



ROBERT LITTLE SCHOOL pupils staged their amusing operetta last night (Wednesday) and will repeat it again tonight. Left to right are Robert Bonnette as Pard, Judy Jordan who plays Susie, Carol Beatty as Amy, Ray Hibbart who plays Injun Joe, Anne Watson as Gracie and Vincent Dunne as Alfred Temple. Older students made scenery while mothers helped backstage with costumes.

Personal Notes

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes

Mrs. J. Russell, Unionville, visited Acton friends Sunday.
Mr. Bob Landborough is home from North Bay for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren, Toronto, visited with Mrs. Jack Wood on Sunday.
Several Y's Men and their guests were special guests at the Legion dance last Saturday.
High school students were up to Geoph Wednesday taking part in activities at the College Royal.
Mrs. Thenia Lamb and Miss Annie Akins have returned after visiting in Seattle, Washington, and Aldergrove, B.C.
Just five days away, Mr. Alf Long and Mr. C. deJong of Micro Plastics were on a business trip to California last week.
Many friends are sorry to hear Mrs. Don Timmings is a patient in Toronto General Hospital, and hope for a speedy recovery.
A Ranger district council meeting was held in Milton Sunday. Leader Mrs. E. Franklin, Joan Ramsden and Janet Rogvaldson were there from Acton.
Bill Coats, local high school teacher and bridge instructor, with his father Jack Coats of Kitchener, supervised the Legion bridge tournament at Georgetown during the weekend.
Mr. and Mrs. Effe Somerville were guests at the Georgetown Milk Producers' annual banquet in Glen Williams, United Church. Mr. Somerville, president of Acton Milk Producers' Association, was a head table guest.

Day of Prayer Service Friday

Over 100 joined in prayers offered by representatives of various churches at the World Day of Prayer service Friday afternoon in the United Church, U.C.W. president Mrs. H. R. Foray presided and others taking part were Mrs. S. Payne of the Christian Reformed Church, Mrs. S. Gannon of the Baptist church, Mrs. S. M. Thomas of the Acton Pentecostal Tabernacle, Mrs. Dunk of Evangel Baptist church, Mrs. W. Denny of St. Alban's Anglican church and Mrs. Fred Anderson of Knox Presbyterian church.
K. A. Long played the organ and accompanied Mrs. Bernard Veldhuis and Miss Dorothy Simmons of the host church, who sang, How Great Thou Art.
Speaker for the service was Mrs. Dwight Engel. The service was prepared this year in Korea for use around the world.
The offering which was taken by Mrs. A. Ironside, Mrs. A. Lauder, Mrs. D. H. Lindsay and Mrs. W. Pendleton, goes to the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada.
Denizens of Knox held a World Day of Prayer service Sunday evening in Knox church.

Gadgets Create Spring Bonnets

Scout and Guide Mothers held their meeting in the Scout Hall Tuesday, Feb. 26. The meeting was opened by the president, Alice Wilkinson, with the Lord's Prayer. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read. The roll call was a spring bonnet made from kitchen utensils, made and worn during the meeting by each of the nine members present.
It was decided to purchase a wet mop and pail for cleaning the hall.
The mother and daughter banquet is being held March 21 and the Scout Mothers were asked to help the leaders to prepare for it.
The president gave a report on the prices of card tables.
Mrs. Kay Franklin, the leader of the Rangers, sent in a report that she would welcome girls 15 and over to join the Ranger Pack. Any interested girl is to contact her at her home.
The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction and lunch was served.
The Liberals have campaign headquarters in Van Gils vacant Mill St. store and the Conservatives are taking over the old show lobby.

Greet Guests At I.O.D.E. Tea

The Duke of Devonshire I.O.D.E. held a tea at the home of Mrs. Wesley Beatty on Wednesday, February 27. Before the tea a short business meeting was conducted by the Regent, Miss Mainprize. Various committees were formed and plans suggested for the year's work.
After the meeting guests from Lakeside Chapter, teachers from Acton high school and both public schools spent a social hour.
Pouring tea for the Chapter were two charter members, Miss M. Z. Bennett and Mrs. R. M. McDonald.

