



Girls Display
New Bank Vault

Lorraine Tyler and Anne Richardson of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, acted as guides during tours of the new bank premises, which was open to the public on Friday, April 26. They are seen pointing out the large vault.

NEWS SPOTLIGHT

By the Canadian Press

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Jordan's new government has set up military courts to try cases arising from that Arab country's political turmoil. King Hussein's Arab legion continued a roundup of Communists, left-wing leaders and extreme nationalists in an attempt to wipe out Communist influence contributing to Jordan's ferment.

The new cabinet is led by Premier Ibrahim Hashem. Government officials who have been fired during the administration of former premier Suleiman Nabulsi were all given back their jobs. Nabulsi, ousted by the King more than two weeks ago, was said in one report to be under house arrest in Amman, the capital.

The 21 year old King's hand was strengthened by pledges of loyalty to him and his new government from sheiks and mayors in the older parts of his desert realm. He also received some public expressions of support from the small but crowded Palestinian part of Jordan, acquired during the 1948 Arab-Israeli war.

It is among the Palestinians that ranks of Arab nationalist movements exert most of their influence. The King's appointment of Suleiman Toukan as military governor of Jordan is expected to bring control over the Palestine region west of the River Jordan. Toukan, one of the most influential personalities in that area, served for 25 years as mayor of Nabus on the Israel-Jordan border.

The Palestinians make up more than half the population of Jordan, outnumbering the real Jordanians from the east side of the Jordan River who only recently emerged from ancient Bedouin nomadism.

In the western world, the Jordan developments have been viewed as a setback for Syria and Egypt as well as for the Soviet Union.

The speedy movement of the U.S. Sixth Fleet to Middle Eastern waters ordered after President Eisenhower declared Jordan's continued independence is vital to U.S. interests, brought a protest from the Soviet delegate at the United Nations.

Arkady A. Sobolev told the U.N. Security Council that the United States is using a non-existent Communist threat as a pretext for dispatching the fleet. Both the U.S. and Iraqi delegates denied the charges Iraq, ruled by Hussein's cousin, said that King Hussein is right in attributing his troubles to international communism.

Anglo-Russian Exchange
British disclosed that she had traveled with the Soviet Union last fall to recognize the legitimate interests of the nations using the Suez Canal and to help the west achieve a settlement with President Nasser.

This came out as Russia and Britain last week published letters exchanged between Premier Bulganin and Sir Anthony Eden, then prime minister of Britain, before the Anglo-French intervention in Suez.

British announced details of the navy's role in the nuclear age. Not mighty battleships, but small, speedy craft are to be the mainstays of the navy under Britain's radically new concept of defence.

Lord Selkirk, First Lord of the Admiralty, said in giving a specific account of the navy's new look that the role of the navy continues to be of the greatest importance to this country's defence.

Hoving task forces, orders for four guided-missile destroyers and the scrapping of four of the five battleships now in use were the highlights of his announcement.

Britain has built a modern aircraft carrier force since the Second World War. New highly mobile task force groups will centre their attacking power on the new 1,500 mile an hour Blackburn N-30

bomb, which can carry atomic bombs.

Philippine Army authorities said at Manila that mechanical failure due to metal fatigue caused the plane crash which killed President Ramon Magaaya and 25 others in the southern Philippines.

A senate committee investigating the March 17 crash heard a report that a joint investigation by five government agencies found evidence that metal fatigue in the right engine of the presidential plane was responsible.

The testimony by Gen. Manuel Cabal, chief of Philippine constabulary, discounted a sabotage theory which had been advanced by Manuel Cuenco, chairman of the senate committee.

Sir Anthony Eden will spend 23 days at Ottawa in May convalescing at government house following an operation recently in a Boston hospital. The 59 year old former British prime minister and his wife will be guests of Governor General Massey.

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Mrs. L. Oliver, senior preceptress of the Crystal chapter in Guelph, presented Mrs. Drysdale with a beautiful gift on behalf of the members of chapter 21.

Mrs. P. Holmes then presented Mrs. Drysdale with a gayly decorated basket filled with beautiful farewell gifts. The guest of honor thanked the hostesses, and her many friends for their thoughtful gifts.

