

# News of the District

## GEORGETOWN

A crowd of over 5000 jammed Delrex Market Centre Monday evening for a centennial attraction, the Canadian Armed Forces motorcycle display team. For half an hour they were treated to a performance worthy of the CNE grandstand as the cyclists performed seemingly impossible feats with apparent ease.

It was a crowd pleaser from the opening ride through a wall of fire to the finale in which the whole troop rode in intricate criss-cross formations in a cycle version of the mouties' musical ride. In between they guided their machines while riding backwards, doing handstands, and with pyramids mounted on single machines. The team is making a cross Canada tour and was booked into town by the centennial committee.

The possibility of bringing cable television to Georgetown was proposed to Georgetown council by Clint Forster, general manager of Noram Cable Construction of Rexdale. The company is owned by a former Georgetown resident Will. Shaw. The cable will be aerial or buried, consistent with the hydro installation in the area, Mr. Forster replied to Cr. Ballestine. The company also plans to bring in U.H.F. The subject will be discussed further in committee.

## FERGUS

The Waterloo Trust and Savings Company has moved into Fergus and their influence is being felt. A new office has been opened downtown and a later and bigger new building is to go up on one of the main corners downtown. The old Grievous hotel being torn down. Two adjacent houses are also being torn down to make a parking lot. One of them was the home of the late Mrs. Thomas Wilkie, who liked to make puns. I've long admired the publicity sent out by this company. For years, there has been a calendar with typical Waterloo scenery. Latest release is a guide to Waterloo County, well designed, written and printed. It includes maps and a description of each little village in the county and drawing of notable buildings in each one. Congratulations on a good job, well done. From Mostly Gossip by Hugh Templin in Fergus News-Record.

## MILTON

Sunday, August 27, a brief but heavy rain that dumped an unofficially measured three inches on the town, flooded about 25 basements and the town's pumping stations, damaged a pump, backed up sewage and resulted in demands for action from Milton Council. One town workman described the downpour as "nearly as bad as Hurricane Hazel". Within 45 minutes of the start of the storm, workmen were having difficulty at the pumping stations keeping ahead of the sudden flow. The storm started about 4.30 p.m. and the town workmen were on the job until 10 p.m. that night, clearing up the problems. In the aftermath of storm, works superintendent Bruce McKerr told Council he had started to check manholes in problem areas since the heavy storm flow always washes debris in. Among the items retrieved from manholes were bricks, baseballs, hockey sticks and one two-by-four, six feet long.

Nine Milton Police and O.P.P. officers spent a few uneasy hours on Sunday evening, September 27, surrounding a local home where a man was reportedly holed up with an arsenal of four guns and threatening to shoot the first one who stepped inside his house. The incident ended without any violence and without a shot being fired. The suspect was seized outside his home on Monday morning and taken to the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton for observation. He was scheduled to appear before a magistrate on a charge under the Mental Hospitals Act. Witnesses said the man was known as a good marksman. His arsenal reportedly included four guns ranging from a shotgun to a .303 rifle.

## ERIN

The Liquor Control Board of Ontario have purchased the property, the site of the old Erin Creamery for the erection of a retail store outlet. It is understood the new store will be a combination store -- an outlet for both beer and spirits. The decision of the Board to open a store in Erin is the conclusion of a great deal of promoting on behalf of the Erin Chamber of Commerce. Many business establishment owners felt it was necessary to offer better shopping facilities to the public.

## DUNDAS

The town of Dundas was held up as an example to the world at an international congress in Oslo last week.

Dundas, the first town in North America to accept the mundialisization plan, was praised by the World Association of World Federalists at their 20th anniversary congress.

Mundialisization means that the town wishes to support and strengthen the United Nations, and work toward an eventual world government. World Federalists advocate the strengthening of the United Nations into a world authority with the power to make, interpret and enforce world law.

Ross Smyth, national vice-president of World Federalists of Canada and an officer of the Canadian United Nations Association, described the historic movement by the Dundas Town Council to a congress plenary session attended by 500 delegates. His announcement was greeted by applause from the 200 strong Japanese delegation, who represented 250 mundialisized towns and cities with fifty million inhabitants.



