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I pray Almighty God that the words I write in this house may be pure and honest—that they be dictated by no personal spite, unworthy motive or unjust greed for gain; that they may tell the truth as far as I know it—and tend to promote love and peace—amongst men.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1927

WELCOME TO YORK COUNTY

WELCOME PLOWMEN TO YORK COUNTY. The people of this banner County greet you with the wish that the 1927 International Plowing Match go down in history as the greatest on record and only to be eclipsed by the success of The Ontario Plowmen's Association in the future.

A DEMONSTRATION OF MODERN AS WELL AS ANCIENT METHODS

The principle of plowing is just the same as that prevailing in Biblical days but the methods have naturally changed and improved. Space would not permit the description of the varied methods of plowing existing to-day in many countries of the world where the most primitive implements are still in use but even visitors to this great match may see plows over one hundred years old and even some drawn by oxen. The present match however is primarily a contest and demonstration of modern methods as practised by western civilization. Tests will be made in stubble and sod, and all the other kinds of plowing lands, with single furrows, double furrows, with plows drawn by horses as well as tractors.

Through the agency of this peaceful contest, the York County farmer will bring into play all the rich experience acquired and inherited, and matching it against the sturdy agriculturalists of other parts of Canada whose fathers and grandfathers went into the primeval forest of this County, where they hewed out for themselves and their families, new homes and new firesides.

This Plowmen's Meeting is held under the auspices of the Ontario Plowmen's Association, and is an annual event. It is under the patronage of the Government of the Province of Ontario, and is, of course intended to stimulate the ancient, as well as the modern art of plowing. There is no event in the Province of Ontario that has the same drawing power as this Ontario Plowmen's Association, and if the weather man will only smile upon us for the next few days, it is confidently predicted that well over 100,000 people will attend.

SUCCESSFUL FARMING

Farming, the science of making things grow and increase and produce; of making two blades of grass grow where one grew before; of making good wheat or oats or barley or turnips or potatoes or corn grow where inferior samples grew before; of inducing "bossy" to give forth forty or fifty pounds of milk a day in place of the quart and a half she now gives—if she will not, get a cow that will; of making the home surroundings beautiful where today they are drab and spell merely an uninteresting place to sleep and eat—in short founding a HOME and family—that is the picture of our idea of successful twentieth century farming in the province of Ontario.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

HENRI ETTE TAKES BENCH WARMERS TO TASK

Editor Liberal
 Sir:—

Well here I am again, and this time I want to draw the attention of the citizens to the tired critics bench, namely the bench on the station platform. I just can't decide whether the "Tired Critics" or "Expectorator's Roost" is the best name, but both are appropriate any way. That old bench could tell tales, draped all over it any old day or evening and all day Sunday are experts. Engineering experts, Real-Estate experts, experts on Municipal Management and these last mentioned could, yes they could, give our Town Fathers a lot of advise. They have them beaten to a frazzle but they couldn't, oh no, give their services and time free, they might do it cheaply because they really do not have to work, they only thing they give freely if it is their opinion and tobacco juice. The town water has improved so Mr. Sloan is safe for a while. Any real-estate deal they can squash for some one else they knock it. Knockers well you just don't know the half of it, business, churches, The Liberal, roads, taxes, anything from soup to nuts they knock it. It is a disease with them, they can't help it. Taxes I just can't

keep away from taxes, and words cannot express what I've heard about taxes. Often have I wondered just what a bench like that was for but now I know, it is for the benefit of the "tired brigade" because they chew the rag and tobacco so much. If this old world could be improved on they would naturally be the ones to do it and I would suggest a spittoon on each corner. Oh another thing they do—but whisper it—they do make remarks about the way the poor females dress, hair ankles and dress. Well maybe some do wear their dresses short, they have to so they won't drag in the tobacco juice, their hair may look like a feather duster and their ankles may be over 7½ inches but then the poor dears are usually kept busy. Just now they don't count so much because the main topic to-day is to pave, to curb or not to pave, not the women, oh no, the road. Or is it wiser to wait till our Reeve or Reeve-to-be is safely seated on the throne and then bring the Warren Paving people back to finish the job. But I am wondering away from the benchers. I have just thought the reason they sit there is because they don't take the Liberal they haven't a telephone and there isn't much news in a mail-order-catalogue and its the only way they have of gathering the news of the town.