Seventeen ladies answered the roll call. It was decided that the Society would have a prayer partner. The offering was received and dedicated by the president.

Mrs. Greenless then introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. McEdden, who began her address by reading part of the eighth chapter of Deuteronomy, basing her remarks on "The Way of the Cross Leads Home with special emphasis on Way Jesus said, Walk in My Ways, My Ways are not Your Ways and I am the Way."

Mrs. McEdden also read a short poem, "Is This the Right Road Home?" written by Mrs. Jonathan Anderson. Prayer, Mrs. Simpson on behalf of the W.M.S., thanked Mrs. McEdden for her very fine address.

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Local Skaters At Final Tests

The past week-end was the big week-end of the year for Guelph College Figure Skating Club members, club officers, club directors, the professionals and parents and friends of the skaters. The skating season was brought to a close with skating practice every day, all day, of Easter holiday week, in preparation for T-day or Test-Day or Exam-Day, when each ambitious skater "goes on test" before Canadian Figure Skating Association judges.

The ice in the club's home rink would not hold during the hot weather through Easter week but the Guelph Curling Club very generously came to the rescue and loaned their arena for the final day of practice, Friday, and the test-days, Saturday and Sunday. Tests were started at 8 a.m. Saturday and carried right through to 11 p.m. Senior Silver and a Seventh Figure Tests were held on Sunday from 2 to 3 p.m. Results of the skaters' work for the season was excellent and reflected high credit on each skater trying tests, as well as the club professionals, Ross Smith and Agnes O'Hanrahan.

Acton members contributed in quantity and quality to the success of the skating club, with some very hard-working and talented figure skaters making their way up the ladder of skating achievement, where each rung in the ladder is a CFSA test.

Linda Brada, 8 years-old, has now completed her preliminary figure and dance test. Donna Ledger is a Bronze Figure Medallist, and has completed her Preliminary Dance Tests, and is now on her Preliminary Bronze Dances. Susan Wilson, in her first year, has passed her Preliminary Figure Test and is on her Preliminary Dances. Mary Jane and Elizabeth Force are each Silver Figure Medallists and Silver Dance Medallists.

Closing Day tests passed by Acton skaters are as follows: Preliminary Figure, Susan Wilson, Linda Brada; Bronze Dances, First Tango, Linda Brada, Willow Waltz, Donna Ledger; Senior Bronze Dances, European Waltz, Andrew Dretners, Kostas Foxtro, Andrew Dretners; Silver Dances, Harris Tango, Elizabeth Force, Rocco Foxtro, Elizabeth Force, Mary Jane Force, Fifth Figure Test, Elizabeth Force.

A highlight of the closing day program was the appearance of Geraldine Fenton, Canadian and North American Dance Champion and American Gold Dance Medallist, who partnered our club skaters through the Senior Silver Dances. A change for the club members was the opportunity to watch their teaching professionals trying tests of their own. Agnes O'Hanrahan, Junior Professional, passed the Foxtro and 14-Step.

Barbers, Beauty Shops Will Close on Monday
GEORGETOWN—Ten more local businesses will follow the lead of grocers and meat stores in closing Mondays and opening all day Thursdays.

Council ordered by-laws prepared which will govern barber shops and beauty parlors. Six of seven barbers and three beauty shops petitioned for the change. The beauty shops will be allowed to stay open Tuesday nights until 9 p.m. in addition to regular store hours.

The report estimated the Russian submarine fleet as seven times bigger than Hitler's in 1939. Hitler had about 60 U-boats at the start of the Second World War.

