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MILLBROOK, ONTARIO, CANADA THURSDAY, AUGUST 21, 191958

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HOME RUNS BY HUTCHINSON, McDOWELL FAIL TO STEM TIDE

Orono girls defeated Millbrook 11 to 6 last Wednesday night at Orono in the first game of their best three out of five final series.

Orono took advantage of several Millbrook errors in the first two innings to lead 6 to 0 at the end of the second. Millbrook picked up two runs in the third with Dorothy Hutchinson hitting her sixth home run of the year, and singles by Elaine Bain, Mary McDowell and Norma Earl. Millbrook was held scoreless in the fourth and fifth innings while Orono picked up four runs to lead 10 to 2 after 5 innings. Mill-

brook scored 3 runs in the sixth while Orono picked up one. A home run in the seventh by Mary McDowell, her eighth of the season, with no one on base, ended the scoring for Millbrook.

Millbrook played without their star third baseman Marg Armstrong, who was away on vacation. Marg's absence left quite a hole in the Millbrook lineup, especially her batting. Marg has hit six home runs and seven triples to date, including three home runs and a triple in the last three games.

This was a well earned victory for the Orono girls, as they played very good ball throughout the game. Orono had 3 errors and lost no time in taking advantage of Millbrook's 9 errors.

The second game of this series will be at the local Fair Grounds to-morrow night (Friday, Aug. 22) at 7 p.m. Let's all turn out and cheer our girls to victory.

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Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hubbard wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Wilma to Aubrey Smith son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith, Bathurst, N.B. The wedding to take place on Saturday, September 20th, 1958, in the Pentecostal Church, Peterborough, at 2.00 o'clock.

Voice of Millbrook

Dear Editor:

Because there are some reports being circulated in Millbrook of poor work being done in our high school, I wish to publish a few facts to show that the results in our school are better than average.

In Grade 9 only two out of the twenty who finished the year were not promoted. In other words 90% of the class were promoted. Some principals say they promote only about 60%. In Grade 10, two out of the fifteen were not promoted. That is, 86% were promoted. Many schools promote less than 70%.

In Grades 11 and 12 because of alteration in some courses in Millbrook, we must take these two grades together. Here, five out of twenty-six were not promoted. That is 81% were promoted. This will compare very favourably with any school. In Grade 13 our Departmental results were 75% successful.

In view of these figures, we feel satisfied that Millbrook High School is giving satisfactory service. Anyone who doesn't think so should get the corresponding figures from other principals and be convinced.

Yours truly,
R. W. Goheen.

CHARTERED BUS FOR TORONTO EXHIBITION

A bus will leave the Millbrook Waiting Room at 8.30 A.M. on Thursday, August 28 for Toronto Exhibition. Any person wishing to go, please notify Miss Mina Gibson at earliest convenience. Return fare \$2.65.

Millbrook firemen were called to Bailieboro on Tuesday due to a field being on fire.

Seen On King Street During The Week

Eddie Nattress and John Tinney pulling off the strong man stunt by pushing a car along to Reid's Garage. Talk about a balky horse or stubborn mule, but when you get a car that won't budge you have the above two combined. We understand after giving it a drink of gasoline it was satisfied and went on its way with no more antics.

Mr. Scott and Mr. Kellett taring the roof of the Waiting Room. Another good sign that Fall is just around the breakfast table as well as the flies.

Nathan Haw and Jack Goulter changing the entrance to Woods Restaurant. The double doors were removed and a single I put in its place. Nice going Alex! Make it harder for them to get out once you get 'em in there!

Misses Hutchinson, Smith and Gibbs walking up the street with a smile on their faces. Who wouldn't look happy after working in the money all day? It's great fun to see it, handle it, and count it, even if it isn't your own. These ladies are employed at The Toronto-Dominion Bank.

The usual number of sidewalk superintendents keeping an eye on the change-over work at Woods Restaurant. Don't know what we'd do without these fellows to get in the road and maybe offer unnecessary suggestions besides.