Au Revoir
 HENRI ETTE

Thornhill District News

Another Successful Year for Ladies Softball Team

The members of the Thornhill ladies softball team have at last put their uniforms away in moth balls for the winter after having terminated one of their most successful seasons since they organized.

As predicted in this column early in the spring, the feminine ballists from this town have upheld well the traditions of true sportsmanship enjoyed by Thornhill.

All told the girls have participated in over 25 games. This includes 8 games played in the Young Street Ladies Softball League, 8 exhibition games and the balance in tournaments conducted in conjunction with various field days.

Manager Bert Eaton's aggregation of lady ball tossers set a fast pace in the Y.S.L.S.B. League, winning 6 and losing two. This seemed to cause considerable consternation among the other teams and at a meeting held in July so much mud slinging took place, that they withdrew from the league. Since their withdrawal from the Y.S.L.S.B. league they have been playing exhibition games, and out of eight played were victorious in seven. They also participated in a number of field day tournaments winning first money at Thornhill, Lansing, Woodbridge and Carrville and being runners up at Herb Lennox picnic.

It is unfortunate that they withdrew from the league as there is no doubt but that they would have lifted the silverware this year. Much credit is due Manager Eaton for his well balanced team he welded together which consisted of—"Toots" Irish, Catcher; Jean McDonald, Pitcher; Marion Forrester, 1st; Gladys Hooper, 2nd; Norma Ground, S.S.; Lela Brillinger, 3rd; Ila Brillinger, R.F.; Edith Luesby, C.F.; Rheo Hooper, L.F.; Dorothy Hopper, Wilkie Hooper, and Edith Davies, Utility players.

Young People's Meeting

The opening meeting of the Young People's Society of the United church here will be held in the Sunday school next Monday evening, October 17th at 8 p.m. This meeting will be in the form of a social evening. Refreshments will be served and a good programme has been arranged for.

Women's Institute Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. F. Simpson next Thursday afternoon, October 20th. Archdeacon Davidson of Toronto, will address the meeting. The ladies are asked not to forget their donation of fruit for the poor children.

Ladies Aid Entertained by Newtonbrook Ladies.

The ladies aid of the United Church here were entertained by the Newtonbrook ladies on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. Frank Summers. A splendid programme was arranged consisting of a duet by Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. D. Bales, solo by Mrs. E. Bales and a reading by Miss Doris Goulding. The afternoon address on the constitution of the Woman's Association of

the United Church of Canada was given by Mrs Mowat, of Toronto. A sumptuous supper was then served and a social time spent.

Social and Personal

Mrs. Lowery and daughter Reba of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Pratt of Teston spent Sunday with Mrs. A. A. Brillinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farr and son Jim spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robson Farr at Chatham, Ont.

Mrs. Stewart Brillinger and son Donald of Parry Sound, are visiting with Mrs. A. Brillinger.

Hoover—Haines

On Tuesday, October the 4th, at Knox College Chapel, by the Rev. F.J. Moore, Dorothy Frederica, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Haines, of Thornhill, became the bride of Dr. Gordon Irvine Hoover, only son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hoover of Weston.

Successful at Home at Thornhill Golf Club

The third annual Community at Home put on at the Thornhill Golf and Country club last Monday evening by the Thornhill Field Day Association and Horticultural Society again proved a great success. Over 250 guests spent a enjoyable evening in euchre and dancing. The prize winners in the lucky spot dance were Dorothy Chinnery, of Lansing and Eric White, of Richmond Hill. Arrow dance, Mrs. R. W. McIntosh and Mr. B. Humphreys, of Willowdale, Lucky number, G. Denby and Jack Robinson of Newtonbrook. The euchre prizes were won by Mrs. John Breakey and Mr. Edgar Dean, of Thornhill.

Victoria Square

A meeting of the J.W.I. will be held in the basement of the church on Saturday, October 15th, at 2.30 p.m. The speaker of the afternoon will be Miss E.M. Chapman, Editor of the Home Section of the Ontario Farmer. Good music is also provided. The roll call will be responded to by a recipe for "a tasty supper dish." The members of the Buttonville Institute will be present at the meeting. Every one in the community is cordially invited to attend.

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