu two minute talks by a number of fathers were both instructive and amusing. Suitable awards were made in each case. Rev. Gordon Porter in a splendid address, sounded a note of warning that in these times, perhaps do not heed, wise things that are being spoken. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem, after which refreshments and an informal social half hour brought to a close a very pleasant and profitable evening.

Derailed Car at Acton Station Stopped Travel for Hours

When a carload of hogs was derailed last Friday on the siding at Acton station, traffic between Toronto and London was badly disrupted. Morning trains were cancelled and no mail was received in Acton until the evening train from Toronto.

A freight train was switching cars in the Acton yard and the carload of pigs split the switch on the south-east siding with a set of trucks on the track and the other set bumping along the ties.

Two crews of railway workers arrived on the scene about 10:30 and the car was back on the rails by noon. The axle was badly bent and a set of trucks had to be replaced. Carloads of equipment, two derricks and about fifty railway men with special police and official were here for much of the day.

The passenger train from Toronto to Stratford and London was detoured through Hamilton. The Toronto bound train from London ran through Fergus and Guelph Junction.

Three Former Councillors Three New Members for 1947

Meeting at Acton Favor forming of High School District

Inspectors Stewart and Skuce Supply Information for Representative Group from Halton and Wellington

Representatives of Councils and School Boards from Milton, Georgetown, Acton, Nassagaweya, Esqueving, Erin, Eramosa and Rockwood and citizens of Acton attended a meeting last night in Acton Town Hall to discuss the question and secure information regarding the formation of a High School District for north Halton. The meeting was convened by the Acton School Board and G. A. Dills, chairman presided.

At the outset the chairman explained that the purpose of the meeting was to secure information and Mr. Wm. Stewart, inspector of High Schools and Mr. L. L. Skuce, Halton inspector of Public Schools and secretary of the Consultative Committee and Mr. J. M. McDonald, northern member of the committee were present to give that information and answer questions.

Mr. Stewart, Mr. Skuce and Mr. McDonald did give that information fully. The discussion period was lively and brought out all the problems perplexing municipal representatives. While it was not thought when the meeting was convened that any steps would be taken, it appeared that in most parts of the district there was a desire for action on the question and in several parts a need for immediate decision.

A show of hands revealed that the great majority of those present were in favor of forming a North Halton High School district and none were opposed.

A second resolution carried by the meeting was that the Board and Council of each municipality would meet and secure an opinion of the body on the forming of the High School district for North Halton and that such opinion would be forwarded to Mr. L. L. Skuce, Secretary of the Consultative Committee not later than December 18th.

The required forms for applications to County Council and the Department of Education were available and taken home for study by Mayor and Reeves, Councillors and School Boards.

NASSAGAWEYA SCHOOL AREA BOARD ENJOY A SOCIAL EVENING

Last Thursday evening a very pleasant time was enjoyed when Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Van Goozen, assisted by Miss Lydia Snow, were host and hostess at a social evening held by the members of Nassagaweya School Area Board and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Skuce, also the area teachers and their husbands and wives in Bloomsbury School, S. S. No. 9.

After a full evening of contests and games the happy gathering sat down to a chicken supper. When the tarts and ice cream were disposed of, the prizes were awarded to the following winners: contests, Mrs. Skuce, Mr. Dudley, Mr. Bryant, Mrs. Carbert; euchre, Mrs. Alex. Near, Dr. Young, Miss V. Nightingale, Mr. Roy Lambert, Miss L. Snow, Mrs. T. Snyder.

NASSAGAWEYA W. I. MAKE PRESENTATION TO WAR BRIDE

The November meeting of the Nassagaweya W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. I. Richardson.

The roll call was responded to by 18 ladies by giving "my pet economy." A very good report of the conference held in Guelph was given by Mrs. F. Rhinehart, who was the delegate to the convention. Plans were made for a dance to be held early in December. Plans were made in providing the lunch for the soldiers' reception.