Myself, in a looking glass, snooping around a grocery store and looking over the "baled" boxes of breakfast foods. I wondered what had become of "Force," "Sunny Jim," "Toy Gusto," "Vim," "Valta-Mita", etc. that used to occupy a prominent place on the shelf of any grocery store. Maybe Mr. Walter Coombe could tell us, he probably sold plenty of it in his day.

JIMMIE WIDDIS' FARM EMPTY BUILDINGS ON JIMMIE WIDDIS' FARM

Fire Monday evening about 7.30 broke out at the Jas. Widdis' farm on the Pontypool road about two miles West of Millbrook, and destroyed everything in the way of buildings. The house, barn and sheds were all consumed.

These were all in a dilapidated condition, no one living on the premises for many years, hence the loss in this regard was not too heavy.

How the fire started is not known but it sure cleaned up. The local brigade was called out, but there was nothing they could do as there was no water of any account around that was available. However due to dryness they prevented the fire from spreading through the grass and reaching a swamp back of the property, had the fire got in there it would have caused much trouble. A large crowd gathered to view the spectacle.

BOARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. M. E. Hobbs, Sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital, Mrs. Lav. M. Fallis, The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion, and to others who sent cards and letters when I was confined to hospital. Lloyd Peel.

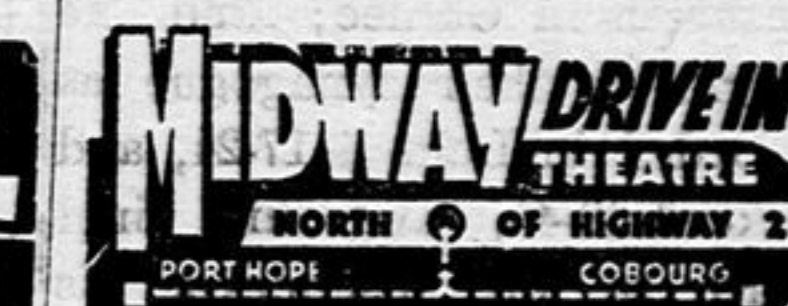


THURS. - FRI - SAT.
All-Technicolor Show

'Gunman's Walk'
With Van Heflin, Tab Hunter and Kathy Grant
'Tarzan's Fight For Life'
With Gordon Scott

MON. - TUES. - WED.
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'Stopover Tokyo'
With Robert Wagner and Joan Collins
'The 3.10 to Yuma'
With Glenn Ford and Van Heflin

SATURDAY ONLY
All-Technicolor Show

'The Wild North'
With Stewart Granger and Cyd Charisse
'SLIM CARTER'
With Jock Mahoney and Tim Hovey

ROBERT ARMSTRONG OF CAVAN WINS AGAIN

Mr. Robert Armstrong, a former member of the Cavan Council, was again successful at the Peterborough Fair held this month, with his exhibits. Mr. Armstrong won first for best bale of first-cut hay of this year, and was also first in class for winter wheat. Congratulations "Bobbie". Also noticed among the prize winners was Mr. Leonard McNeill, another Cavan farmer, who scored wins in the hog division of the livestock section at the same fair.

MY WHIPPED CREAM

If May goes first and I remain,
To tread life's path alone;
I'll have whipped cream on
apple sauce
And on my lonely pie.
I'll put it on my jelly too,
And smear it on my bread,
Which I have had to eat without
Before I went to bed.

I'll put it here, I'll put it there,
I'll put it everywhere,
And eat myself to death be-
hind her,
On the road I have to tread!

WAS IT WASTED MONEY?

King Street that was given a coat of tar, or some such substance, and covered with fine stones recently has given rise to the question, was it worth the money? From the opinion of some it was not, all it has done is create a sound-board for more noise than ever. Cars coming to a stop cause more racket than ever and tire squealing has not been curtailed by the covering. It's peanuts to donuts the stones will have all disappeared by this time next year, but we're sure the money it cost will still be in existence somewhere, so that's something.

NOTICE

The Town Group of the Women's Association of St. Andrew's United Church, will hold a Hostess Tea in the Church Hall on the afternoon of August 27th, at 4 p.m.

BAKING SALE

A Baking Sale will be held in the Waiting Room, Millbrook, on Saturday, August 23, at 3 p.m., under the auspices of Grace Presbyterian Church Ladies' Aid.

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