

LEGION NEWS

Introducing Hugh O'Rourke, Poppy Chairman, born in Acton and served in the Essex Scottish and Queen's Own occupational force for three years during World War II before returning to Canada.

He joined the Legion in 1950 and has served on the executive both as Sgt. Arms and Poppy Chairman.

In spite of the scotch management, Hugh is under no doubt he is looking forward to what he claims is the only day in history "St. Patrick's day".

A strong supporter of Minor Sports during the summer months, he claims to be second best as baseball manager only to Hector Lambert (He's the team won the championship last summer).

The Poppy Chairman is active in Legion sports and takes an interest in Branch 107.

The Ladies' Auxiliary held their regular meeting in the auditorium last Thursday evening and admitted Isabel Hutchinson to the organization.

The treasurer's report pleased the ladies very much as it showed a fine balance from the various projects they had undertaken.

The secretary read an invitation from the Shelburne Ladies' Auxiliary inviting the Acton group to attend their branch for a social evening on May 7.

Committee reports were heard and final plans made for the Legion Anniversary Dinner on March 20th. Preparations were also made for the visit of Oakville, Bronte and Brampton Auxiliaries on April 24.

It was decided to hold a rummage sale and tea on April 12 in the Legion Auditorium.

Last Friday evening a visitor from our fair suburb of Georgetown showed the entire players how to play as he walked off with one I red brand beef, with the highest score yet obtained. Want to know boys? Well he came up with a 74.

Fred Kentner copped second with a 65 and George Hall netted a 62. Merv Nesbitt scored a 32 to win the familiar ring of bolagna.

Tuesday evening the upset of the start season took place as Hughie Smith like Aladdin rubbed his magic lamp and his Harebita extinguished the Fireflies 4-1 (repeated 4-1). Wanderers rubbed out Renegades to the tune of 4-1. Leathernecks dumped Pageboys in the lobby by a 6-2 score and Never Dies edged out Sportmen 3-2.

Standing for the week as follows: Pageboys, 61; Fireflies, 57; Renegades, 52; Never Dies, 47; Wanderers, 43; Leathernecks, 41; Sportmen, 39; and Harebita, 35.

With only two more tournaments to go before the play-offs, all teams are jockeying for position and determined to raise their points. Watch the low teams on the totem pole in the next two weeks.

Local fishermen are still boasting of the big ones they are catching in the north country. A few local viewers are watching with interest the progress of the new H. K. Porter plant.

Honor Editor-in-Chief At Hilltop Lodge Dinner

Mr. Ontario Weekly Newspaperman of 1957, George Arlo Dilla, was honored by members of his staff at a dinner held at Hilltop Lodge near Erin on Saturday evening.

Staff members of the Acton Free Press and Milton Canadian Champion along with husbands and wives gathered to fetter the editor-in-chief following the recent honor bestowed on him by weekly newspaper editors in Ontario.

Mr. Dilla, noted the honor bestowed did not come as a surprise to the staff members as it was well deserved.

Following the presentation of a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Dilla, Mr. Dilla told the gathering it was only through the efforts of all employees that any honors coming to the papers were made possible.

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WOLF CUB NEWS

C Pack now has its first One Star cub. Neil Franklin received his first Star last Wednesday. We have some other cubs nearly ready for this coveted award and hope soon to be able to announce that they too have received it.

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School Observes Education Week W.I. Hold Meeting In Acton

In observance of "Education Week", open house was held Friday night at the local school when a large gathering of parents was present. After viewing the various displays in both Junior and Senior rooms a splendid program by the children was enjoyed.

Mr. L. Brown as chairman welcomed the parents and introduced the various numbers songs by the Juniors and Seniors.

Piano solos by Lynda Ferguson, Sharon Buck, Judy Buck and Ross Gavel, duets by Beverly Bruce and Kay Fuller, Muriel McPherson and Lynda Ferguson, reading by Bruce Gramsey, play "Farm Fore-Us", senior boys, play "Opridge Uplift Society", senior girls.

Highland Fling and Sword Dance by Sandra and Carolyn McEwan, Health play "The Doctor Gives Advice", the Juniors, play "A Mended Day", senior boys and girls.

To conclude the variety program, two sets of Square Dancers performed to the delight of all. Mr. L. Brown thanked the parents.

NEW DIRECTOR HALIFAX, N.S. (CP)—Daniel P. Wallace, 47, newly appointed director of travel information for Nova Scotia, is a former member of Opposition leader St. Laurent's staff at Ottawa.

