

## LET'S PLAY BRIDGE

By Bill Coats

Last weekend saw some of our local players journeying to Brantford for the Grand Valley Bridge Tournament. The results were most unsatisfactory. Duke Wilson and Marjory Mackenzie, both of Georgetown, played in the mixed pairs on Friday night as did your columnist and his wife. Both pairs were below average.

On Saturday, Duke Wilson teamed up with Bill Barbour for the open pairs. I went down also on the chance of finding a partner. I played with Mrs. "Sidi" Isaacs of London. Duke and Bill did not qualify in the afternoon and played in the consolation game in the evening. Mrs. Isaacs and I tied for first in our section in the afternoon but unfortunately, our good results did not carry on to the evening.

Here is one of the hands that led to our win in the afternoon. The dealer is South and East-West are vulnerable.

North  
S-A Q 6 4 3  
H-A K  
D-Q 7 3  
C-10 7 5

West East  
S-K 10 8 S-J 9 7  
H-Q 10 8 6 5 H-4 3  
D-6 4 D-K 10 9 8 5  
C-J 8 3 C-K Q 4

South  
S-5 2  
H-7 9 7 2  
D-A J 2  
C-A 9 6 2

The bidding:  
South West North East  
Pass Pass 1S Pass 2D  
1NT Pass Pass 3NT All Pass  
2NT Pass 3NT All Pass

We were very lucky on the bidding. I was sitting in the South position and my first response of 1NT was an underbid. Fortunately, East gave me another chance and I bid again. West opened his fourth best heart, which was won in dummy. Since one spade must be lost in any case, I led a low spade from dummy. This was won by West, who continued hearts. A diamond is led from dummy and the jack is successfully finessed. Now a spade is led

and finessed. With everything working so well, there was no real problem.

When the spade ace was played and both opponents followed, three no trump was assured. But this is not enough in duplicate bridge. One must try to get every trick possible. Two more spade leads proved rather embarrassing to the defense. If East does not get rid of his high clubs, he will be end played. If he does get rid of his high clubs, his partner will be squeezed in hearts and clubs. As it was, East discarded a diamond and a club on the spades, while West let go of a heart and a club.

On a club lead from dummy, I let East hold the trick. When East continued a club, I won. I still had the diamond ace and the club ten, for a total of ten tricks. This was good enough for a tie for top on the board.

Last week's winners at the Acton Bridge Club were: first, Bill Barbour and Brian Hamilton; tied for second, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Barbour, with Bill Hamilton and Jack Coats.



—Staff Photo

**CAREERS NIGHT** at the high school Monday night was well attended by 180 students who heard specialists in various occupations explain details of their work. Acton Rotary Club sponsored the project with individual members introducing the guests. Included in the picture above left to right are Jack Carpenter who explained sales management, Tom Unwin, supervisor of the Industrial Training Branch Department of Labor; Lieutenant Bob Grant from the Canadian Army; Rotarian Fred Gordon; H. E. Lucas, administrator of Industrial Training Branch Department of Labor; Rotarian William Pendleton, Principal E. A. Hansen, Detective Charles Gilbert and Rotarian Dick Lee.

## Health Unit's Annual Report Reviews Work of County Staff

The annual report of the Halton County Health Unit, released recently, shows of the \$365,926.61 spent by the unit over the past year, nearly \$125,000 came from municipalities in the county. The remainder of the funds came from the province.

Salaries for the 55 employees of the unit accounted for \$285,927.67 of the expenditures; and another \$79,998.94 was paid out for equipment, travel, rent and utilities.

12 cases of Infectious Hepatitis were reported, the majority of these coming from the north-west area of the county late in the year. Other diseases were seven cases of Scarlet Fever, one of infant impetigo, one food poisoning, 18 admissions of Tuberculosis sanatoriums (three of which were reactivated cases), 26 cases of Syphilis and Gonorrhea (with an additional 27 contact carriers).

These infections, plus the large number of calls made to mothers

of infants, amounted to 36,420 calls for the 20 public health nurses.

Of the eight swimming pools inspected by the unit, not one was found to be in satisfactory condition.

The report shows 239 of the 1,472 inspected septic tanks proved unsanitary, while of the 492 municipally inspected, 24 were found unsatisfactory, with 205 of the 527 inspected private systems failing the test.

Over one third of the inspected cisterns did not appear satisfactory.

The unit also staged inspections in 223 barber shops and beauty salons and 121 houses;

made seven air pollution checks; and 575 rabies inspections.

There were 541 inspections conducted in restaurants and hotels, with 224 of these showing poor conditions.

Caterers and food-handlers were found to have unsatisfactory conditions in 18 of the 55 inspections.

Of the eight food vendors and distributors, 213 inspections, 46 warranted unsatisfactory reports.

Dental hygienists examined 12,615 children and discovered 20,106 teeth needing treatment.

The unit counselled 31,249 students in 83 elementary schools and 10,385 in the 11 secondary schools.