Many Winners at Speyside H. and S. Euchre, Bake Sale

The Speyside Home and School Association held a very successful euchre and bake sale on Friday, Feb. 22 at the school. There were 15 tables of euchre and the prize winners were: Men's high, Abbie Haley; men's low, Bev. McIntyre. Ladies' high, Alice Norfold; ladies' low, N. Dredge. There was also a prize for a lucky chair number which was won by Jack Irving.
Prize Winners
After lunch was served tickets were drawn on several articles donated by the Home and School Association, Ledgers IGA, Glenispey Farms, Kelly's Store, Speyside, Northern Paint and Varnish Co., Esquing Bus Line.

UNICEF Book Shelf Received by Library

Acton Public Library has received from the Ontario UNICEF committee a gift of the UN Book Shelf suitable for youngsters reading. Since one of the objectives of both children's libraries and UNICEF is the promotion of knowledge and understanding throughout the world, this is an important addition to the library. Included among the books are the four Hi Neighbor books. These are fascinating stories of the lives of children in five continents and the 105 countries who participate in UNICEF. Also geared for children's interest is Fun Around the World, Three Promises to You, The Valley of Trust, Let's Find Out about United Nations, The First Book of United Nations and United Nations and What It Does.
Presentation of the Book Shelf will be made at the next library board meeting, by Mrs. William Wilson, representative of the Ontario UNICEF committee.
The gift of the UN Book Shelf is part of the long range educational program undertaken by the Ontario UNICEF committee.

Knox Auxiliary Meets at Manse

Knox Alert Evening Auxiliary gathered at the manse for its regular meeting on February 20. The new president, Miss Emma Cole, opened the meeting. Following the singing of the hymn, All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name, Miss Marjorie Hall led in prayer. Mrs. R. Adams read the Scripture lesson and thoughts for meditation. The study on Korea was conducted by Mrs. G. Musselle who was convener for the evening, assisted by Miss Hall and Mrs. Adams.
The president gave the offertory prayer followed by the singing of Blest be the Tie that Binds. During the business period plans were discussed for the annual spring visit to Halton Manor. The meeting closed with the singing of the W.M.S. hymn, Pray, Give, Go, and the benediction.
Mrs. Adams conducted two interesting contests. A lovely lunch was enjoyed and a vote of thanks moved to Mrs. McKenzie, the hostess for the evening.

Reach Objective P.S.I. Campaign

As indicated by the giant thermometer in front of the Burlington Information Centre for P.S.I., the objective has already been attained. Enrollment of Halton County will be one of the most successful ever attempted, officials say.
The closing date of the enrollment will be March 31 and residents wishing to enrol should do so prior to that date.
Offices have been established in Burlington, Oakville and Georgetown.

Track Star Disagrees

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one of the best ways of obtaining that experience is by participating in sport and recreation.
It is quite probable that with a 65 per cent set average only a few would miss the organization's sports program. But these few are the ones which I think need it the most. If they miss the boat in their scholastic education, why must they be forced to also miss another part of education? I know if others were to read this letter they would surely ask why I am so set in my opinion. These are some of the reasons why I think your proposition is wrong.
As you know we do receive something other than exercise and satisfaction from sport and recreation. I am thinking of the ideas of fair play, sportsmanship and honest effort which these pastimes give. These are qualities which can only be learned in sport, and they are qualities which can only be learned in sport, and they are qualities that must accompany us through the remaining years of our life. Are we to keep these from the child?
Another thing which few people realize is that hockey, or for that matter, any other sport affords the child the opportunity for self-expression. What can a child do in school but sit and learn? He cannot expound any new theories or make startling discoveries. He is too young. He is an instrument into which assorted data is stored. Eventually he will expound his theories, but until he can sports remain his only means of self-expression. The child should be allowed to participate even if self-expression is the only reason. But it is not.
In your article you referred to organized hockey. The word "organized" has a high value in this argument. If you were to prevent a child from taking part in organized sport I do not think that you would drive him to the books. Instead, he might head to the road, the pond or the back lot where his recreation might take the form of barbaric exercise to the exclusion of fair play and sportsmanship. The child must be allowed to participate in organized events if his sense of the mentioned qualities are to be organized. I think you would only be defeating your purpose of helping children if you were to exclude the scholastically inept.
If a person has more ability and inclination toward sport than education, should he be prevented from playing because he does not meet the scholastic standard? This may be a touchy question, but I think that he should be allowed to play. I do not advocate that he abandon scholastic education. By all means he should strive for better results. His future may be in some aspect of professional sport and organizations such as minor hockey association are steps which will help him to climb to his chosen field. In this case should a scholastic standard prevent a person from attaining a possible living? I think not.
These are but a few reasons

