

HIGH TALES

PUBLISHED BY STUDENTS OF GEORGETOWN HIGH SCHOOL

VOLUME 2, NO. 30

Wednesday Evening, May 12, 1954

GEORGETOWN, ONTARIO

Two Cups for Choir Soloists Tops Too

The festival is over for another year and just wouldn't do to keep you in suspense for two whole weeks so I must tell you now that the choir won two cups. The mixed choir competing only with Milton received a mark of 87, Milton won the shield with a mark of 88. The girl's choir, the only choir in the class, were a little worried because they had to receive 80 marks or over to win the cup, but they had nothing to be nervous about because for one song they received 87 marks and for the other 88.

Unfortunately the double trios missed the shield by one mark, but perhaps next year they'll have better luck.

The soloists had a very successful evening and also the duets. There are still two classes to sing Friday, which will not be included in this summary of winners.

Gold Medalists: Solos, Eleanor Schenk, Michael Armstrong; Duet, Eleanor Schenk and Sylvia Lambert.

Silver Medalists: Duet, Gail Wheeler and Beverly Hyde; Sue Cranstree and Sandra Scott.

Bronze Medalists: Solo, Sylvia Lambert.

I'd like to congratulate Paul Prust

on his magnificent solo. Paul won a scholarship the year before and has made a great deal of progress in his one year of lessons and he deserves a great deal of credit.

Glenna Doherty also secured a scholarship last year and she also sang very beautifully last night. Glenna also should be commended on her progress.

PLENTY OF FUN AT THE SCHOOL DANCE

The student council once again had a successful evening as far as the students are concerned. The dance was a big success and everyone had a very merry time.

There were square dances, spot dances, broom dances, elimination and just plain dances, and this time we're happy they came in on their own accord.

Damages were slight, only a few students went home with bruises collected during the square dances. Everyone, however, seems to agree that the bruises were worth it.

Prizes were given for some of the dances. They were anything from cups to charm bracelets. Everyone received a hat at the door. We hope the students have all enjoyed themselves at the school dances and we also hope that next year the dances will be even bigger and better.

CADETS PREPARE FOR ANNUAL INSPECTION

Zero hour for all GHS cadets is 7:30 p.m. on May 25th. This will be the time of the long awaited inspection by the officer commanding Central Command. This will be the time for us to put on that extra bit of show to win the approval of the inspecting officer and the Lord Strathcona Trophy. This is the cadets highlight of the year when, accompanied by the band, the corps will stage the grand march past, then varying demonstrations will go off like clockwork from that time forward. Both boys and girls will be on parade and everyone is hoping for good weather. The show must go on rain or shine and previously it has always rained.

The date once again is May 25th at 7:30 p.m.; the place is the Georgetown Park and the public is invited to be on hand to witness this event. There will be a final offensive barrage with all cadets in a major attack.

Hornby Radio Tower Controls Stations

There is more to those lights hanging in mid-air on the Hornby Tower than just the glow that is seen for many miles around. Inside the white building by the tower is a maze of wires, tubes, transformers and lights, all to help you get CIBC or CBL on your radio. The station controls all the programs and is a very strong station having much greater power than many other stations in this area. The station is run by two men who have twenty-five years experience in radio and so are able to give a very comprehensive story of the proceedings of a transmitter station. The cost of the station is tremendous and makes one realize that there is more to radio than meets the ear.

EASTER MOTOR TRIP FOR TWO STUDENTS

Two inmates of GHS took a seven hundred mile trip to Ottawa over the Easter holidays. The two boys, Paul Prust and Don Souther were away for five days, sleeping in the back of a station wagon which had a leaking roof. The trip had been planned many weeks before and two other fourth form students had planned to join the trip but due to unexpected changes in plans Don Livingstone and Willie Leslie could not accompany the troupe. The trip took in Ottawa, Kingston, Trenton, and many other cities and towns along the route and a very interesting scrap book has been made by the two travellers. The troupe hope to make other trips and they hope to have as much fun in the future as they had on the last jaunt.

LOONEY BIN

McBeth

Since our last edition the school has had a choir concert, and a school dance. At the choir concert I was told that only four students not in the choir were there. That was a disgrace. Fifth form has an excuse for not attending; reason being exams. But outside of them the students didn't have a reasonable excuse. When these concerts were first inaugurated there was much ado. Now a couple of years after the first concert they have become only a formality. With a little advertisement from the students, these concerts would be successes matching the commencement.

The final school dance was also very poorly attended by middle school. Because of the poor attendance the Student Council lost money for the first time during the year. Throwing away poor excuses one finds that approximately 150 could have attended the dance and should have. But since it would be too much trouble they didn't. At the first of the year you hear the cry more school dances. Your student council gets you a dance and you don't go. To those who do a lot of talking at the first of the year and then do nothing this is all I have to say "put up or shut up" in reference to school dances.

Exams have made their appearance around these hallowed halls again. One set will be written between the 14th and 21st of May. Our departmentals or finals stretch from June 10th until June 23rd. After that joyous vacations.

