

The Acton Free Press.

Eighty-Fourth Year.—No. 42.

ACTON, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, APRIL 16th, 1959

Second Section.

Fete Winners in Dart Tournament During Annual Banquet at Legion

Highlighted by a turkey dinner, Branch 197 members of the Acton Branch of the Canadian Legion fete the winners of the annual dart tournament following a complete season's schedule during their annual banquet in the Legion auditorium on Saturday afternoon, April 11.

After enjoying an enormous turkey dinner served by the Acton Legion Ladies' Auxiliary, the contestants in the tournament cheered the winning team as sports officer Mel Jordan, tournament captain George Hall and Legion president Ham Peal, congratulated the teams and individual players prior to awarding the trophies.

Winning Team

Receiving the team trophy as well as individual trophies to each member was the entry in the league captained by Eric Page with members Denis Lawler, Jack Coyle, Cyril Leighton and Cyril Bishop.

Loaded with trophies before the presentations were completed was Jack Coyle as he received a trophy for high singles and also shared in the doubles award with Hank Earle.

Winning in the second group class was the entry of Hughie Smith with his team consisting of the following: Doug Daintith, Alec McGowan and Bob Martingale. The individual members each received a new set of darts to start out next season's play.

Legion sports officer Mel Jordan congratulated the players on their excellent sportsmanship throughout the season's play and thanked his assistant, G. Hall, for his leadership in making the tournament a success.

League players present honored Mike Coxe, one of the team captains throughout part of the season and expressed their regret at his

moving from Acton to the United States. He was thanked for his interest in the annual competition.

A vote of thanks was given to the Legion Ladies' Auxiliary for their excellent dinner. The players were informed that next year the ladies expected to be sharing in the enjoyment of a dinner catered by someone else. They warned team captains to practice up as the Auxiliary intended to enter a team in the tournament next season.

Teams competing in play this year were the teams of Eric Page, George Hall, Larry John, Ted Elliott, Henry Wedge, Hughie Smith, Pat Waldie, F. Winter and Mike Coxe.

Surprise Call For Lorne Scots

A surprise call-out of Lorne Scots officers and men last Sunday afternoon brought an encouragingly high response and indicated keen interest in the unit's civil defence efforts.

Preparing for its role in an upcoming 17 militia group civil defence scheme, the Lorne Scots were called out in a pre-arranged telephone contact. Members of the unit throughout Peel, Dufferin and Halton counties reported to headquarters at Brampton where they heard a talk on civil defence by Lt. Col. A. Kemp, the C.O., based partly on his recent course at the Arnprior Civil Defence College.

Later, using unit vehicles, an embussing practice was held on a downtown parking lot.

Report of First Conference On Retarded Children Given

The monthly meeting of the Milton and District School for Retarded Children was held in the Sunshine School on Thursday evening of last week. In the absence of the president, P. J. McGrath, Fred Cross, vice-president, was chairman and the meeting opened by

all repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Gerry Addison gave a report of the Educational Conference held in Toronto. This was the first annual conference for the benefit of teachers and educational committees from all over Ontario for retarded children. They listened to a panel discussion on the pros and cons that will go before the meeting next fall.

What qualifications must the teachers have? By what standards shall they be chosen? These were two of the important discussions.

Advise Work Shops

More work shops were advised. They were informed of research being done on retardation and heard of standards of ability.

Mr. Addison paid tribute to the teachers at the Sunshine School in their work. He said it was a wonder the way their methods, the ideas they were practising and lessons taught were those suggested as a better way at the conference.

They were told that the life his-

tory of the child is important to the teacher when they first start school and a record of progress should be kept of each child.

More Research

He learned we have a great responsibility toward research of retardation. There is a center being opened in London for research. Six years ago the first school for the retarded child was opened and today there are 115 schools in Ontario.

Mr. Addison closed his report with a plea to the members to see the need of and support the cause for research of retardation. Praise was given an article in the Toronto Star Weekly entitled "Are we cheating our backward children?"