**BACK-TO-SCHOOL** for almost 1,500 students in Acton came early Tuesday morning. These students crowding the doors of the Robert Little school seem eager to get back in the classroom after more than two months' vacation. All schools report increased attendance but no problems so far in handling it. (Staff Photo)

## CHURCHILL

# Wedding anniversary party Ex contest finalist in news

by Mrs. R. F. McArthur

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Denny, Ray and Joyce, have just returned from an enjoyable holiday in the Maritimes and at Expo. They spent some time at the home of Chaplain and Mrs. Earle Leslie and family of Halifax. Mrs. Archie Lawrence from

Corner Brook, Nfld, and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lawrence of Toronto, also Margaret and Roy Hall and daughter Kim of Guelph visited through the week with Mrs. Alfred Saunders. Mr. Robert Edwards of New South Wales, Australia, visited for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kerr.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Turner spent last week in Montreal as guests of their sister Edith, Mrs. W.C. Langstaff and family and several days at Expo. Mr. and Mrs. Ian Balsillie and five children from Komptville spent Labor Day weekend with the Norm Turners. Mr. Balsillie and his wife, the former Barbara Turner, both lived in this community a few years ago. They are to leave this fall for a posting in Iran as employees of F.A.D., a United Nations organization to assist underdeveloped countries.

Mrs. Elizabeth Buck and Mrs. Archie Kerr attended with many others the Billy Graham service in Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hall and Kimberly of Guelph were Sunday visitors at her brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Saunders and boys.

Mrs. D. Reed and Mrs. R.L. Davidson were delegates to the Senior Citizens' convention held in McMaster University at Hamilton on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robson of Hornby and Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott of Guelph spent Sunday at the parental home with Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Thompson.

# White elephant auction S.S. 8 centennial project

Rockwood -- Ever been to a White Elephant Auction? Then you don't know what you've missed.

The trustees of the S.S. No. 8 Community Centre have planned one as a Centennial project. The members of Rockalong Women's Institute are supplying a bake

sale table. The entire community are lending a helping hand to make the big day, September 8th at 8:30 p.m. a success.

Follow the crowd to the S.S. No. 8 Community Hall and help make this Centennial event a success.

# Rockwood Trail Riders compete in Ont. ride

by Mrs. Frank Taylor  
Flesherton was host this year to the Ontario Competitive Trail Ride which proved a real test for both horse and rider. Several of the Rockwood Trail Riders took part in this Ontario competition recently.

The major factor was good condition on the long steep country hills over the 30 mile course which has to be completed in five hours.

Local winners were Mrs. Di Duncan who took fourth place in

the English division and first place for the best trail horse. Mrs. Bea Kuenzig of Guelph took third place in the Western Division and fourth place for the trail horse. Coleen Wright and Frank Patti took first and second in the intermediate division.

The Rockwood Trail Riders are holding their Fall Horse Show on Sunday, September 17 at 12:30 p.m. in the Rockwood Ball Park. Refreshments on the grounds sponsored by the Eramosa Recreation Committee.

# Bennett herd wins honors at Exhibition

In a strong showing of Short horns at the C.N.E. Halton County breeders, R. W. Gardhouse of Milton, and S. G. Bennett of Ballinacree emerged with top honors.

The Gardhouse herd won the Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor awards, with the Bennett herd, runner up on both occasions.

Grand Champion bull was a Gardhouse win with his Aberfeldy Ideal, a son of a former champion, Aberfeldy Royal Robin A full sister, Aberfeldy Augusta Amelia 3rd, also from the Gardhouse herd won grand champion female honors. There are no recent cases on record where full brother and sister have won both major awards at any exhibition.

The Bennett herd supplied the reserve grand champion female with Scotsdale Athy Broadboks, a daughter of Nemoor Escort, a former reserve supreme champion, Perth, Scotland.

## Pollock and Campbell

Manufacturers of HIGH GRADE MEMORIALS MEMORIAL ENGRAVING  
62 Water St. North GALT  
Telephone 621-7590

## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, ONTARIO NOTICE TO SUPPLIERS OF

FURNACE OIL, STOVE OIL, LIGHT INDUSTRIAL OIL, BUNKER "C" OIL, STOKER COAL AND ANTHRACITE

SUPPLY CONTRACT SA-67-2473 SA-67-2474

DISTRICT HAMILTON

Sealed Tenders on forms supplied by the Department for the above Contract will be received by the District Engineer, Department of Highways, Box 279, 1182 North Shore Blvd., Burlington, Ontario, until 12:00 noon E.S.T.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1967

Specifications, information to Bidders, Tender forms and envelopes may be obtained by calling at or by mail addressed to the District Engineer at the above mentioned address.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, ONTARIO

## Parish picnic this Sunday

This Sunday following the 10 a.m. service at St. Alban's church the annual parish picnic will be held at Kelso park. It is expected that this will be another successful parish family outing. Families bring their own lunch and drinks will be provided. There'll be games and races with prizes.