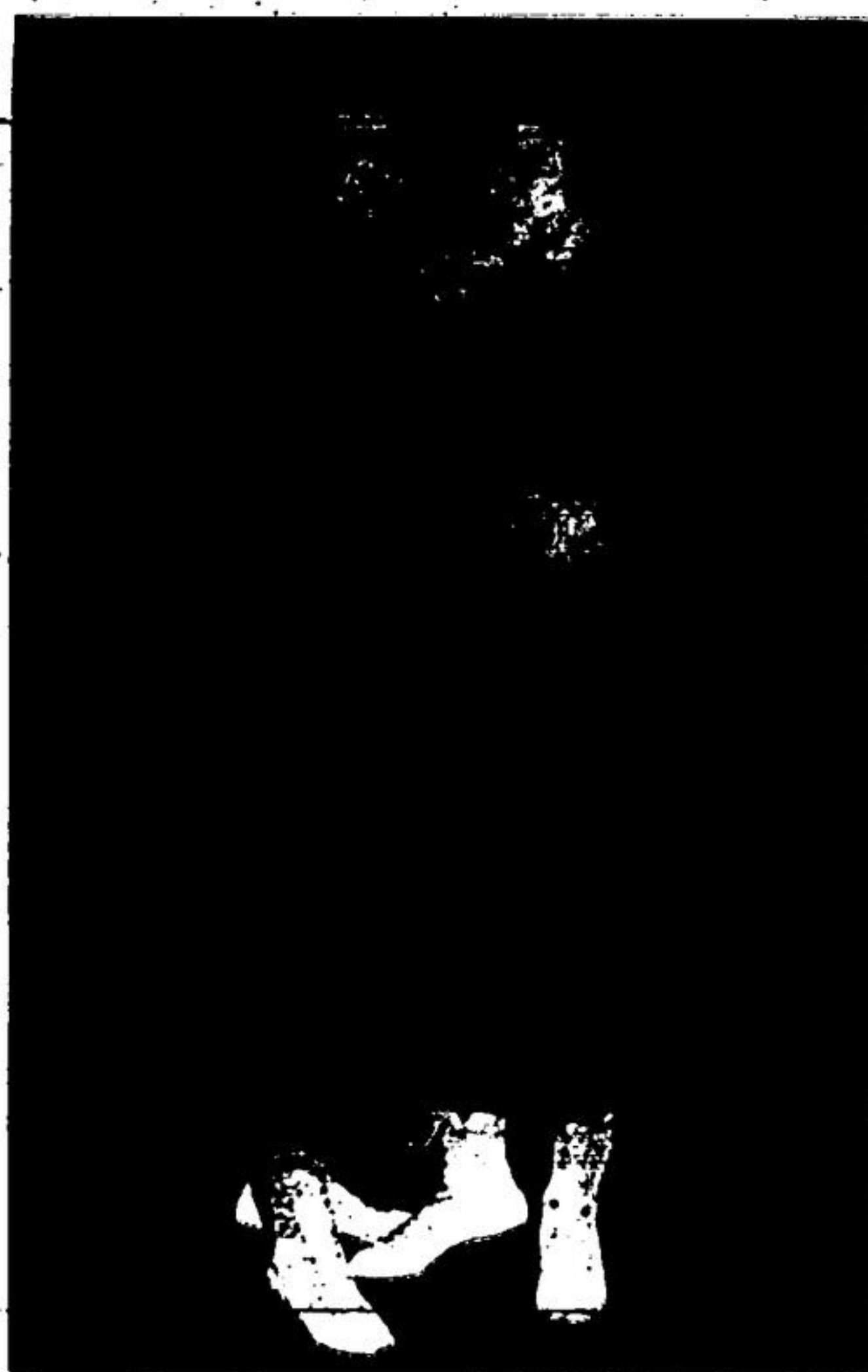
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Two Sisters
Skate in Tests

Mary Jane and Elizabeth Force are shown during one of their test numbers at the Canadian Figure Skating Association's tests held in Guelph. Quite a number from Acton are taking lessons in Guelph.

John R. Rothwell, vice-president, Austin Whittington, directors, Norman Brada (Acton), Chas Bedford, Mrs. D. Cole, L. Ferraro, W. Horne, E. McDonald, S. Sinclair, E. Smith, M. Sutherland.

The skating club annual meeting and election of directors for next season was held on Friday evening at the College Arena. The new officers and directors are: president, Dr. Wm. Mitchell, secretary, Miss Dorothy Smythe, treasurer,

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I.O.D.E. Chapter
Convenes Drive
The Canadian National Institute for the Blind is making an earnest appeal to residents of Acton and district to support their current financial drive, which is under the convenship of the Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I.O.D.E.
Money is needed to supply the many services offered free to the 40 registered blind persons living in Halton county, two of whom live in Acton. These services include training, job placement, library services, recreation and many others which help the blind to achieve a large measure of independence and self-sufficiency.
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