HILARIOUS HIGHLIGHT of the Rockwood centennial concert which played to packed houses Friday and Saturday nights last week was the ally to the audience. In front is the only baby Al Jackson. in the act, tentatively identified as Herb Saun-

AL JACKSON didn't bat an eyelash as Mrs. Herb Saunders

Georgetown rector Designate

speaker during Lent library

Lent, the Rev. Eric Mills of St.

George's Church, Georgetown,

Church in Acton. The Rev.

Ritchie McMurray will be

speaking in Georgetown on

The first service, the evening

Mr. Mills' six subjects will

be the human mystery of life

and death, the divine mystery

in the person of Jesus Christ,

the Body of Christ, the sacred

signs of baptism and the Eu-

charist, the inner life, and the

land, Mr. Mills was hired by

Avro aircraft, Malton in 1957

as a design mechanical engineer. He returned to England

in 1959 and lectured in mech-

anical engineering at Birmingham, and returned to Canada in 1961 to study theology at Trinity college. He graduated

in 1964. He served from 1943

to 1946 in the Engine Room

He was inducted rector in

Branch of the Royal Navy.

Georgetown last week.

A charter engineer in Eng-

of Ash Wednesday, is at 8 p.m.

and all others at 7.30 p.m.

Sunday evenings.

life manifested.

speak at St. Alban's

notes his make up prior descented av night's fashion show.

At a recent meeting of the

Board of the South Central-

Regional Library System, it

was decided that the Hamilton

library would be the main

centre for reference collections

to serve the whole region. With

the approval of the Hamilton

Public Library Board, the Chief

Librarian of Hamilton, C. E.

Brisbin was appointed Direc-

tor of the Regional System for

Acton library is included in

The Regional Board also cre-

for only

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ated the post of assistant dir-

ector, whose main duties will

be to study the problems of

the year 1967.

ders. Some of the models wished to remain anonymous but from left to right they are Dave Hunter, quick-change artist Jim Milne, fashion show. Ruth Musselle directed the pro- George Day, Tom Gellatly, Harvey Laverty, duction and introduced the models individu- Grant McCrae, Tom Winlow, Frank Kelso and

Policeman ¹ assists at birth in back of car

Acton O.P.P. constable Bruce McArthur lost a race to the stork in the early morning hours, Thursday.

Called to take Mrs. Lyle Cripps, R.R. 3, to Guelph General Hospital after her husband's car was ditched in a snowbank, Constable McArthur didn't make it.

A premature baby was born in the back seat of the police cruiser at 5 a.m. on Highway 25 about three miles north of Acton.

The infant was stillborn. Mrs. Cripps was in satisfactory condition after the birth at Guelph General Hospital.

Constable McArthur was called by neighbors of Mr. Cripps after their attempts to aid him ran into trouble on snow-clogged roads. The birth was fast and ran into no complications.

Father of two small children himself, it was the first time Constable McArthur had assisted at a birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Cripps are parents of eight sons and one daughter.

member libraries and work with them to help find solutions. This post, which is being advertised, will call for field work with libraries in the areas of Brant, Halton and Wentworth counties.

The Librarians' Committee has recommended that the cataloguing department of the Hamilton Public Library supply sets of catalogue cards for all new titles to all libraries. This plan is being put into effect and all libraries wishing to take part will shortly receive instructions as to the procedure to be followed.

grant to festival Increase

Principals G. W. McKenzie and Elmer Smith presented sheets listing items and projects for their schools, with estimated costs for inclusion in the board's budget, at the meeting of the public school board Tuesday evening. The monthly meetings are held in alternate schools, and this week's was in the M. Z. Bennett school.

A special meeting will be held to prepare a budget. Two full sheets of paper listed the requests from the individual schools. Included were educational supplies, visual-aid materials, health program supplies, kindergarten, art room and industrial arts supplies, reference books, repairs and im-

provements. Mr. Smith's report included possible furnishings for the new addition.

Mr. McKenzie also asked consideration for special trips for centennial year. Board members were particularly enthusiastic about the possibility of taking students to see the centennial train. The items are all under con-

sideration by the board.