A bus will leave the church door exactly at 11 a.m.

# TRAIN TO TORONTO

Ask about convenient departure and return times

For information, phone the local CN Passenger Sales Office



FROM ACTON \$1.70 ONE WAY WHITE FARE  
BLUE FARE \$1.75

## OSPRINGE

# Lovely weather in England reported by Mrs. Frank Leslie

By Mrs. D.G. Robertson

Mrs. Frank Leslie, and her sister Mrs. N. Gardiner of Port Credit returned home on Monday evening from England after three weeks visit with the latter's daughter, Shirley who is a student nurse there. They report lovely warm weather while there, with roses growing in abundance.

Friends are sorry to learn George Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Townline, is a patient at the Orthopedic Hospital in Toronto, where he underwent recent surgery on his back.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aitken spent a few days with the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Moorehouse and children in Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McEwan and Peggy attended the funeral of the former's aunt, Mrs. Melissa Bailely, at Orangeville Friday.

Catherine Golding of Toronto has been holidaying with her sister and brother-in-law, Aleck and Mrs. Stewart.

Mrs. B. Newmark spent a couple of days in Toronto with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann and family. Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. Nicholas Hendricks and family in the sudden passing of Mrs. Hendricks at St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, Wednesday. The family resides on the First Line on the former Baglio farm, Rev. and Mrs. T.J. Ross of Elora visited at the home of Mrs. T. Fines.

Around 70 gathered at the school on Thursday evening to honor Mr. and Mrs. Gary Warren (nee Judy Parkinson) on their recent marriage.

A number of games of progressive euchre were enjoyed, with prizes for high scores being awarded to Mrs. David Stewart, Mrs. Wm. Wragg, Gordon Aitken and Peter Mitten.

Brian Bessey, as chairman, invited the newly-weds to the platform, and Robert Clarke read the address; Barry Bruce and John Stubbington made the presentation of a low-boy China Cabinet and a vase of money.

Both Gary and Judy expressed their sincere thanks and following the singing of "For they are jolly good fellows", the ladies served a bountiful lunch to conclude a pleasant evening.

Recent guests with Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Third Line, included their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. Larry Graham, Toronto, Mrs. J. Graham, Owen Sound and Mr. and Mrs. E. Knight of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Craik

and Brian and friend from Guelph spent the weekend at Timmins. Brian Robertson of Montreal was home for the long weekend. Brian Bessey and two chums from Guelph left on Sunday for a week's visit to Expo.

**It's Back to School but Lou knows his A-B-C's when it comes to Used Cars YOU DON'T NEED AN EDUCATION TO REALIZE HIS VALUES**

**LOU'S USED CARS**  
856-4235  
MAIN ST. - ROCKWOOD

**GARDEN HEADQUARTERS**

LARGE SELECTION OF EVERGREENS - SHRUBS CUT FLOWERS AND POTTED PLANTS  
Open 7 Days a week - 8 a.m. till dark - Phone 853-2900  
"EVERYTHING FOR YOUR GARDEN"  
**Caroline Flower & Garden Shop**  
TWO MILES WEST OF ACTON - SOUTH SIDE OF HWY.

**Carol Wharton's DANCING SCHOOL**

Classes in Tap, Modern Jazz and Acrobatic FOR BOYS AND GIRLS OF ALL AGES  
Special Classes in Modern Jazz for Teens  
Registration Sept. 11 - St. Alban's Parish Hall from 5 to 7 p.m.  
For Information Call - 1-824-1329

**SPECIAL NOTICE!**

re: **CHANGE OF HOURS**

In the future our office will be open for Business during the following hours:

- MON. THRU THURS. - 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
- FRIDAY - 9 A.M. to 8 P.M.

CLOSED ALL DAY SATURDAY AND ON ALL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Appointment and Emergency Service After Hours can be arranged by phoning:

- MILTON BALL 853-2243
- HAROLD DENNY 853-2543
- BILL DENNY 853-2643

**DENNY'S INSURANCE AGENCY**

17 Mill St. W. Acton 853-0150