



CANDY FLOSS GIRLS in their attractive costumes drew applause in the carnival Saturday night, April 2. Included are Sharon Barber, Debbie Hurgett, Debbie Drinkwater who skated a solo part, Ann Marie Luty, Theresa Cunningham and Erika Heptner.

Seek Lawn Chairs to Fix

Six Retarded Adults Begin Working At North Halton's H-O-P-E Workshop

The training of six of North Halton's retarded adults to become more useful citizens began Monday, April 4, in the former Hornby school.

The six young adult retarded began as trainees in H-O-P-E (Halton Opportunity Product Enterprises), the newest project of the North Halton Association for the Mentally Retarded.

Manager Mrs. Winifred Isham and volunteer workers will try to teach the trainees useful tasks which someday might enable them to get jobs in industries.

On Monday, the trainees re-strapped lawn chairs, filled flowers of Hope packages and decorated hangers.

The manager explains the first few weeks of operation will be a trial period, when she will attempt to assess the potential of the trainees. After that, it is hoped contracts to do simple jobs might be obtained from industries.

The opening of H-O-P-E is a welcome change for the trainees who now laugh and talk while they work. The manager noted, "most of them just used to sit at home and do nothing."

Although they will receive no actual salaries, they will have an opportunity to do useful tasks and, it is hoped, "receive a sense of fulfillment."

The County of Halton has agreed to a grant of \$300 per year per trainee and \$15 a month will be paid to H-O-P-E by the families of the trainees. Each month, the trainee will receive a "wage packet" of up to \$10 which will give them the feeling that they are earning something.

Although after years of dreaming, H-O-P-E is now in operation, there are still several wrinkles to be ironed out. Transportation is one of them. Mrs. Isham noted the trainees from Acton, Georgetown and to a lesser degree from Milton, have trouble getting rides to the school. She is hoping that people from those communities might offer assistance — possibly by forming a car pool to help transport the trainees.

A second problem which is also cropping up is the lack of lawn and deck chairs to be fixed. Anyone with lawn or deck chairs that need to be re-strapped should contact Mrs. Isham at either 878-3369, or 853-9966 (Campbellville).

Memorial to Missionary Fund To Honor Late Mrs. W. Hayward

The executive of Halton Presbyterial United Church Women met for a morning and afternoon session at First United Church, Port Credit, on Monday, March 28.

Mrs. Earl Sovereign of Burlington, immediate past president, called on the members to observe one minute's silence in memory of the late Mrs. F. W. Hayward of Lowville, who had been elected to the president's chair for 1966, but died before taking over the office.

Greetings were extended to guests Mrs. Frank Taylor of Ancaster, immediate past president of Hamilton Conference U.C.W., and Mrs. D. E. McFadden of Guelph, president of Hamilton Conference U.C.W.

Norval Juniors' Play Defeated In Zone Final

The Norval Junior Farmers' Drama Club, which won the W. I. Dick Memorial Trophy for top honors in among Halton clubs in Milton with their play "Bread" two weeks ago was one of the competitors in the zone competition held in Uxbridge Saturday.

Although defeated by the Ontario County club with their play "Come Romance", the Norval group did present a commendable representation for Halton.

The other play entered in the competition was "Gilded Brat" by the Victoria County group.

Adjudicator of the event was Mrs. R. W. Sheridan of Bowmanville.

"Bread" will be presented for the enjoyment of the Strathville Senior Citizens Club on April 20.

New Officers

It was necessary to elect a president and to fill other vacancies on the executive. Mrs. W. D. Stainton of Oakville, chairman of the committee of nomination, brought in the following slate of officers:

President, Mrs. Harold Parker, Port Credit; vice-president area 2, Mrs. Roy Coulter, Campbellville; recording secretary, Mrs. Sydney Hershey, Oakville; corresponding secretary, Mrs. L. Riva, Cooksville; finance, Mrs. E. S. Leaker, Cooksville; program secretary, Mrs. H. L. Shepherd, Burlington.

Members without portfolio, Mrs. Byrnes Fleury, Cooksville; Mrs. Keith McMillan, Burlington; Mrs. W. F. Carroll, Cooksville; Mrs. D. MacLaren, Georgetown.

Mrs. Frank Taylor installed the new officers and Mrs. Harold Parker took charge of the meeting. In her opening remarks, she thanked the executive for electing her president of Halton Presbyterial U.C.W. Mrs. Parker said she accepted this office with no sense of burden, but rather with a sense of joy.

