

Jim McKay fair board president

Jim McKay was elected president of Halton Agricultural Society, sponsors of Milton Fair, at the board's annual meeting held Saturday in the Department of Agriculture and Food building in Milton.

Mr. McKay replaces Alfred Ford in that capacity after Ford's two year term. Gerald Carton,

who last year served as second vice-president moved up to first vice and Jack McPhail was to the position of second vice-president.

Secretary treasurer Mrs. G. E. Readhead was re-appointed to her post as secretary and treasurer. In his address the outgoing president reviewed improvements to the

grounds and buildings at the fair grounds and to the fair itself.

He said the Holstein show held this year was a popular attraction and a success. Mr. Ford noted the admission for Friday nights had been raised from 50 cents to \$1 and he felt more entertainment should be provided on the Friday night if

the price was to stay at \$1. He was eager to see a livestock parade held this year and explained that he and the board had tried to get one last year, but left it too late.

Convention

Mrs. Fred Dixon reported on the District 5 convention in Orangeville in October. Milton won the trophy for the largest number of people in attendance. She reported one suggestion offered at the convention was to have histories of the fairs on display at the fair.

Mrs. Dixon also reviewed the participation in the art, flower and craft divisions of the fair, noting a good number of entries took part in each.

J. L. Chisholm reported the horse races were well attended. "The grandstand was almost vacated after the races were finished," he told the board.

Relieves pressure

It was noted that the Holstein show on the Friday night relieved the pressure for dairy cattle entries on the Saturday. Clayton Hatfield indicated a slight decrease in the poultry entries.

Junior farmer president Jim Livock reported trouble in the working relationship between the juniors and the fair board. "It seems the Junior Farmers don't want to be part of the fair board and I'm not sure the fair board wants the Junior farmers."

He said Junior Farmers took a real part in the fair in Georgetown and Acton, but not Milton. He said several attended some meetings but were discouraged because nothing was accomplished.

Weak link

Past president Alfred Ford echoed the sentiments of the board when he said the young people were needed and wanted. Agricultural representative Henry Stanley said he felt the weakest link of the fair was the relationship between exhibitors and directors. "The same happy

relationship at other fairs doesn't seem to exist here," he said.

The board agreed to meet with various groups of exhibitors to iron out any potential difficulties before the next fair.

George Readhead reported a lack of competition in the field crop contest this year. He indicated the quality of the entries was good, but there were few of them.

The group agreed to send the president and two vice-presidents as well as Mrs. Stan Love and Mrs. Frank Robinson to the annual fair board convention in Toronto.

Directors for the various towns and townships were elected for the year. From Oakville, Robert Marshall, C. Marshall, E. Douglas, Tom Bousfield and R. Lawrence were elected.

Esquing directors are James McKay, Gerald Carton and J. G. McPhail. Nassagaweya directors are J. L. Chisholm, J. R. McPhail and Lloyd Stokes. G. E. Readhead, A. C. Hadfield, Fred Dixon and A. McKinnon will represent Burlington.

Roy Currie, J. E. Brownridge and Alfred Ford represent Milton.

Honorary member

The group agreed to make Bill Scott an honorary director for his

many years of work with the board. C. May and Al Parsons were made associate members. The financial report for the year shows expenditures of \$27,604, a bank balance of \$574, and total assets of \$163,711.

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Gerald Carton on the right. Past president Alfred Ford and second vice-president Jack McPhail are shown behind. —(Staff Photo)