### SELECT SPEAKER

Guest speaker for Halton Junior Farmers' annual church service in Milton this Sunday evening, May 1, will be James Moore of Belmont. Mr. Moore, whose topic will be "building foundations", was the winner of the 1965 provincial Junior Farmer public speaking competition.

The service will be held at Grace Anglican church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday. A fireside hour will follow when the Junior Farmer choir and trio and individual members will entertain.

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## County Trees Are Sold Out

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All 5,000 of the red maples, sugar maples and white ashes have been called for, and are awaiting their delivery to homes in May.

The trees, selling at 50 cents each and guaranteed for a year, will be planted on the frontage of rural properties, and each buyer was allowed up to 25 trees. The town of Milton's annual tree-planting project has seen 17 decorative plants ordered at a half-price fee of from \$3.87 to \$6.62 for the resident.

Town residents are reminded that all applications must be received at the town office before 5 p.m. this Friday, April 29. All trees will be installed by town workmen and will also be guaranteed.

### Near Deadline

With the deadline Sunday, seven entries have been received so far in the Chamber of Commerce Home Improvement contest. John Rol and other Chamber officials would like very much to have more entries and hope they'll be coming in just under the wire this weekend.

## 4-H Club Girls To Sponsor Tea

The fifth meeting of the Nassagaweya Nymphs 4-H Club was held at the home of Mrs. Norrish on March 26. The club girls made relishes followed by Mrs. Norrish demonstrating flower arranging, the 4-H Pledge was repeated. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and adopted followed with roll call.

The girls reported on the sandwiches they had made at home. Mrs. Norrish led a discussion on "Entertaining" and dictated notes. Lunch was served.

Meeting 6 of the Nassagaweya Nymphs was held at the home of Mrs. J. Henry on Tuesday, April 12.

Under the direction of Mrs. Henry the girls demonstrated the making of tea cakes and icing them.

Mrs. Henry led the discussion on party refreshments: the service; party suggestions; food preparation and gave notes on these discussions.

Following this the group practiced setting up a buffet table for a party.

During the tea hour, Miss Susan Ward poured tea, Miss Audrey Allison served tea and the delicious tea cakes made by the girls.

Meeting 7 of the Nassagaweya Nymphs was held at Mrs. Norrish's on Saturday, April 16. Seven members were present.

Mrs. Norrish led a discussion on etiquette followed with a few notes. The girls made final arrangements for their tea, to be held on April 30 at 2:30 at Mrs. Norrish's. Lunch was served by the club girls.

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## HARLEY...to HALTON

By DR. HARRY HARLEY, M.P.

The House of Commons has resumed its normal sittings. Since our return we have been debating the Budget. This is a general debate and will last for a few days. We had an amendment proposed by the NDP to raise the basic income tax exemption, but this was defeated as they received very little support on this matter. We still have an amendment by the Conservatives to deal with, but it is not expected to cause any serious problem. This amendment is a general condemnation of Government policy as outlined in the Budget. There have been very few complaints from Halton following the presentation of the Budget just prior to Easter.

Next week will probably see the debate on redistribution. I expect to participate in this matter on behalf of the Township of Nassagaweya. Redistribution puts Nassagaweya in the riding of Wellington (rather than Halton-Wentworth) which would break its ties with the Town of Burlington in Halton-Wentworth.

A great deal of talk has taken place over the CBC and the program This Hour Has Seven Days. The CBC was set up by Parliament in its present form to keep political influence out of the broadcasting media. It would be terrible to have broadcasting policy dependent on whichever political party was in power. The Parliament cannot and should not interfere with the programming of the CBC who in fact run their own affairs. The House of Commons has a Standing Committee on Broadcasting and this has been between management and programmers. It seems probable that the CBC, which covers the news, will itself be the main item of news for the length of time of these gun sittings on this problem. All interested and involved parties

will be invited to appear and testify before the Committee. In this way a fair hearing will go into this problem, not only the problem of This Hour Has Seven Days but into the problem generally of hearings. It does seem ironic to me that the program in question which was often unkind (to say the least) to Parliament now finds itself before a Parliamentary Committee for hearing and justice. It is ironic the broadcasting media which has often applauded the actions of the Honorable Member from York-Humber (Mr. Ralph Cowan) here finds themselves on the receiving end of these actions. This House of Commons Committee met on Thursday morning and wanted to

## Name J. Corbett County Engineer

D. J. Corbett of Orangeville was named the new county engineer by Halton County Council Tuesday to succeed Roy F. Smith who has served in that position since 1918.

Mr. Corbett has been county engineer in Dufferin County for the past seven years. Prior to that he was assistant county engineer in Middlesex County for three years. Mr. Corbett, 36, is married and has one child. In Halton he will be responsible for 151 miles of county road. He will begin here about May 15.

He will meet again in the afternoon, but this required unanimous consent of the House, and it was refused by the Member for York-Humber, Mr. Cowan.

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