In memory of the late Mrs. Hayward, a gift of \$100 has been made to the M and M Committee of the United Church, by the Halton Presbyterial U.C.W. A singing and Bible reading by Mrs. W. D. Stainton, Oakville, opened the afternoon session.

Approximately 160 members from the locals attended the workshops. The leaders and the workshop groups were: Mrs. Harold Parker, presidents; Mrs. W. D. Stainton, supply and welfare; Mrs. Keith McMillan and Mrs. C. C. Smith, program planning; Mrs. L. B. King and Mrs. E. S. Leaker.

Touring Canada, Visiting Cousins Her Mother is Maybe in Your Pocket

The fourth generation of five associated with Scottish show business, pretty Irene Campbell appeared at the Royal Alexandra Theater all last week — and renewed "auld acquaintance" with her Canadian relatives, the McGeachies.

When the blond dancer came to Toronto for the week-long engagement, she stayed at the home of her cousin, former Actonian Jim McGeachie, Mrs. McGeachie and family. They had visited her in Scotland last year.

On Sunday, there was a family gathering here in Acton at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGeachie and family, Paul, Heather and John. From Toronto, bringing their Scottish cousin, came Mr. and Mrs. Jim McGeachie and son Douglas; Mrs. Joe McGeachie and Mrs. E. W. Toms (the former Mona McGeachie) and daughter Kathryn of North Bay, who had been visiting her mother there.

The company was very happy with their Toronto engagement. They played to full houses, and people were standing in the aisles on Saturday.

This week they do a series of one-night stands, leaving from Toronto for Oshawa, Peterborough, Cobourg, Niagara Falls and London. Then they leave this district and head west to Calgary.

In Canada, Irene Campbell has a special connection that makes her perhaps feel more at home. Canadians carry her mother around in their pockets!

Yes, her mother, Jack and Jim McGeachie's cousin) is the Highland dancer on the Export packages of cigarettes!

Irene Campbell from Battlefield, Glasgow, left March 26 to trip the light fantastic on stages in North America with a Scottish troupe. They have had sell-out houses in the east, and she came to Toronto from Hamilton. They cross Canada and then go south of the border, including Chicago, San Francisco, Los Angeles and New York on their route.

She won't be home to Scotland till May. The one-night stands are a novelty for these performers. She is on her first overseas tour, although she first appeared on stage at the age of four.

She is meeting both McGeachie and Tait relatives in the Toronto area.

The Tait link goes back to the Scot who first forged the entertainment association, Charles

Tait, a violinist from Banchoy, who was Irene's great-grandfather and the McGeachie brothers' grandfather.

Her grandmother, Mrs. Jean Campbell, who is the McGeachie's aunt, ran theatre productions in Scotland. And her mother, Mrs. Agnes Campbell, their cousin, still active in the business at Glasgow Metropole theatre box office, had her own dance troupe, the Caledonian Girls.

Film on Centennial To be Brought Here

Arranging for a public showing of a film on Expo 67 and Canada's Centennial was discussed by Lakeside Chapter I.O.D.E. at their meeting April 5. Alternative dates were discussed. The town's centennial committee would be pleased to cooperate.

Reports on the music festival, presentation of 20 Maple Leaf flags at the Robert Little public school and the centennial committee's hopes for Acton groups were given by members. The big new flag for the high school was shown. Dates are to be set for presentation of this large flag and small individual room flags at the high school and M. Z. Bennett school.

"Never a Dull Meal" Is Food Forum Topic

On Wednesday, April 20, the Home Economics Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture will present its second annual "Food Forum" in Halton. "Never a Dull Meal" is the topic

of this forum in which casseroles of all types, from main course to dessert, will be featured. When the demonstrations are over there will be an opportunity for everyone to sample the dishes that have been prepared and to ask questions.

The Christian Education Centre of St. Paul's United Church, Milton is the location for this event and the Food Forum commences at 8.15 p.m. There is no admission charge and all women in the county are invited to attend. Recipe booklets will be given to everyone present.

Georgetown Cow Sets New Record

Grampian Kitty Lula, G.P., an Ayrshire owned by Arthur H. Clark, 2 years old. She has produced 16,368 lbs. Milk, 523 lbs fat in 316 days.

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May 3, 57 lbs.; June 7, 57.5 lbs.; July 12, 52 lbs.; Sept. 8, 48.5 lbs.; Oct. 19, 50 lbs.; Nov. 25, 35 lbs. She was only dry about six weeks when she freshened again on February 11 and she is off to a good start in her second lactation, presently milking 82 lbs. per day.

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