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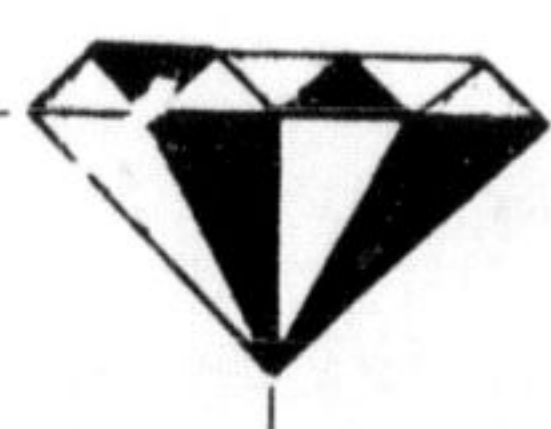
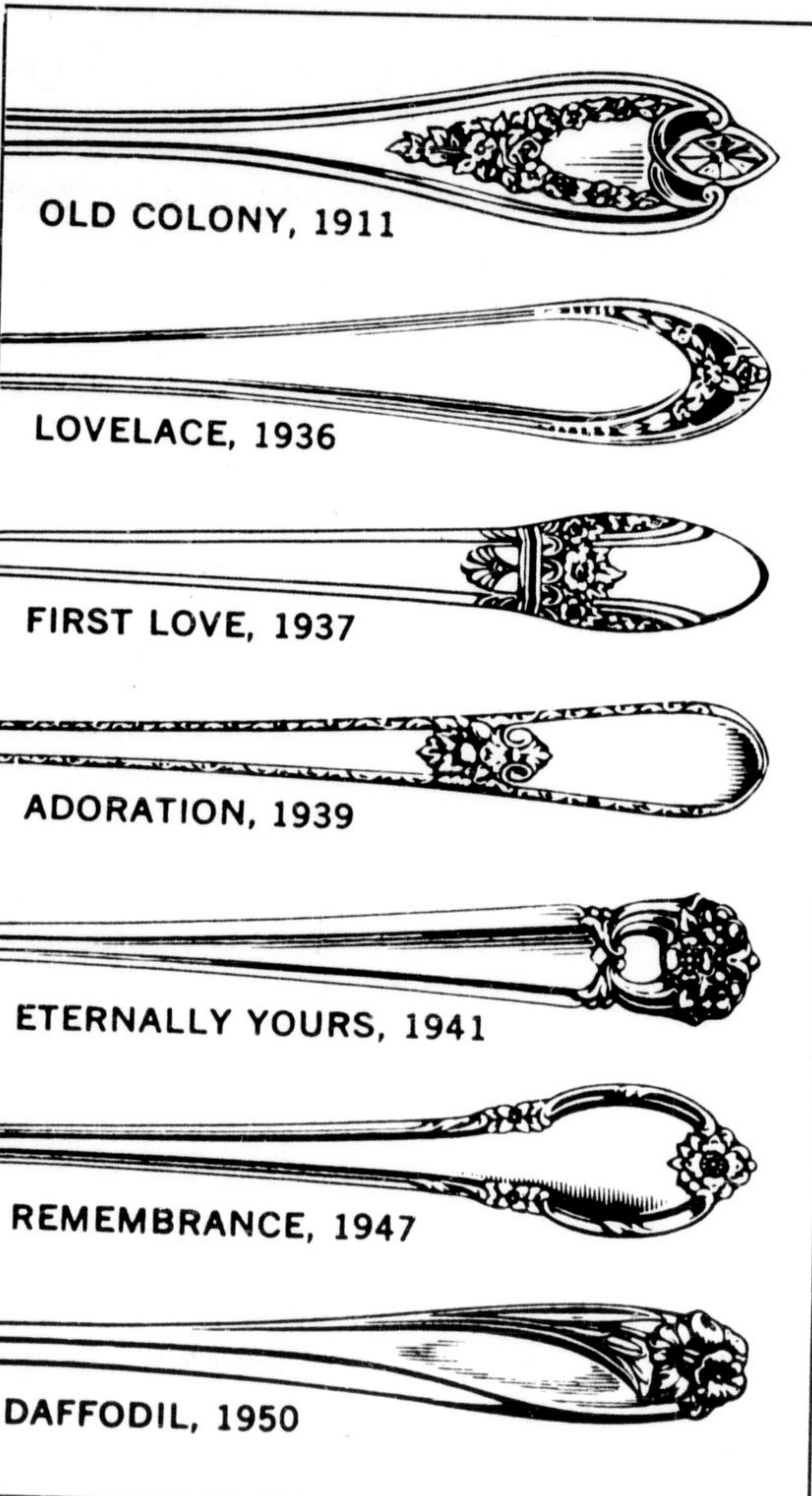
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