OUR READERS WRITE:

DISPUTES CRITICISM ON GRAPE BOYCOTT

Dear Sir:

RE: California Grape Boycott Critic.

I read with dismay, and also with amusement, our Editorial Analyst's column, who, for some time, has made several critical assertions of The Canadian Champion and others who have submitted a news item to this paper.

I'm convinced that he believes only the news releases he wants to and his mind is already made up on which side of an issue he stands.

I have found, for many years, this paper pretty fair on their stories and never 'pro Union'. If there is any leaning, it is towards management.

I have also found them pretty accurate and printed news releases on facts, not on beliefs to mislead anyone.

If you would like a comparison, read the rag south of us VS The Canadian Champion. However, I do not intend to defend The Canadian Champion as they are quite capable of doing that themselves.

Mr. Sargent, it is obviously plain that you have not been down to the California valleys where these grapes are grown to see the conditions we talk about.

You are assuming that the Grape Boycott is wrong because of the news release of Rev. MacDonald, United Church, Don Mills or Michael O'Meara, Editor, Catholic Register.

I would like to point out to you, and to the people in this area, that Rev. MacDonald and Mr. O'Meara were never on the side of the grape workers and then switched.

The third person on that junket paid by the growers was Herbert F. Irwin, the Canadian Manufacturer's Association nominee on the Ontario Labour Relations Board.

You should notice that there has not been any such claim by Mr. Irwin and he has smartly stayed away from the old public relations con game.

Mr. Irwin stated (Toronto Telegram, Sat. June 14/69, Section 1), "As far as I know, the trip was an invitation from the growers and that's all there was to it."

If you need any more clarification of facts, why don't you get your hands on Ron Haggart's column of Saturday, June 14/69 (Toronto Telegram).

I wish to point out to you and everyone else, that this junket was not a labour sponsored group or paid for. Labour was a minority of the 32 persons who participated.

If you are so obviously anti-labour, why don't you write or call some of the other well known people in this group: Aubrey Golden, lawyer–Toronto; Father Mark Day, Father Donoghue–London; Father Biers–Windsor; Rev. Arch McCurdy–Toronto; Rev. Wright–Welland; Larry Saunder, Canadian Council of Churches–Toronto.

These people are also men of God and of the Church.

Who is right??????

In reference to Rev. MacDonald and Mr. O'Meara, they either did not see the same as we did or they are hypocrites and should resign their positions, when they support the big money powers ahead of their Christian teachings. (of course, they shouldn't expect to see too much when they were flown from place to place rather than go by bus as we did in temperatures of over 100 degrees).

Why did Rev. MacDonald turn down the C.B.C. television debate on Tuesday, June 17/69 with Rev. Archie McCurdy and with one of the farm workers, directly from the fields?

His answer was that he has been misquoted by the newspapers so, therefore, he does not care to debate the issue.

If you care for more facts, read the Globe & Mail, Monday, June 23/69, Section 1, Editorial Page, Letter to Editor by Rev. Robt. Wright, Welland.

I wish to stress to you, and to everyone, that this organization of farm workers are not just another labour pressure group, but a cause for BREAD, DIGNITY & JUSTICE.

Our Indians, Eskimos and many farm workers here in Canada need the same help and we are working on it financially and bodily.

Would you, Rev. MacDonald and Michael O'Meara like to help? These people can sure use it.

Does it matter where poor people come from?

Many of our Sunday Worshippers should also do something from Monday to Saturday.

You know Mr. Sargent, whether you like it or not, there is a social revolution going on all over the world for the poor and underprivileged, and I have come to realize that people do not necessarily have to go to church to be Christians; all they need is your help.

Please support the Grape Boycott!!!

Respectfully,
Martin Caputo
385 Williams Ave.,
Milton.

