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I.O.D.E. Carnival Nonagenarians Had Good Events Mark Seventieth Fine Costumes

The Prize Winners in Races, Skating and Costume Events

Nearly 800 people attended the Carnival sponsored by the John Milton Chapter I.O.D.E. held Milton Arena last Wednesday evening. The monster event attracted many attractive costumes in both the adult and children's classes.

shabbily costumed, wondered if the coast and a cable from the King. ice were safe before he donned his Henry Couse started keeping the top of his head.

ing part in the carnival.

appeared in costume.

Tiny Hopkins, in his inimitable Mr. and Mrs. Couse are both in

12-14 years: Marilyn Fay, spry as you near a hundred." landra Bell. Boys - 8-10 years. eter Robinson; 10-12 years Richard GOOD RESPONSE lickett, Ken Metcalfe. Fancy ouple: Sandra and Joe Walfe, Mrs. E. Goodchild and Mrs. C. A. Vood. Children's comic costume: andra Bell.

lass-Old Time Costume, Rev. J. Blair; Comic, Herb Marshall. Special costumes: Best comedy County.

ank Pearen. fford single gent, Bill Vaughn, who benefitted, and by the Society. Finance - Whewell, Dick, Macth Fay; married gent: Jack Kelgrand prize for all in costume nt to Herb Marshall.

mpany, Imperial Oil Company, ed back to the house. donating prizes: S. A. Fay & ching for words of comfort. op. R. Brown Florists, Purdy The Reader's Digest. Purdy, Milton Dry Goods, ell and Brush, Higgin's Garage, PUBLICATION IS NO PICNIC Kim's Hardware, Ross Holmes dleton's Groceries, Ross Stores junk.

ples—in quantity and value the most important Canadian

Milton Hardware.

Cookstown's famous nonagenarian couple, celebrated their 70th weddin anniversary at their home on December 28th. Mr. Couse, in his 97th year, was one of the original bee-keepers in Ontario as well as a seed buyer.

The truly happy event was marked officially by the village itself, when Trustee Eldon Neilly proudly came into the home bearing a giant bouquet of 70 deep red roses "to mark the event as it should be Throughout the evening two marked", he explained, "and as a gentlemen kept the audience fervent token of the community's amused with their humorous antics. regard for a wonderful old couple". Salamanda, the huge negro mammy Mr. and Mrs. Couse also received skated and jumped and fell and- many congratulatory telegrams while a knight of the roads, quite from friends and relatives coast to

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Couse,

skates, then finally enjoyed the bees at Beeton in 1875 and a few funcheon he carried in a tin can on years later married Hannah Jean Richardson of Bond Head. The While there were no entries in marriage took place in Pekin N.Y. some of the different classes, there From Beeton they went to Chelwas keen competition in several of tenham and in 1895 to Cookstown the races, when boys and girls vied where grandson Harry Couse is a for speed honors. The Girl Guides village trustee, and son John R. were awarded top prize for being the main grocer. The family also the best group and Frank Pearen includes another son, Alpine, of was the oldest man on skates tak- North Hollywood, Cal., an electrical engineer; five grandsons, one Nels Pickett, as the negro mam- granddaughter and three greatmy who created such havoc was grandchildren. Mr. Henry Couse given the award for being the best is a brother of the late William fun-maker, while Herb Marshall. Couse of Streetsville. Mr. Harold as the knight of the road, was W. and Mr. Alan L. Couse of awarded the grand prize of all who Streetsville, nephews, attended the celebration in Cookstown.

style as Master of Ceremonies, kept good health and Mrs. Couse does the program going at a fast pace. all her own housework and her Following the display and judging husband handles his own share of of costumes, the huge crowd com- the chores. Mr. Couse attributes pleted the evening's fun with skat- his longevity to his profession which is so close to nature that a Results of the judging of cos- man can't help but live long. "Pertumes are: Children's fancy cos- haps so", returns his wife, four umes: Girls under 8 years, Brad- years his junior, "but I give credit ord Clements, David Bell; 19-12 to a consistent diet of coarse foods ears, Sandra Walfe, Shirley Wil- -if you want to keep bright and

FOR APPEAL FOR CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS

A generous response was received Race Results-Girls 8-10 years to the appeal of the Children's Aid arol Tufford, Zella Harris; 10-12 Society for contribution to assist, ears: Jean McCutcheon, Helen needy families at Christmas. During fills; 12-14 years: Joan Tufford, the month of December cash donafuriel Bristow. Boys-8-10 years, tions totalled \$83.00. The money Brush; girls — Patricia Nicholson ners. Gifts of new and used toys Council then adjourned.