Indication of the variety of concerns of the board was given by the minutes. After the minutes of the inaugural meeting in January, secretary Wm. Middleton read the minutes of two special meetings. Another special meeting will be held this Thursday to discuss teach-

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ers' salaries. One of the special meetings was held to authorize the pre-

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paration of plans for a 100 foot by 100 foot addition to the M. Z. Bennett school to include a classroom, library room, gymnasium, staff room, two change rooms, gym storage area and under-stage workroom area. The plans have been submitted to a committee day — a set rate: of council at a special meeting

Monday evening. A special meeting was called late in January with trustees from Esquesing, Georgetown, Nassagaweya and Puslinch in the Robert-Little School boardroom when a salary scale schedule was agreed upon.

This year the Halton Music Festival will be extended from a day and an evening to two full days and one evening. Board members, who had approved their annual grant of \$25. at the January meeting, debated increased costs this year and finally approved increasing their grant to "onefourth of the total cost":

The festival will be in the Robert Little School on Tuesday, Wednesday and Wednesday evening, April 25 and 26. Solo classes are being includ-

ed again, and singing trustee Vic Bristow's pleasure was echoed by the rest of the board. There will be 21 more medals required this year for the first three place winners in seven solo classes.

All competitors this year will receive centennial certificates.

Estimate of the cost was about \$500. Four school boards participate. Consideration had been asked for the higher grant and principal McKenzie noted that Acton's grant is low compared to others'. The adjudicator alone costs \$100. a

Mr. Chapman pointed out "we get off lightly, not having to pay bus transportation.'

Mr. Middleton reported he had sent the board's annual report to inspector McNeill and sent necessary information to the Workmen's Compensation Board.

The property committee recommended Colin MacColl become chief caretaker. Salary adjustments were made for school crossing guards and takers are Colin MacColl, George Barnes, Mrs. MacColl, Mrs. Irene Balogh, Mrs. F. MacColl and Ab Robinson.

Doug Manning and Murray Smith reported briefly on attending the Ontario Education Showcase in Toronto.

With satisfaction, it was announced the perennially-leaking roof of the M. Z. Bennett school had not let through any moisture since January 20. More phone calls of complaint were recorded.

A Proctor and Gamble company scheme to provide each school child with a dental health kit including a tube of. toothpaste, toothbrush, color-

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ing book, chart, etc. was discussed and approved. The kits have been given out in schools in Guelph, Toronto, Hamilton, London and Windsor, and the

inspector approves. All the members of the board were present at the meeting, chairman Orval Chapman, Doug Manning, Murray Smith, Bill Benson, Vic Bristow, Cyril Byshop and secretary Mr. Middleton.

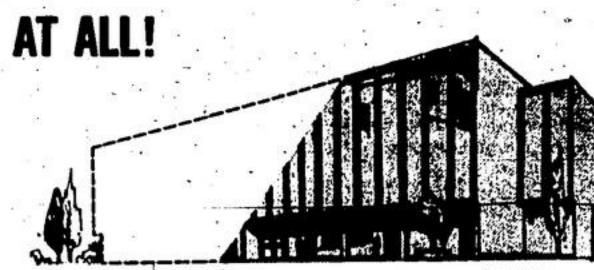
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Attend conference on child care work

On Friday, Peb. 3, Mrs. W Findley, Miss B. Roszell and Mrs. R. McMurray from the Community Services Council attended a day-long conference on Training the Child Care Worker at the House of Concord in Concord, near Toronto. Panellists for discussion were Dr. J. D. Atcheson, superintendent of Thistletown Hospital; Mrs. Nora Lillie, instructor, School of Child Care, Thistletown; Dr. R. Smith, psychiatrist at the Hospital for Sick Children and Miss D. Medhurst instructor at the Institute of Child Study. It was a moving and informative day as the Community Services Council met those closely concerned with the concept of care of children and children's insti-

It provided many insights toward the establishment of a day care centre in Acton.





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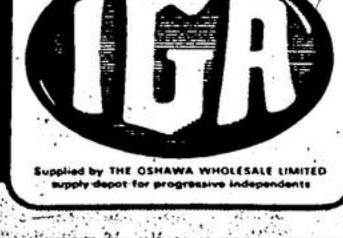
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