The Mothers' Auxiliary reported \$71,000 from Dominion Store sales slips toward the TV set for the school. Many are saving these slips for the mothers. They are planning a bazaar and afternoon tea to be held soon.

The treasurer's report showed old members paying their fees and new members joining. Plans are being made for a campaign for funds in the fall.

The meeting was adjourned and a lunch of sandwiches and coffee was served by the mothers.

Y's Men Tour Printing Plant

On Thursday, April 9 the Acton Y's Men held their regular meeting in the banquet hall of the Y.M.C.A. with president Sonny Rogivaldsen in the chair and Y's Man Don Bathwell as guest speaker for the evening. A spirited fines session was held with the charges ranging from dereliction of duty to sleeping during the conference.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read by secretary Earl Masales. A presentation of a Union Jack to the club's color rack was made by Y's Man Bill Wilson on behalf of those Y's Men of Scotch and English origin.

Business discussed included the forthcoming Father and Son banquet, allocation of fines monies, Ladies' Night, appointment of auditors and participation in car pool to the Y's Men's International convention this summer.

Correspondence from International Director Jason McCoy and past District Governor Al Fallis was read and filed.

A report on the recent Y's Men's conference was given by conference chairman Harry Arbie.

Y's Man Roy Kirkness introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Jim Dills gave a talk which included the hazards of newspapermen due to typographical errors and odd headlines. The address was highlighted by numerous examples of the above errors. He was thanked by Y's Man Elmer Smith who presented him with a token of the club's appreciation.

After the address the Acton Y's Men were taken on a tour of the Acton Free Press where they were shown the various presses and other pieces of equipment necessary to produce a modern paper.

Continued on Page Fourteen



TEAM CHAMPIONS in the Acton Legion dart tournament during the year were feted during the annual banquet held in the Legion Auditorium last Saturday afternoon and they received their trophies from the Legion president, sports officer Mel Jordan and tournament captain. Shown above left to right are: Jack Coyle, team winner as well as singles and doubles, receiving his trophies from Legion president Ham Peal, Cyril Bishop, team player, George Hall, tournament captain presenting trophies to Cyril Leighton and branch sports officer Mel Jordan presenting trophies to team captain Eric Page. Missing from picture were Hank Earl who shared in the honors of winning the doubles and Denis Lawler, one of the team competitors.

Y's Men Tour Printing Plant

On Thursday, April 9 the Acton Y's Men held their regular meeting in the banquet hall of the Y.M.C.A. with president Sonny Rogivaldsen in the chair and Y's Man Don Bathwell as guest speaker for the evening. A spirited fines session was held with the charges ranging from dereliction of duty to sleeping during the conference.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read by secretary Earl Masales. A presentation of a Union Jack to the club's color rack was made by Y's Man Bill Wilson on behalf of those Y's Men of Scotch and English origin.

Business discussed included the forthcoming Father and Son banquet, allocation of fines monies, Ladies' Night, appointment of auditors and participation in car pool to the Y's Men's International convention this summer.

Correspondence from International Director Jason McCoy and past District Governor Al Fallis was read and filed.

A report on the recent Y's Men's conference was given by conference chairman Harry Arbie.

Y's Man Roy Kirkness introduced the guest speaker for the evening, Jim Dills gave a talk which included the hazards of newspapermen due to typographical errors and odd headlines. The address was highlighted by numerous examples of the above errors. He was thanked by Y's Man Elmer Smith who presented him with a token of the club's appreciation.

After the address the Acton Y's Men were taken on a tour of the Acton Free Press where they were shown the various presses and other pieces of equipment necessary to produce a modern paper.

Continued on Page Fourteen



SECOND PLACE WINNERS in the Acton Legion dart tournament are shown above as they display a new set of darts they received for winning honors in the second class. Pictured left to right are: Doug Daintith, Alec McGowan, Hughie Smith and Bob Martingale. The Legion Ladies' Auxiliary catered for the banquet and served a not turkey dinner.