-Mrs. M. T. White. Gentleman's families known to be in need of C. R. Anderson, B. C. MacNab, M. Council ordered the letter filed. for many little children of our in for 1950.

welty race: Mrs. H. Brush and to thank the individuals and were appointed a striking commit- be some arrangement made to im- and five persons injured Tuesday rs. Corp; best fun maker: Nels various organizations who helped tee to recommend the committees prove facilities. ckett; oldest person on skates: to make this work possible. Your for the year. kindness was greatly appreciated, The following committees were Adult races—Single lady: Helen both by the parents and children appointed:

NO DISAPPOINTMENT

The executive and members of A friend of mine in Oklahoma, John Milton Chapter I.O.D.E. whose husband and children have a very grateful to all those mer- healthy respect for their spring ants and others who gave so free- tornadoes, always complained bitof cash and prizes to make the terly each time she was forced into t the success it was. They wish the storm cellar by her anxious acknowledge cash donations family. Year after year the storms Milton Milling Company, missed them and with each trip to avor Dr. C. H. Heslop, Halton the cellar she became more embitultry Products, Milton Lumber tered in her remarks as they trudg-

Electric, M. Nicholson Motors, Last spring, however, they emer-Kennedy, Mr. Carrol, F. Hay- ged from their refuge to find the Milton Snack Bar, Imperial house rubble and their possessions Mac's Service Station, Park scattered to the four winds. Her Dairy and Milton Dairy. To husband patted her shoulder, sear-

White Bakery, T. Eaton Co., He was stunned to hear her say Insurance Agency, in tones of great satisfaction, "Now light's Men's Wear, Ron Harris, that's the way I like to see things fon Department Store, Milton when I come up out of a storm celana, MacNab and Son, Milton lar!" - From Life's Like That" in

cher Shop, Bessie's Lockers, If we print jokes people say we roll's Ltd., Clement Paint and are silly, if we don't they say we Apaper, Mayfair Lunch, Grim- are too serious. If we go out and od's, Milton Beauty Salon, Daw- try to hustle, we ought to be on Hardware, Paddy Wilson the job in the office. If we don't cher, Tom Dear, Bailey and print contributions, we don't apws, Shepherd Taxi, St. Law- preciate genius and if we do print ce Graceries, Milton Champion, them, the column is filled with

Pickett's Drug Store, Kerr's If we edit the other fellow's Store, Red and White Store, write-up we're too critical; if we ker Stores Ltd., Morley and don't we're asleep. If we clip dall butchers, Halton Dairy things from other papers, we are lucts, Mitchell Bakery, Princess too lazy to write them ourselves. If tre, R. S. Adams, Maher Shoe we don't we are stuck on our own Town Hall and property .. 102.48 les—is the world's largest fresh Ledwith Groceries, Selrite stuff; now likely as not some guy will say we swiped this from some magazine. We did!!!

> The Italians invented ice-cream in the 14th century.

MANY EVENTS AND COSTUMES AT CARNIVAL



Many fine costumes were displayed at the carnival held at Milton Arena here last Wednesday evening. About the same number of entries in both the children's and adult classes were in evidence throughout the entire program. Pictured above are some of the very fine costumes which were awarded prizes. A mother and daughter combination was awarded prizes when Mrs. Marshall White wore the best ladies' comic costume, while her daughter, Dorothy wore the best ladies National costume, left. Miss Sandra Bell, right, is shown in her cannibal costume. However, she was not as fierce as those teeth indicate. She was awarded first in children's classes as the best of the fancy and comic costumes. Frank Pearen, inset, 83-year-old Milton resident, proudly beams after being awarded the prize for being the oldest person on skates attending the big event.

Photos by Ross Pearen figure stands at 1,717,538.

Committees Named at First Meeting of Council

Fitzgerald Appointed to High holes and cellars.

