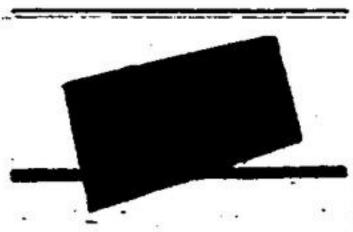
FIVE PLAYS JUDGED AT FIRST ANNUAL Summer Toboggan BANKERS ATTEND FORUM MEETINGS HALTON JUNIORS' DRAMA FESTIVAL

engual drama festival. This is the was "Bangains in Haircuts" staged such an event and, judging Miss Charlotte McCullough. from the applauding of over 490 Between plays, David Pelletterio, people in the auditorium, everyone provincial president of the Ontario enjoyed the evening immensely.

presented by the Brookville Junior the audience in lively sing songs. Farmers under the direction of J. E. Whitelock, Agriculture Re-Mrs. M. Mahon. The title was "In presentative of Halton County Doubt About Daisy". The second and his assistant, Art Bennett, play, the winning one, was pre- spoke briefly during the evening. seated by the Palermo Junior The W. I. Dick trophy for the Farmers under the coaching of Miss winning play was presented to Miss Plorence Meares. The title was 'The Florence Meares, the coach of the Teeth of the Gift Horse" and Palermo play, by K. Y. Dick on on a single tankful of gasoline. members of the cast were Evelyn behalf of his father. Oates, Edwin Tyrell, Dianne Abbott | The Harold Tyrell trophy for the cluding a power pump, bags of hose Marjorie Segsworth, Mary Pope best actress of the 1953 Drama nozzles, extra fuel cans and other and Harold Tyrell. Third play pre- Festival was presented to Evelyn equipment, can thus be portaged sented by the Milton club, was en- Oates by Harold Tyrell, donor of through the bush by a single man. titled "The Bishop's Candlesticks" the trophy, who is president of the

Mrs. A. J. McArthur. The fourth play, presented by Juniors. the Acton Junior Farmers, "Henry's Mail Order Wife" was coached by best actor of the evening was pre-



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Junior Farmers, assisted by Mrs. The first play of the evening was George Newell at the piano, led

and coached by Evelyn Course and Palermo Junior Farmers and first vice president of the Halton County

sented to Stuart McFadden, Proby Mac Sprowl, donor of the trophy. who is county president of the Halton Junior Farmers.

The adjudicator of the evening was A. State of Hamilton, who gave some worthwhile criticism, taking each play individually. Mac Sprowl, president of

Halton County Junior Farmers, was chairman of the evening program. The evening concluded with "The Queen".

Indian Necessity Now Popular Sport

Fishing through the ice on Lake Simcoe dates back to the time of the Huron Indians who cut small holes in the frozen surface and, shielded from the cold by buffalo or bearskin robes, speared fish for

But times have since changed, and spearing is no longer legal. Buffalo and bears have departed the district long since. Lake Simcoe fishermen today rely on little fish houses for shelter. Mounted on skids they can be moved readily. They have small stoves in one corner for warmth.

Long an important activity for lakeshore residents, ice fishing has been gaining popularity as a sport in recent years. Last winter, some 1,300, fishing shacks were counted over the lake. On week days they are occupied mostly by local fishermen but on week-ends enthusiastic anglers come from near and far to try their luck. They rent space in the tiny cabins and enjoy the sport in relative comfort.

Lake trout, whitefish and lake herring are the species most commonly taken, but perch may be caught in some areas and pike abound in Cook's Bay at the south end of the lake. Burbot, or ling.

are harvested in large numbers. Biologicial studies carried out by the Department biologist reveal that Lake Simcoe whitefish are notable for their small size.

In contrast, lake trout grow rapidly in Lake Simcoe and compare favourably in growth to those from other Ontario waters. The better lake trout fishing grounds are not so easily reached as are those for whitefish or herring. Local fishermen, therefore, take more of this species than do their week-end guests. Lake herring are very abundant...

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WHEN FARM CREDIT IS DISCUSSED

Most farmers are proud to claim steers-hence the percentage of live that farming is a business and that stock being low. a farmer is his own business manager. Yet some observers say that farm family to use credit and managing finances is something when not? North Trafalgar voiced many farmers do badly and that their opinion saying, "It is good their approach to farm finances is business to borrow money to infar from businesslike. Therefore, vest in something that will give the question discussed by forum good returns rather than somegroups in Halton on Monday, Feb- thing for entertainment, e.g., ruary 9, joined by groups through- milking machine rather than a telout the Dominion, was how farmers evision set." Do not borrow money

According to the report of government loaning department, 90 bine or forage harvester on borrowversible and will operate for hours per cent of the loan borrowed in the past seven years were for farm implements and trucks and only about three per cent. for liveslock. credit facilities by farmers and what are your reasons?"

