New Credit News

Community Picnic

The Community Picnic was a great success on July 30. About one thousand persons from the town of Mississauga and Six Nations were hosted by the New Credit Reserve. Mayor Speck from Mississauga and Mr. McGillap from the Regional Indian Affairs office were among the guests present. The New Credit Council presented visiting officials with moccasins and other Indian artifacts. The town of Mississauga presented the New Credit Council House with flags and each of the councillors with Bibles. Bart LaForme acted as M.C. and Fred King officiated at the presentations.

Winners of the Draw included:

First Prize - 20 lb. ham was won by Mark LaForme Second Prize - 25 lbs. flour was won by M. Hoyle (Hamilton) Third Prize - 25 lbs. sugar was won by C. Matthiesen (Mississauga)

2 Baskets chock-full of groceries and goodies (contributed by Dominion Stores) were won by visitors from town of Mississauga.

Everyone who participated in the picnic are to be congratulated for their hard work and extremely successful day, never before witnessed in New Credit or in the country of Canada!

Golden Medding Anniversary

The Ohsweken Community Hall was the setting for a most enjoyable Golden Medding dinner and dance on Saturday evening, when the children of Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester "Pat" LaForme entertained in honour of their parents. For the youngish appearing couple it seemed more like a 10th or 20th anniversary rather than a 50th.

Honoured guests were escorted to the head table by Mr. Cam Monture. Mel Rowe carried off the duties of M.C. with his usual aplomb.

The anniversary dinner began with table grace invoked by Rev. G. S. Shantz. Then all pitched in and enjoyed the bounteous wedding repast.

The toast to the bride of 50 years was proposed by Mrs. Ross Rusling, Boston, responded to by Mrs. LaForme. Mr. Frank Montour, a life-long friend, proposed the toast to Mr. LaForme who responded. Terry LaForme, a grandson, proposed a toast to Mr. & Mrs. LaForme, on behalf of the grandchildren.

Mr. Mard LaForme, a son of the honoured couple, introduced the members of the immediate family at the head table. Rev. Paul Nigh, an old friend of all the New Credit poople, brought greetings and read telegrams of congratulations from Prime Minister Trudeau of Canada; Premier Robarts of Ontario and the Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa.

Rev. G. S. Shantz pronounced the benediction.

An evening of dancing to the music of Mel Rowe's Orchestra was enjoyed by all the guests. Many more happy years of marriage to Mr. & Mrs. LaForme!

> Sour Springs Restaurant featuring Special Sunday Dinners will be served from ll:00 A.M. - 7 P.M. Main course \$1.00, dessert extra Roast Beef Special on Sunday July 28

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