Council was held on Tuesday even- put on Sundays.

help, and Christmas was brightened Ezeard, H. F. Whewell, were sworn Council discused the parking at , Sammy Mills and Bert Jones; The Children's Aid Society wishes worth and Councillor Whewell proached to see if there could not

Fire, Light and Police-Thompson, Anderson, Holdsworth. Waterworks-Holdsworth, Norris

Thompson. Town Hall and Property-Norris, Holdsworth, Ezeard.

Printing and Contingencies-Anderson, Whewell, Dick. Parks and Recreation - Ezeard,

MacNab, Anderson. Nab, Ezeard, Whewell.

son, Norris.

pension plan for the town and its and School Association is to employees. This pension plan is responsible.

plan for the employees. the Whole to consider the reports ture when they are issued. of the Standing Committees. The The town foreman was instructed

Relief for January \$116.90 | Construction Co. Membership of Assessing

Business taxes paid out of accounts payable Mayor and Council to Dec. 550.00 sought. Fire, Light and Police 60.60 Printing and Contingencies 312.30 Lake superior-31,820 square mi-Waterworks 84.39 water body. Streets and Walks

trade in the gasoline pump to re- the glacial period.

Martin's Resignation Accepted Presbytery of the United Church. It Team Captains — Joyce Hamilton, straight defeat in two games by a The inaugural meeting of Milton the use to which the arena is being Marshall; Social convenors, Joyce 4-0 lead by the end of the second

ing of the caretaker at his present and a delicious lunch served. nd Muriel Nicholson; Adult events and clothing were also received. The new Council, composed of salary. They wanted an explana-Through this generosity the Mayor C. H. Heslop, Reeve K. Y. tion of the method used in hiring Forothy White; industrial costume: Children's Aid Society was able to Dick, Deputy Reeve K. C. Holds- or a public meeting be called. This Irs. Austin Tufford; comic costume provide Christmas boxes for all the worth, Councillors G. F. Thompson, letter was only signed "Taxpayers."

the block adjacent to the arena. The Reeve Dick, Deputy Reeve Holds- arena management was to be ap-

a representative on the North Hal- miles south of Brampton. gerald be appointed as the town ous driving by provincial police. representative on the North Halton term of 1950-51.

The town appointed Mr. Powell to the Library Board for 1950-51-52. the bus. He has been a previous member of this board.

Industrial and Planning — Mac- A letter of appreciation was read Arthur of Scarboro, suffered cuts Brown, Speck, Hayes, Salisbury and from Mr. Sam Brush for the town's and George Gilchrist, driver of the Buckley. Streets and Walks-Dick, Thomp- remembrance of him at the Christ-

mas season. Mr. Cooper of Hamilton was pre- A letter was read from the Home when the southbound truck went Alternates, Fay, Lantz, Linton, sent to discuss with Council a pen- and School Association requesting into a skid and swerved towards Brush, Sheppherd and Basso. sion plan. Mr. Cooper is the re- permission to use the band instru- the oncoming bus. presentative of the Government ments held by Council. The in-Annuities Commission. He gave a struments are to be used for the very complete report of the pro- formation of a local band. This percedure necessary to inaugurate a mission was granted and the Home

necessary in order that the town | A by-law was introduced to hycan collect the grants from the pothecate the monies raised by deprovince. The Council took the bentures for the construction of a first step to inaugurate a pension sewage disposal plant, to the Bank of Nova Scotia. The bank will col-Council went into Committee of lect the money raised by the deben-

following accounts were passed for to fill in the holes on Main Street and charge the amount to Sparton injury. A reply was received to the in-

10.00 quiry about the status of a firm Salary Payroll, Dec. 919.98 that wants to make sewer connections in town. The engineer's ad-62.96 vice on the matter was to be

Ice over Canada's northern Cam- salesman.