RECORD OUTPUT SYDNEY, N.S. (CP)—The largest plant here had record production of 75,000 tons of paper in 1957, compared with 70,000 tons in 1956. The plant has a potential capacity of 90,000 tons a year.

Fell From Bridge According to Constable Jim Bradley of Milton (CP), Raymond was playing with John Carney, age five, and his brother Ian, three, of 39 Victoria Street, when he apparently fell into the ice-swollen creek from the CPR railway bridge between Martin Street and Bronte Street.

Sandra Black, 14, and Margaret McPhail and Avril Coates, both 13, all grade nine students in Milton high school, were walking along the railway embankment just before 12:30 noon because Avril wanted the girls to see the "whirlpool" near the bridge. They noticed the boy's body floating in the water at the side of the bridge, and while Margaret stayed to look after the boy's two companions, the other two girls ran back to the school to summon aid.

Don Brown, 19, and John Verlis, 18, both of grade 13, answered their plea for help and raced the half mile to the scene where Don waded into over four feet of icy water to pull the boy to the shore where John took him.

From 1950 to 1957, production of steel ingots in Canada increased from 3,206,071 tons to 4,919,386 tons, steel production in 1957 was about five per cent lower than in 1956.

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winner in the "Parker House Roll Contest" and will compete at the District Annual contest. Next month the contest will be "Pineapple Upside Down Cake".

Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. G. Jackson assisted the ladies in the serving of a dainty lunch. Nine girls were present Saturday afternoon at the first meeting of the 4-H Homemaking Club held at the home of the leader, Mrs. Dana Fines with Mrs. E. Archibald assisting. To start the Spring project "Sleeping Garments" the girls will make either pajamas or nightgowns and if they so desire, handkerchiefs and socks.

Members of the Women's Institute journeyed to Acton for the home of Mrs. George Young for their monthly meeting. A good turnout of members and visitors were present. Mrs. E. Archibald presided and Mrs. Ken Stubbington, assistant secretary, read the numerous items of business and called the roll answered by "As a Canadian citizen what's your leaf?" Replies were varied, poor condition of the County roads, more efficient handling of mail, and the high cost of election among others.

A donation was voted to aid the flood victims in Ontario, a national membership in Canadian Conservation Association committee. Appointed for the next two years were: Mrs. M. Jackson, Mrs. W. Avery and Mrs. E. Archibald. Mrs. T. Fines, Miss Dore Fines and Mrs. D. Winter.

Mrs. Dana Fines showed pictures of recent visits to the west, which were greatly enjoyed as from the comfort of easy chairs a grand trip was taken in an imaginary way. Mrs. George Jackson was the

Visitors Friends of Wilma Klooster are sorry to learn she is a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, where she is undergoing treatment. Mrs. and Mrs. George Klooster and family of Drayton visited on Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Klooster.

Visitors during the week with Mrs. M. Jackson included Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Matthews, Mr. Victor Wilson, Guelph, Mr. Alf Winter, Mary Klooster, Guelph and Mrs. Murray Milson and Gigg of Acton.

Thousands of Halton people have made up their minds to vote for Sandy Best at the Federal Election on March 31st. With good common sense they say, "We will re-elect Sandy because he is not an unknown quantity. He has demonstrated in Parliament that he means business and works hard on our behalf."

Serving others is characteristic of Halton's Conservative Candidate. A son of Dr. Charles Best, the co-discoverer of insulin, he was brought up in an atmosphere of public service. He worked to put himself through University and graduated as a teacher and scientist. In this dual capacity he led many young people to worthwhile careers in scientific research.

Turning to Agriculture some years ago, Sandy became a successful businessman. Still serving others, he was at the same time secretary of Halton's Progressive Conservative Association. Last year, having so organized his business as to have ample time for such a responsibility, he offered himself as Conservative Candidate in his home County of Halton. He was elected by an overwhelming majority.

He went to Ottawa and immediately became closely identified with the Government's progressive legislation on behalf of all Canadians. He is a member of Government Committees and several times has shown in the House of Commons that he is a forceful speaker and keen debater. With his scientific knowledge, so valuable in these times, he is regarded as a rising young man in the Diefenbaker Government. When you go to the polls on March 31st, vote to re-elect Sandy Best and be sure of having a capable, hard working representative from Halton in the next Government of Canada.

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