ACTON LEGION LADIES' AUXILIARY catered for the Legion Dart players banquet in the auditorium last Saturday and provided the players and guests with a delicious turkey dinner. Following the banquet, trophies and awards were distributed to the winners of the season's play for top team, singles and doubles. Pictured above are the ladies as they look out of the serving quarters. Left to right are: Mrs. W. McHugh, Mrs. P. Luck, Mrs. R. Johnson, Mrs. J. Cooney, Mrs. H. Dedels, Mrs. W. Buchanan, Mrs. W. Allonby and Mrs. W. Cooney.

She needs an EXTRA phone in the kitchen!

DO YOU? To order—call your telephone business office.

Rollin' Down the Alleys

WITH **KEN HULFORD**

High School

April 6: Misfits just didn't fit in to the picture when they met up with the Satellites, the latter making every game a winning one.

Crackpots cracked down on the Hula Hoops in the first game, then edged out a second game win by eight pins only, to have the Hula Hoops come whirling back in the third to go to stay on the win sheet for one game. The Hoopers needed that one game win to hang onto first place.

Rebel Rousers were up for two games against the Bird Dogs, but their single win to pick up the odd point for totals.

W. Hildley was the hot triple trundler with 722, followed by A. Williams 666 and G. Hulford 602.

The big triples may be few and far between but the singles we always have and it was P. Barr 234, T. Scott 233, J. Foley 216, P. Homer 236, D. Lindsay 203, J. Lindsay 220.

League standing: Hula Hoops 99.

Continued on Page Fourteen

Are you too BUSY to SAVE?

Some people say they just haven't time to go to the Bank. If you are one of these, you need the streamlined B of M banking-by-mail system. You can get full details, without obligation, at your nearest B of M branch. Why not call in or write today?

MY BANK

Speedy Way to BANK-BY-MAIL

Nothing could be simpler... The B of M's mail deposit form — made of "no-carbon required" paper — eliminates the need for repetitive writing of messy carbons.

You make out only one deposit slip. Presto, there's a second copy which comes back from the Bank as your receipt... and a third copy which you keep for your records.

We supply a pre-addressed envelope with our form which you can use for your next deposit. It comes back to you by return mail with your receipted deposit slip.

It's easy to save when you bank by mail at "MY BANK"

Ask for one of our banking-by-mail folders. It can save you time, trouble and shoe-leather.

BANK OF MONTREAL
Canada's First Bank

Acton Branch: William MacKay, Manager

WORKING WITH CANADIANS IN EVERY WALK OF LIFE SINCE 1817

TAKE THE WORD OF A BUICK MAN

"I've driven ten thousand miles in my new Buick and, I must confess, every one of them was a real pleasure. This year's Buick has improved on everything I have always admired in Buick."

BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BEING BUILT AND BUICK IS BUILDING THEM!

Franklin Prouse Motors Limited
Queen St. Acton, Ont.

THE CHURCH OF ST. ALBAN THE MARTYR
ACTON - ONTARIO

Rector: THE REV. H. B. STOKREEF, L.Th., S.T.B.
Rector's Warden: Mr. L. A. DUBY
People's Warden: Mr. W. BARRATT

Dedication of the Parish Hall

IN MEMORY OF THE REVEREND W. G. LUXTON, B.A.

The Right Reverend W. E. Bagnall, D.D., Lord Bishop of Niagara

The Right Reverend G. N. Luxton, D.D., Lord Bishop of Huron

ON GOD WILLING,

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1959
8:00 P.M. IN THE CHURCH

EVERYONE CORDIALLY INVITED

Guard Queen

The Lorne Scots (Peel, Dufferin and Halton Regiment) has been chosen as the Royal Guard of Honor on departure of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth from Malton airport on June 30.

Lt. Col. A. Kemp, C.O. of the unit, expressed the regiment's pleasure in accepting the Royal assignment from Central Ontario Area. It will be a 100 man Guard of Honor drawn from the three-county militia unit.

H. S. HOLDEN
OPTOMETRIST
EYES EXAMINED
GLASSES FITTED
7 Douglas St.
GUELPH
Phone TAYlor 2-7150