... Disturbed by Anglers

... [illegible] ... taken from the Beaver River at Thornbury, where many local fishermen journeyed to open the season. Most of the anglers around the Shepherd family, consisting of Bill and (the big M), Doug ... Oakley carried off all the honors for prize fish including many "whoppers".

... Credit and Sixteen and Twelve Mile creeks.

Have Many Spots

Everton is known for the quality of its brown trout and big speckles and rainbows are fished out of the Credit River at Belfountain and Credit Forks, both equally famous for their scenery.

Others who tried the Thornbury district with varying success were Ken Papillon, Wilf Duval Jr., George Lazenby, Artie White, Archie and Theo Papillon, Charlie Heard and his daughter Susan, Jim Graham, Lorne Fletcher and son, Gord Lawson, Bob Bayliss, Truman Spence, George Harris, Bill McMullen and R. Mainprize.

Push Pre-Regatta Sales For Saving, Lucky Draws

At the ... meeting of the Acton Y's Men's Club in the banquet room of the Y on April 25, plans for the forthcoming ... were discussed and Y's Man Clarence Ragnvaldson gave a report on progress made in publicizing the Y's Men's hydroplane regatta scheduled for June 15.

He mentioned that posters and handbills have been printed and Actonites will notice the first posters being displayed this ... pre-regatta ticket sales will begin, tickets being sold now at ... which represents a saving of 25% over ticket prices on the day of the regatta. Another advantage in buying tickets now is that the purchaser is eligible to win one of the valuable prizes in the pre-regatta draw. Other attractions are planned to publicize and promote this coming event.

Guest speaker for the night ... Bill Wilson, who spoke on Christian Emphasis in Y's-dom. He mentioned that being a service club one aspect of Y's Men's Clubs is, of course, to financially support the Y.M.C.A., but that in the effort to raise money for a worthwhile cause, the main object of Y's-dom must not be neglected. To be a Y's Man does not mean to sit around at a dinner meeting twice a month, but to live by the principles Y's-dom represents.

Mr. Wilson presented the Acton Y's Men's Club with a framed picture of Judge Paul Alexander, who founded this organization which now has brother clubs all over the world.

In accepting the picture, president Walter Dubois thanked Mr. Wilson for his thoughtful message and mentioned that the founder's picture would always have a place of honor in the Y's Men's meeting room.

The fines period proved once again that under an efficient finemaster, nobody can talk himself out of paying into the Bishop's Fund, which helps to bring representatives from abroad to Y's Men's conventions on this continent.

... at the annual high school "At Home" provided a resting spot for many dancers Friday evening. Four of the young revellers are seen chatting during a lull in the dancing. Left to right are Terry Hamilton, student council president, Bonnie MacDougall, Pat Manes and Dave Hobson. Theme for this year's dance was "Tea House of the August Moon."

To Arms!

Halton Orchards Prepare for War

The annual battle between man and pest is under way in the orchards of Halton county. Diseases such as apple scab and many insect pests have already received a volley from the chemicals applied by fruit growers.

To produce top quality fruit, protection must be provided to each new leaf as it unfolds. The spring rains, that are so welcome have the bad side effect of releasing many millions of overwintering spores of apple scab into the air. These spores or seeds of this disease will be carried great distances and only a few hours is required for them to send roots through unprotected apple leaves.

Apples are susceptible as soon as green tissue appears on the tree, and rains activate the scab organisms on the old leaves on the ground.

Up in the trees are the eggs of mites, aphids and other insect pests. The best method to fight these enemies is to coat them with an oil spray. The eggs are killed, and a continuing battle can be avoided.

Unfortunately many pests are not vulnerable at this time, and apple scab will continue to shoot spores for some weeks, with every rainy period. Protection is the key manoeuvre to employ for fruit trees. Information for plans of attack and protection are available from the Department of Agriculture in Milton.

—Have you checked your mailing address on your Free Press lately? Perhaps your subscription renewal is due.

—Town superintendent Alf Duby and his workmen expect to be busy repairing breakups in the roads as soon as all the frost goes out. Some temporary repairs have already been made but the breakups are occuring rapidly.

"A for Achievement"

Prize Boosts Economic Growth

Premier John Robarts today announced the first in a series of "A" for Achievement" awards to be bestowed on companies and individuals in Ontario recognized for furthering economic growth in the province.

He made the first award to American Motors (Canada) Limited of Brampton at a press conference attended by Economics and Development Minister Robert Macaulay, under whose department the awards are made, and Education Minister William Davis, the member for Peel in whose constituency the plant is located.

Accepting the award — a scroll and blue flag inscribed with a large "A" and a trillium in gold — was Earl K. Brownridge, president of the U. S. subsidiary company.

The scroll was inscribed with the words: Province of Ontario — "A for Achievement" — This certificate is awarded by the Government of Ontario to American Motors (Canada) Limited for outstanding achievement in furthering the economic growth of the province. Signed by the Premier and Minister of Economics and Development.

Several Fields

Mr. Robarts said the industrial merit award will be given to firms showing outstanding initiative and accomplishment in the fields of export sales, import replacement, new products, new production techniques and new commercial services.

Awards will also be given to individuals in recognition of outstanding public service in promoting the economic growth of Ontario.

The Premier said the two different awards will be given only when they are warranted by companies and individuals. The award that will be given to individuals has not yet been decided, but it will be some kind of personal momentum.

Similar Meetings For District A.A.'s

Local members of Alcoholics Anonymous are taking part in an "Open to the Public" meeting to be held on Sunday afternoon, May 5, in the K. of C. Hall, in Guelph at 2.30 p.m.

More than 40 similar meetings are being held simultaneously in most major centres in the province. There are some 315 groups in about 150 Ontario municipalities and the Public Information Committee of A.A. have devised this idea in order to make it easy for those people who have either a direct or indirect interest in the problem of alcoholism to find out what A. A. is and how it works.

Invitations have been sent to members of the clergy and the medical profession, but any and all interested citizens are welcome. Several thousand non-drinking alcoholics are expected to attend these meetings.

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MAY 1st to MAY 7th IS CLEAN UP WEEK IN ACTON

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THIS IMPORTANT COMMUNITY PROJECT MERITS THE SUPPORT OF ALL OF US!

Clean Up Your Premises First!

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A little money spent now on repairs, paint and minor improvements can save you a big repair bill later on.

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LET'S ALL CO-OPERATE IN MAKING OUR TOWN CLEAN and FIRE SAFE

— CHECK ALL FIRE HAZARDS —

- DON'T USE OLD FRAYED ELECTRIC CORDS
- DON'T OVERLOAD ELECTRIC OUTLETS
- DON'T USE DEFECTIVE ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES
- HAVE FURNACE CHECKED, CLEANED and REPAIRED REGULARLY
- DON'T ALLOW LITTER TO ACCUMULATE IN ATTIC OR BASEMENT
- TAKE PRECAUTION WHEN BURNING RUBBISH OR GRASS

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