NEW OFFICERS were installed by the Rotary Club of Milton last Tuesday. President is Ed Gawronski in the front row centre with vice-president David Thompson at the left and treasurer Bert Porter at the right. In the rear are Directors Dick Farley and Andy Keilty, Secretary Jim Seager, and Directors Charles Anderson and Dick Copely. The President's pin was presented by former club president Norm Guild, now of Brampton.—(Staff Photo)

Install Ed Gawronski Rotary Club president

Ed Gawronski was installed as President of the Rotary Club of Milton on Tuesday as a new slate of officers took up their positions. Mr. Gawronski succeeds Norm Pearce who has completed his year.

Vice-president of the club is David Thompson, secretary is Jim Seager, treasurer Bert Porter. Directors elected are Dick Farley, Dick Copely, Andy Keilty and Charles Anderson.

The president's pin was presented by a former club president Norm Guild who held office when Mr. Gawronski was inducted into the club.

Retiring president Pearce, unable to be present for the event, expressed his appreciation to his fellow officers by letter read by Chuck Copeland. He reviewed the highlights of the Rotary year and expressed pride in the success of the visit of Alfredo Cassas, a student from Mexico, who spent the year in the home of members.

A former district governor, Ross Rodger challenged the new executive and members to review current projects, renew them or seek new ones. He stressed the importance of active committees, the preparation of a budget, and meaningful programs.

The newly installed president expressed appreciation to the directors for accepting positions of leadership in the club and stressed the importance of co-operation among members to maintain an effective club.

Business machine students earn proficiency awards

Once a year business machine students in high schools may try a test for a proficiency award on automatic printing calculators. The school requests these tests and returns them to a centre for checking. A silver certificate of proficiency is awarded for doing at least 120 key strokes a minute accurately and a gold certificate for doing 160 accurately. Great skill and accuracy are required as well as a knowledge of mathematics in doing the calculations.

Gold certificates were earned by the following at Milton District High School: Judy Graveston, 196 strokes per minute, Myrna Bentley 194, Joanne Wilson 176, Nancy Restivo 173, Edda Dambrosi 165, Phyllis Howard 165.

Silver certificates were earned by: Donna Kenney 157 strokes per minute, Paula Jackson 157, Zandra Miller 150, Darlene Ferrier 139, Joan Clement 138, Gail Tonelli 138, Ron Gullis 123, Ralph Merkley 123.

These students deserve special congratulations for their outstanding achievement, commercial department head Mrs. M. Powys said.

—Join in the fun, participate in Conservation Week sponsored by the Halton Region Conservation Authority.

—Milton's playground and day camp programs started today (Wednesday). A busy summer is in store for the youngsters.

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NASSAGAWEYA Township Council BRIEFS

At its regular monthly meeting held Monday, June 23, Nassagaweya council:

* Heard a complaint from Deputy-Reeve Mrs. A. MacArthur that vibrations from blasting at the stone quarries are growing worse. She also informed council she was going to prepare a brief on the situation for presentation to the Minister of Mines.

* Called for a further study into Halton Region Conservation Authority's move to supply more water to Milton by digging new wells. Council members complained when the wells are drilled the water table would be lower, possibly causing some wells in the township to go dry.

* Heard Milton Fire Area Committee representative Archie Service present his plan for supplying preliminary fire service to outlying regions in the fire area. Full support was given to him by council to go ahead and present his plan at the next Fire Area meeting.

* Was informed of a new plan to set up a Halton County plumbing inspection service. Council voted to have a study made of the plan and agreed to come up with a solution within the next two weeks.

Library Notes

by mrs josephine johnston

If you haven't been into the library lately to borrow books or simply to browse, do make a point of coming in. During the past few months every shelf has been gone over, obsolete old books that didn't circulate have been with drawn and replaced by up-to-date material, and the remainder rebound if necessary, so that the whole collection is fresh and clean and interesting. As well, nearly 1,000 brand new titles have been added.

During July and August we are again switching Wednesday and Saturday and closing Friday evening, so that now we will be open Wednesday from 9:30 till 12 and 1 till 5:30 and closed all day Saturday.

NEW NON FICTION

Anderson, William C.–Two Ton Albatross–If you have ever yearned to pull a house trailer, perhaps you should read this amusing book first.