Tentative Dates

At last Thursday's Y's Men's meeting, tentative dates for the regatta were set at June 8 or June 15. Lorne Doherty showed a film on the Mid-Canada Defence Warning Line.

Car-Train Hit

An East Flamboro resident, Arnold Leven R.R. 2, Hamilton was admitted to Milton District Hospital Thursday evening when his car collided with a C.P.R. freight train on Five Sideroad near Campbellville.
Mr. Leven received a cracked breastbone and fractured ribs in the impact, and his car received \$600 damage. The train was not derailed. North Halton O.P.P. reported.

PEERING OVER The Hog Line WITH Acton Curlers

Only two more games to go until the last draw is over and finally begin. Results of this week's play are:
Monday Mixed 7-9
A. Kirkness L. 2; O. Zbeetoff W. 6; M. Dumarsch W. 3; D. Van Wack W. 5; E. Holmes W. 3; A. Zbeetoff W. 4; F. VanWack L. 0; J. Graham L. 3; M. Blow L. 0; C. deJong L. 4
Monday Mixed 9-11
F. Cooper L. 2; D. Rowley L. 2; J. Bonnette W. 2; A. Nolan W. 0; J. Gow W. 4; M. Holmes L. 2; G. McArthur W. 6; B. Hunter L. 3; G. Cooper L. 2; B. Wood W. 3
Tuesday Men 7-9
D. Widdis L. 2; W. Dubois L. 2; W. McKay L. 4; C. Rogvaldson W. 2; C. Bradley L. 4; A. Buchanan W. 4; A. McKenzie W. 4; B. Holmes W. 2
Tuesday Mixed 9-11
T. Watson W. 4; C. Kirkness W. 2; B. Toth L. 2; W. Coon W. 0; C. Anderson L. 0; J. Tyler L. 1; J. Radlow L. 2; V. Patrick L. 0; J. Krapek L. 4; M. Jordan L. 4; B. VanFleet W. 5; K. Elsiey W. 4
Ladies' Monday Afternoon
E. Cooper W. 4; W. Hewitt-L. 4; D. McKay L. 0; C. Holmes W. 4; M. Toth W. 4; D. VanWack L. 2



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Side Glances
Wayne Ridley is handling the chore of melting the ice with the new machine. Thanks to the help of a few volunteers the curling stones are now stored on shelving under the seats.

Candidates Share Stage

Halton County's three federal election candidates will share a political platform twice in two days this month.
Conservative candidate Sandy Best, Liberal nominee Dr. Harry Harley and New Democratic standard bearer, Ellis Fullerton will make their joint appearance March 18 at Blakelock High School in Oakville. They will also accept invitations extended by the University Women's Club on March 19. The Georgetown Junior Chamber of Commerce is endeavoring to arrange a similar debate.

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Savings & Term Deposits	\$20,467,964	up 31%
First Mortgages	15,659,204	up 36%
Bonds and Stocks	5,416,546	up 20%
Profit before Taxes	201,975	up 34%
Total Assets under administration	23,409,792	up 30%

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