It was a pleasure for the ladies to present a gift to the last war bride who came to the vicinity, Mrs. Arthur Davenport. Mrs. Mahon, on behalf of the Institute, presented her with a woollen blanket and a luncheon set. One of the members, Mrs. Simpson, who is leaving the vicinity, was presented with a little gift.

Mrs. Padbury, agricultural convenor, took the chair and gave a short paper entitled "Short cuts to good health." Mrs. Anderson gave a very interesting paper on the use of the pressure cooker. Mrs. Mahon told of many Christmas hints. The meeting closed by singing "Carry me back to old Virginia." A social half hour was enjoyed by all and lunch was served by the hostess and her helpers.

Question for Change of Council term Carried by Three to One—Over Half of Electors Used Their Franchise at Milton Elections Monday.

620 voters in the municipal elections cast their ballots in Milton on Monday when six councillors were elected and a question which would change terms of councillors to two years with three members elected each year, was given approval by a vote of nearly three to one.

Members elected to Council were Ken. Dick, H. F. Whewell, Victor Norris, F. L. Crawford, Walter Northington and Geo. Hord. Three are members of the 1946 Council and three are new members. The vote on the question was Yes, 436 and No 153.

Following is the vote in the various wards with totals.

	E.	N.	S.	Total
David Brush	25	43	59	127
F. L. Crawford	59	125	134	318
Ken. Y. Dick	75	182	192	449
Mervin Ezeard	49	71	78	198
Andy Elliott	59	75	79	213
Geo. Hord	45	100	113	258
Chas. Jones	19	27	50	96
Walt. Northington	48	107	117	272
Victor Norris	56	120	144	320
Sam Randall	26	85	128	239
Bert Sinclair	38	36	58	132
H. F. Whewell	69	141	171	381
Question Yes	76	171	189	436
Question No	40	43	70	153

GEORGETOWN

One of the last district servicemen to return from overseas, Gnr. Eddie Stapleton came home last Thursday and was met in Toronto by his wife and baby daughter and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stapleton, Norval.

Lt. Col. C. T. Sharpe, ED, Streetsville, has been appointed to command the Lorne Scots (Peel, Dufferin and Halton Regiment) according to orders published by Headquarters Military District No. 2. Lt. Col. Sharpe assumed command on Friday, 15 November, succeeding Lt. Col. N. L. Powell, ED, Brampton.

A district hunting party of 8 men had good luck in a recent trip north when they returned with four deer. The successful marksmen were Geo. Hoare, Harold Campbell, William A. Marshall and Bert Akitt of Belwood. Others in the party were Chief W. G. Marshall, A. E. Cripps, Neil McDonald of Guelph and Alex. Mitchell of Acton.—Herald.

Events Just Ahead

Announcements of Meetings, Concerts, or Other Events, under this heading, are charged, in cents per line, average 6 words to line, with a minimum charge for any announcement of 25c.

Candlelight Service at Boston Church, December 15th, at 7 o'clock. 26-2

Christmas concert at Beston Church December 23rd, at 8:30 p.m. Everybody welcome. 26-3

Dance Brookville Hall, December 6th, auspices Nassagaweya W. I. Alex. Near's orchestra. B

Hornby W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Stark, Wednesday, December 11th at 2 p.m.

The December meeting of the Scotch Block W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Albert Peddie, December 12th, at 2 p.m.

All men interested in forming, midget, bantam and pee wee leagues are requested to attend a meeting in the council chambers, Wednesday, December 11th at 8 p.m.

Knox Church Dramatic Society are holding a Christmas program in the Sunday School Room, this Sunday evening, December 8th, at 8.15. All members of the Church and their friends are cordially invited.

December meeting of Mountain Union W. I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Robt. Bush, Wednesday afternoon, December 11th at 2.30 o'clock. Motto, "It is more blessed to give than to receive," by Mrs. A. Colling. Miscellaneous sale.

St. Paul's United Church Annual Bazaar will be held Saturday afternoon, December 7th. Afternoon tea will be served. Come and patronize the following booths: Cotton, Gifts and Novelties, Knitting, Quilt, Doll's Clothes and Candy. 24-2