GRACE CHURCH A.Y.P.A. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Tuesday evening, January 3rd at the Rectory. The following officers were elected for 1950: Honorary Take Steps to Set Up Pension place the one which has been in President, Rev. J. Homer Ferris; Plan for Employees to Meet service for the past few years. The Past President, Bob Marshall; Grant Requirements-F. W. B. pump is used for pumping out man- President, Tom Bounsall; Vice President, George Ferguson; Sec., School Board when Dr. C. A. A letter was read from the Halton Ted Bounsall; Treas., Mary Gooch; handed Oakville their second drew to the attention of Council Jack Yates, Bill Rowney and Bob 6-3 score. With Milton taking a Hamilton, Mrs. Rowney and Joan period Oakville at no time threat-

One Killed and Five Injured in Accident Tuesday

One Guelph woman was killed morning when the side was ripped A letter was read from Dr. C. A. off a Gray Coach Lines bus which Martin tendering his resignation as collided with a transport truck two

ton High School District Board. Driver of the truck, Charles Tel-The following motion was passed: ford, 41, of Grand Valley, has been ing. "And resolved that F. W. B. Fitz- charged with careless and danger-Mrs. Helen Agar, of Brooklin, High School District Board for the formerly of Guelph, died in Peel Memorial Hospital, Brampton, two

> Most seriously hurt was Mrs. Oakville - Leger, g; McNally, bus, face cuts.

The impact ripped the side of the bus halfway to the rear. Following the collision the bus careened down a 13-foot embankment and ran 200 yards in a ditch before it could be stopped. Police said the presence of mind and coolness of the bus driver saved many more from being injured. He guided the vehicle to a stop although suffering cuts from flying glass.

distance before coming to a stop. The driver was uninjured. Eighteen passengers in the bus also escaped

AMUSEMENT CENRE

there were a movie in town. "Nope," was the reply.

you have?" asked the exasperated made the \$2,000 tax free. \$2671.77 bridge Bay has been estimated to "Wal, come down to the drug blunder. To start further exemp- at the Rockwood Town Hall, Tues-

Officers Installed At St. Clair Lodge

Masonic Lodge

Installation of officers of St. Clair Lodge No. 135 A.F. & A.M. was held on December 27th, 1949. Installing Master M. S. Sproat and his Board installed the officers for 1950 as follows:

W. Master W. Bro. E. L. Randall; I.P. Master W. Bro. W. T. Randall; lain, Rev. J. H. McKay; Treasurer, celebrate the beginning of 1950. W. Bro. R. M. Clements; Secretary, V. W. Bro. J. H. Willmott; Assistant break of organized trouble occurred Secretary, W. B. Chas. Fay; D. of C. at the Town Hall dance last New W. B. W. Geo. Dawson; Sr. Deacon, Year's Eve when a gang of young W. B. Ken Watson; Jr. Deacon, W. fellows attempted a brawl in which B. E. W. Foster; I. Guard, Bro. J. one youth was injured about the E. Hartley; Sr. Steward, Bro. O. L. face. According to eye witnesses, Hadley; Jr. Steward, Bro. George they were unable to determine just Newell; Organist, W. B. E. J. Phinn; how it started and among whom, Tyler, W. B. C. N. Kerr.

66% of U.S. CARS VISITED IN ONTARIO IN 1949

Ontario again leads all provinces in regard to United States visitors a wholesale disappearance of the entering Canada on Travellers' Vehicle Permits. During the first nine months of the current year approximately 66 per cent of all U.S. cars entering Canada came into Ontario, leaving 34 per cent for the other nine provinces.

According to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, during the month to Ron Featherstone was stolen of September alone, 463,175 U.S. from where it was parked on Main motor cars entered Ontario. To Street. Mr. Featherstone told the date this year 1,057,033 motor cars police he parked to go into a store entered Ontario on T.V.P.'s as and when he returned later it was compared with 989,975 during the gone. A radio and valuable camera same period in 1948, an increase were also in the vehicle. The car of 6.8 per cent.

Flor all of Canada the entry

Milton Wins 6-3 Over Oakville The annual meeting of Grace Last Night's Game

Second Defeat of This Team In Schedule-Milton Took An Early Lead

Last night Milton Intermediates

In the scoring department, Linton Christmas.-The Scene. Currie and Melanson did all the work on the score sheet for Milton, each marking up two goals. Davison for Oakville was their big gun than any war. Doctors say it is hours after being removed from firing two goals with Patterson ad- not the increase but that higher ding the third.