> While some felt this percentage was very low for livestock, it was well used. Others felt it would have been better to use more for livestock. However, due to the scarcity of farm labor, farmers are forced to purchase more machinery to operate efficiently. Farmers were very low in machinery after the war and labor was so scarce it necessitated the borrowing of loans to purchase machinery as farmers have to have help of some kindmechanical or otherwise. There is risk of loss of livestock and most farmers raise their own or equiv- A good traffic safety record is alent, except the man that feeds no accident.

When is it good business for the

It is driven by a half-track ar- can apply business principles of to gamble with A man farming small acreage should not buy expensive machinery such as comed money if his income does not

> It is good business for a family to use credit to purchase extra land, "Does this indicate good use of where he can see prospects of making money on his investment, It is good business to use credit to purchase seed grain for improving the herd. A farmer is justified in borrowing to finish livestock rather than market animals in an un-

finished condition. North Trafalgar had as their guest speaker for this topic on farm credit, Mr. Coulbeck, bank manager. Check line; Esquesing had Fred Chapman; Ligny forum had Mr. Hill, while Limestone forum had Mr. Dobie. Milton, and they also contributed \$8.00 to the Flood Relief in Europe.

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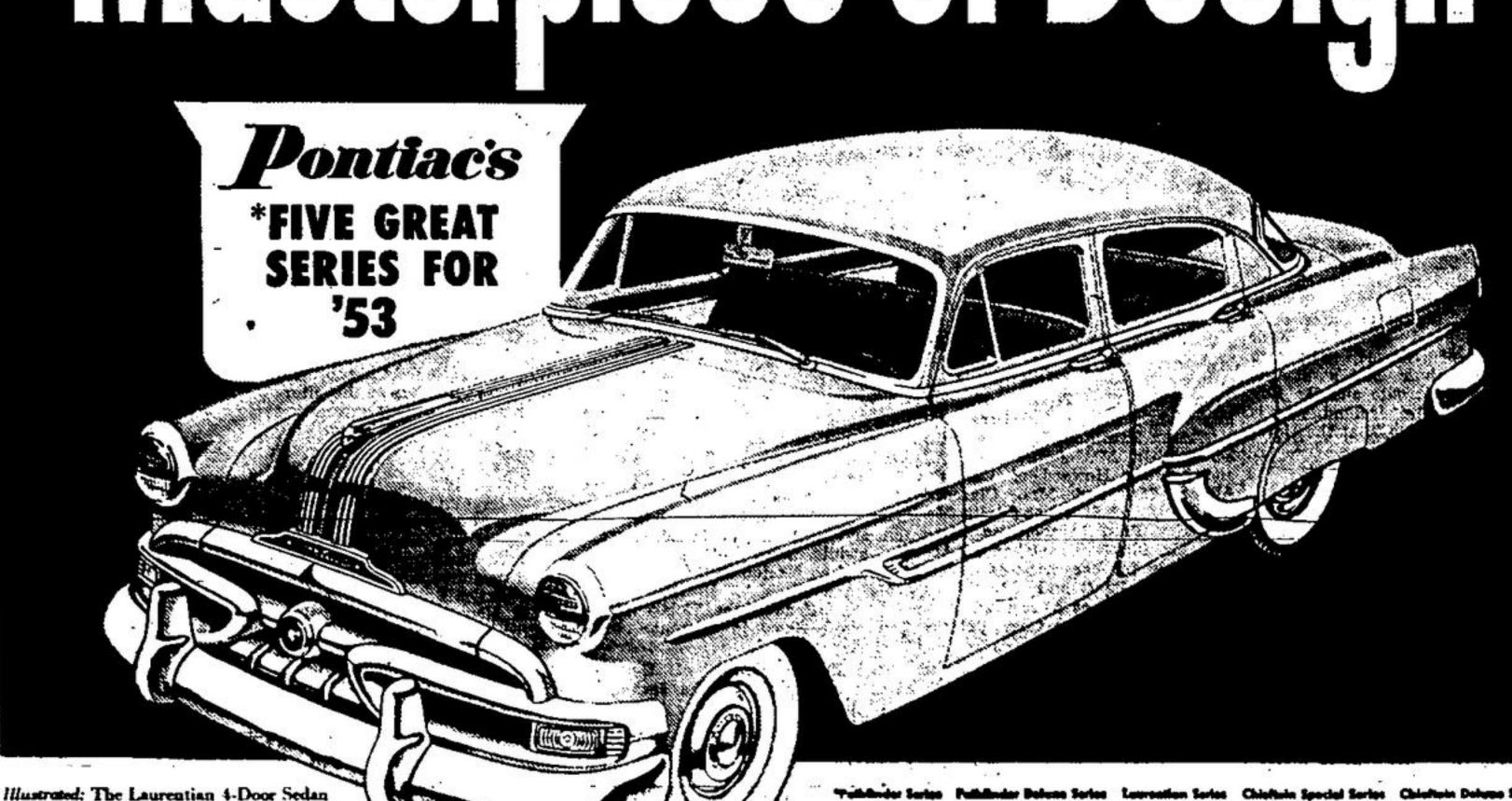
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