Craig–Miss Craig's 21 Day Shape-up Program for Men and Women–The very thing for bathing suit weather.

Crist, Judith–The Private Eye, the Cowboy and the Very Naked Girl–Movie reviews by a good critic who keeps her built-in bunk-detector in fine condition.

Gruen, John–The Private World of Leonard Bernstein, His Family and His Friends–A large, beautiful book with many photographs.

Huff–How to work with Concrete and Masonry–Good book for the amateur who wants to build his own patio, or even swimming pool.

Mass, Peter–The Valachi Papers–Based on scores of interviews held in jail with the Mafia informer. a bloody history of organized crime.

Salisbury, Harrison–The 900 Days, The Seige of Leningrad–An account of one of the most horrible and most heroic episodes in human history.

Wilson, Sloan–Away From It All–Sloan Wilson fans may be tempted to change the title to "The Man in the Grey Flannel Suit Takes to Sea." Good summer reading.

NEW FICTION

Armstrong, Charlotte–Seven Seats to the Moon–Suspense novel about a man who accidentally discovers the world is about to end and survivors are being chosen to go to the moon.

Goldsmith–Mrs. Mount, Ascendant–Mrs. Mount, office cleaner, has a crippled husband and a brood of delinquent children for whom she battles welfare officers, the police, the school and other riff-raff. Very funny.

Hocking, Mary–Checkmate–Who is the stranger who arrives one hot day at the Cornish village of Polwithian and asks for the Jory family? A love story and a hate story.

Lansverg–Dear John–The Swedish novel on which the film was based.

MacDonald, Ross–The Goodbye Look–California detective Lew Archer in another good detective story.

Masters, Hilary–An American Marriage–An American family living abroad with American morals and standards.

Roth, Philip–Portnoy's Complaint–The New York Times says "playfully and painfully moving, but more important, a deliciously funny book." You may not agree, but it has been number one best seller for some time.

Stewart, Fred–The Mephisto Walt–A terrifying novel of the Satanic and the supernatural.

West, Jessamyn–Except for Me and Tee–A sequel to her earlier novel "The Friendly Persuasion" about a Quaker family homesteading in Indianna.

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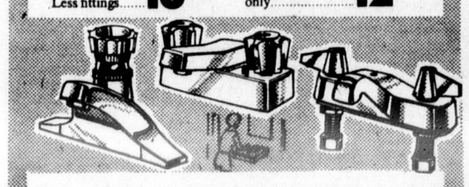

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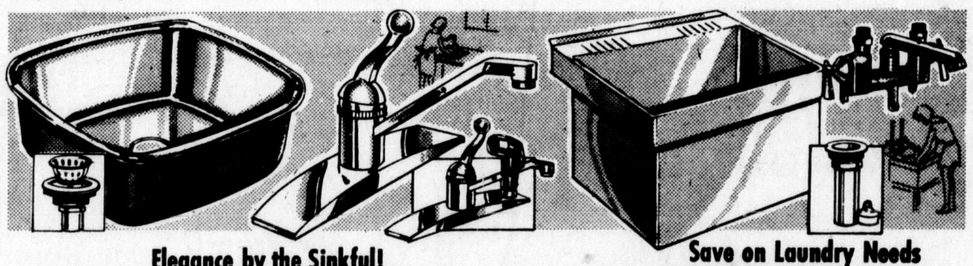

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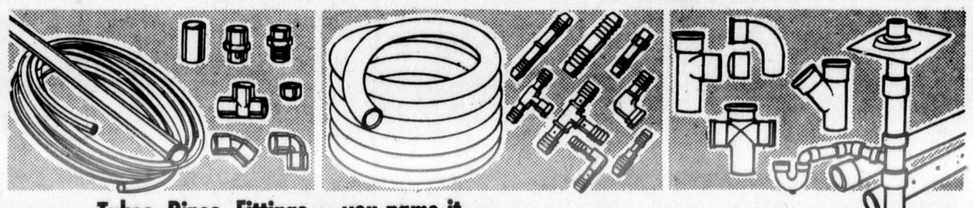

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