Doris Kemp, Scarboro, fractured Kennedy, d; Galbraith c; Davidson, arm and face cuts, Clifford Mc- Patterson w; Alternates, Lawrence, Milton-Evans g; Stewart, Scana-

Police said the accident occurred lon, d; Fox c; Currie, Melanson, w;

NO TAX DISCRIMINATION

Th suggestion in Parliament that clergymen should be exempt from income tax gets criticism from the Financial Post. Editorially it states: "The intent was good. The claim

of several members that the clergy are generally a sorely underpaid group, poorly rewarded for their January 9th at 8.00 p.m. at the many good words, will have the home of Mrs. Frank Stark. Forum The truck continued on for some agreement of the great mass of Discussion, "The Law of Supply Canadians. But the proposal that and Demand." 'our clergymen be taken right out of the income tax brackets altogether' will most certainly not com- Mountain Boys will be at the Town

to exempt any group of our people sion 50c. A salesman stranded in a small whatsoever from income tax that village asked one of the natives if is so poisonous, both practically Members of Women's Canadian

and politically. "Our own MP's are the first of- hearing Mr. L. L. Skuce, I.P.S. at "Any poolrooms or bowling al- fenders against the rule that no their meeting in the Legion Hall, group should be exempt. When on Wednesday, January 11th at they handed themselves salary in- 3 p.m. "What form of amusement do crease of \$2,000 a year in 1945 they

freshman home from college." | can have appalling consequences." | mission 50c.

Another Brawl Mars Dance on New Year's Eve

Fight On Dance Floor Stopped By Sounding Fire Alarm-Dance is Closed

Two unfortunate week-end inci-Sr. Warden, Bro. A. T. Woodley; Jr. dents marred the revelry of the Warden, Bro. Fred Hayward; Chap- happy throngs who turned out to

> The second skirmish and outbut that the gang, believed to be from Hamilton or Dundas, attempted a pitched battle on the dance floor. One of the gang drew a jack-knife and when the fire siren was sounded by the Chief of Police offenders down fire escapes pre-

> vented them from being apprehended. Doug Bonham, of Erindale, was badly cut on the face and received medical attention at the Milton jail. The dance was ordered closed to prevent further trouble.

On Monday night a car belonging had not been recovered yesterday.

Chief of Police, Hugh Warmington again issued a stern warning to those who might start trouble in the municipality. He said "further protection is being provided and culprits would be severely dealt

Many other private parties were conducted throughout the town while on New Year's Day the Milton Fire Brigade held a very successful midnight dance at the Town Hall. A second dinner dance was held at Milton Inn. In spite of the unseasonable weather conditions, large crowds attended successful entertainments to top off the celebration for a successful 1950.

NOVEMBER REST

Trush, Jim Harris; couples speed candy and oranges, and even a few ing. The minutes of the last meetkating, boys: Don Finn and Terry big fat chickens for Christmas dinnotched three goals to Milton's two. days, but the rush of harvest is While Milton led in, and almost over and preparations for winter consisted of, the parade to the sin take up the slack. The chores are bin, no goals were scored against greatly increased by bringing all them while they were short hand- the livestock into the barn. Rain ed. Milton drew eight penalties, and snow and frozen ground reduce one of them in a misconduct to the outdoor work. The pace slack-Lantz when he apparently attempt- ens. Gray days quiet the nerves. ed to explain some of the finer The early evenings are spent at points of the game to the referee. the fireside and long nights in bed. Sheppherd drew three penalties, Full cellars, woodshed, bins and Scanalon two, Stewart and Brush mows assure security and comfort. one apiece. McNally for boarding There is rest in the solid satisfacand Davidson for roughing were tion which the winter winds canthe only Oakville players sent to not shake. The family are close the side lines for two minutes cool- together again after the rush of summer leisurely planning for

> Cancer has proven more deadly statistics are due to earlier and better diagnosis than heretofore.

Coming Events

Announcements of Concerts, or Other Events, under this heading, are charged, to cents' per line, with a minimum charge for any announcements of 30c.

Scotch Block Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Roy Currie, Jan. 12th at 2.00 o'clock. Note change of place.

Hornby Farm Forum will meet

Kidd Baker and his Pine Ridge mend itself to responsible people. | Hall, Milton, on Friday, January 6 "It is this business of starting for a dance. Dancing 9-1. Admis-

Club will have the pleasure of

Don't forget Kidd Baker and his "That exemption was a serious Pine Ridge Mountain Boys will be Council passed a resolution to have been 2,000 feet thick during store," said the old man. "Thar's' a tions on the ground of good works day, January 10. Dancing 9-1. Ad-