



CHAMPION HERSHEY BEARS in the bantam section of the Legion town league were coached by Ilio Marzo, right. In front are Peter Binnie, Bill Nicolak, Kenny Marshall, Jim Holmes, Brian Deaih. Back row M.V.P. Steve Garrett, Gerry Buchanan, Ted Muehlbacher, Gordon Williams, Jack Holmes, David Kennedy, and top marksman Graham Fraser. Missing was Paul Paulsen. (Staff Photo)

Police report

**April free of accidents
31 charges traffic act**

Acton detachment of the O.P.P. was pleased to report that the month of April was free of motor vehicle accidents. During the week April 23-29, 1967, officers worked a total of 240 hours and patrolled 875 miles. Seven charges were laid regarding traffic offences. Twenty-one warnings under the Highway Traffic Act were issued.

There were four miscellaneous occurrences, one Break and Enter with a total of \$34.20 missing, one report of malicious damage, one assault, one report of a dog bite.

One minor was charged with consuming liquor while under the age of 21 years, one person arrested on a warrant for another police department. Two missing bicycles were also reported.

In Magistrate's Court in Milton on April 24, last, one charge under the Juvenile Delinquents Act, one charge under Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Act, three charges under the Liquor Control Act and three charges under the Highway Traffic Act were all withdrawn.

Two charges of minors consuming were dismissed. One Minor charged with consuming was sentenced to a period of 60 days and one subject also was sentenced to 60 days while driving under suspension.

Thirty-one charges under the

Two Acton youths injured in accident

Damage totalling \$350 and minor injuries to driver Larry Allan and passenger Barrie Elliott, both of Acton, were reported by Guelph O.P.P. following a single vehicle accident early Saturday morning.

Police said the accident occurred on No. 7 highway east of Guelph.

Larry Allan, received cuts on his right leg and scalp while Barrie Elliott sustained a lump on his head.

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Free Press Local News Items

—The Y's Men's annual civic night dinner was postponed two weeks.

—Professional wrestling is slated for the community centre again in June.

—Two lovely beds of colorful hyacinths are at the post office and at the high school main entrance.

—Some high school exams start in just over three weeks. June 5 is the day some scholars begin writing.

—An hour's sleep was lost Sunday morning when the switch to D.S.T. was made. Some missed church and took the hour anyway.

—A drive through Lakeview subdivision this week surprises people who haven't been there for a while. Houses are going up like weeds.

—The librarians, who are very rushed in the evenings even with the extra open hours, appreciate it if more readers could take advantage of the open hours every afternoon but Sunday.

—About the best fishermen around here caught was colds on the opening day of the fishing season, although some travelled to Thornbury and other northern points and hooked some dandies.

—At the music festival here last week, the Sarah Martin chapter of the I.O.E.E. Milton, award was made by Mrs. Walter Wilson, who is the former Maureen Kinread of Acton. She was happy to be back in town to make the award and to see the school, principal McKenzie and teachers.

—The first service of the new "infant congregation" at Bramalea was a great success. Acton Presbyterians had assisted in a preliminary canvass there. 175 adults registered for the service and it was estimated there were more children than adults in the crowd that thronged the auditorium of Dorset school.

—Milton high school is going to inaugurate a driver training course in the fall if qualified instruction is available. Acton has had the course a couple of years.

—Project Action held a well-attended dance in the community centre Friday evening. It was announced there that volunteers would assemble the next morning to assist in the search for Marianne Schuett.

—About 200 race horses from Greenwood Raceway in Toronto are being stabled at Mohawk Raceway, Campbellville, and being driven to the city for daily races.

Local News Items

—The various "heats" in the high school field day events might better have been called "cools". Some of the girls made a nice patriotic picture in their red rompers and blue skin.

—There are plenty of centennial flags, Canadian flags and centennial symbols in town and district now. At the first of the year, the Free Press was counting flags one by one. With the arrival of all the Lions Club orders for decorations, there will be even more.

—The name of the new community college for this area has been changed from the previously announced William G. Davis to the Sheridan College of Applied Arts and Technology. It is to be located in Brampton.

—The Girls' Athletic Association of the high school raised money at a car wash Saturday at McCallum's service station. Business was good so the girls kept working a couple of hours longer than they had expected to.

—Close to 300 freshmen have just begun the unique spring semester at the University of Guelph, making the change from high school to university before the end of their high school final year. This is the second year for the Guelph program and the pioneer class racked up an outstanding record.

—This week the names of our correspondents are being placed in the Free Press with their articles. This is an innovation. Their contributions are always appreciated and are a vital part of a weekly paper. Now credit can be given where credit is due and we also feel that the use of the name may encourage residents in their own area to phone news to them.

Free Press Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Fraser of Pembroke visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Griese last week.

Mr. Dave Drysdale Sr., formerly of Acton and now of Guelph, is a patient in Guelph General Hospital. Acton friends are sorry to hear.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Manes and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Manes of Erin and Acton IGA store, have returned from a holiday in Mexico. The trip was planned by IGA.

Actonians who headed west Monday were Bill Dawkins and Brian McCristall, who will be working in British Columbia, and Ken McIsaac who will be visiting relatives. They are travelling by car.

Mr. Steve Guest of Calgary, Alta., was home for a week visiting his mother and aunt, Mrs. Theodora and Mrs. Howard Allison.

Baxter Laboratories, Alliston, held a dance at the Riviera, Norval, on Saturday evening. A few former employees from Acton joined the group for the evening. There were few familiar faces, they found.

Mr. and Mrs. Trevor Bray, Nigel and Karen, formerly of Guelph St., now of Downingtown, Pennsylvania, have been visiting the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Timbers, Elmore Dr., and other former neighbors and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall Sr. were hosts to over 40 members of the staff of the Acton and Milton newspapers last Thursday evening, when presentations were made to Henry Harbors and Nellie Van Arragon, who are being married soon, and to Brian McCristall who has left the staff to work for a group of weekly newspapers in British Columbia.

New constable with O.P.P. here

New constable with the Acton detachment of the O.P.P. is Pat Thwaites, transferred here from Oakville after two years there.

Constable Thwaites is a native of Simcoe and spent three years in the Canadian Navy before joining the O.P.P.

He is single and replaces Corporal Merv Hirsch who has been moved to Kitchener after being in Acton since 1954.

John McGraw, famed New York Giants' manager, batted .390 in 118 games while playing for Baltimore in 1899.

The picture of Salmon P. Chase appears on \$10,000 U.S. bills, Grover Cleveland on \$5,000, and William McKinley on \$1,000.

Opportunist: one who sees his duty and gets someone else to perform it.

MILTON

A contribution of \$750 was authorized by Milton District High School Board toward the annual Grade 12 trip that this year will be to Expo. The contribution will be added to the \$1,800 raised by students toward the trip. Teacher (and Nassagawey councillor) Mrs. A. MacArthur told the board 112 students would be making the trip with five staff members.

The students and staff will leave May 4, spend two nights in the Laurentian Hotel in Montreal with Friday and Saturday at Expo, returning by train Sunday. The cost of the trip to each student was estimated at \$20 plus money for meals and incidentals. Mrs. MacArthur reported she booked the hotel accommodation 18 months ago and obtained it at a lower rate than would be currently available.

Board members felt the trip would be well worthwhile and educational, and endorsed the larger than usual \$750 contribution.

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