On Monday morning May three Tennyson's famous lines "In the Spring a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love" were brought out of mothballs. "Why, why" you ask, "has someone in the form gone on a love rampage?" Well the answer is no, but someone very near to our form has become involved. Our dear teacher, Miss Parkinson came in Monday morning wearing some new jewellery which she had received during the weekend. The boys of our dear form were broken-hearted but we'll make the best of it. In our grief we do give Miss Parkinson our best wishes for good luck in the future.

GRADE XII REPORT

Grade XII students returned to their small, but cosy, room after the Easter holidays looking tired, worn-out and anything but happy. Even the boys found it very hard to be bright and witty in English class. But of course, that didn't last very long.

In Comp class we've been taking up smiles and metaphors and the boys have been in their glory. Some of the out-comes have been "disastrous," some "riveting," some "real gone" and the rest just plain terrible.

With our geometry exam over, all we have to look forward to is German, French, English, Chemistry and History "ugh" and they are just around the corner unfortunately.

Since our "bunny boy" (alteration) has been away, there has been no news and nothing to tell you about, so I'll leave you now, and I'll see you in two weeks.

THOUGHTS BEFORE THE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Rev Hyde

Unfortunately my pencil is a bit shaky because the festival is two days away and I have a rather bad case of the "jitters." I am not alone though because many of the girls in the choir are looking a little pale lately. By the time you read this, the festival will be far in the past. I can picture now some of the sad and happy faces that will be seen around the halls of GHS next week. As far as everybody's concerned right now they all seem to think that their will be one of the sad ones.

A bus will take the choir to Milton and everybody seems to have the same idea about missing it. But everyone has her fingers crossed and I think they will all show up.

Our choir leader is through tearing his hair out over the festival, mainly because it was all pulled out long ago, and things have been going smoothly. We're all ready to go and intend to do our very best.

I must sign off now, so Wilco, over and out.

With our geometry exam over, all we have to look forward to is German, French, English, Chemistry and History "ugh" and they are just around the corner unfortunately.

Since our "bunny boy" (alteration) has been away, there has been no news and nothing to tell you about, so I'll leave you now, and I'll see you in two weeks.

Your Heating Comfort GUARANTEED

with a **'1,000⁰⁰ Coleman COMFORT BOND**



ISSUED WITH EACH BLEND-AIR HEATING INSTALLATION IN ANY NEW OR OLD HOME

YOU'RE MORE COMFORTABLE with freshly warmed air circulated by Coleman's exclusive Magic Blends.

YOU SAVE ON INSTALLATION with 3/4-inch air tubes that fit any house.

YOU SAVE SPACE with a furnace that takes as little as 8 square feet of floor space in basement, closet, utility room.

YOU'RE COOL IN SUMMER with Coleman's new cooling unit. Add it when you're ready.

Call us. Let us explain how you can have Bonded Comfort in your home.

J. Sanford & Son

PLUMBING & HEATING

TV and RADIO SALES & SERVICE PUBLIC ADDRESS SYSTEMS

RESIDENCE TR. 7-2749 STEWARTTOWN BUSINESS TR. 7-2412

for your

Excavating Jobs

CELLARS, PONDS, LOADING, ETC.

SAND, GRAVE and FILL

call

Barclay Haulage

TR. 7-3891

Canadian Builders

This man is a machinist...



With a wealth of skill in his hands and his eyes, he helps forge the tools and equipment we use every day.

Our country grows strong in peace or war through his efforts and the efforts of men like him. And it is for these men and their families that the modern consumer finance company exists.

For when illness or emergency interrupts a family income, an outside source of money help is essential to their welfare.

For over a quarter of a century, Household Finance has provided this money service to hundreds of thousands of people in all walks of life.

MONEY WHEN YOU NEED IT

HOUSEHOLD FINANCE

Corporation of Canada

BANKING COMPANY AND TRUST CORPORATION

"Lucky Dollars"

PAY OFF DAILY in the **TELY**

\$2,500⁰⁰ weekly!

Match your dollar bills with the list of Canadian one-dollar bill serial numbers published daily in The Tely . . . Anyone can win \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$200 or \$500. Ten new numbers published every day in The Tely. Sixty new numbers published every week in The Tely. See today's Tely for details.

Your Dollar may be worth \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$200 or \$500.

THE TELEGRAM

DAILY WEEKEND

Toronto 1

Order The Tely NOW from your newsdealer, the carrier or your street, or phone EMpire 8-6011.

The book that shows you a way to success!

You'll find this book a constant reminder that thrift and sound planning can help you achieve your ambitions. Your savings account pass-book tells you, too, that your money is safe . . . is drawn interest regularly . . . is easily accessible. Start saving today at our nearest branch—there are more than 650 to serve you.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce

Georgetown Branch F. W. Chapman, Manager

FREE

DAILY PICK-UP AND DELIVERY

Georgetown and Glen Williams

WOOD'S PERFECTION CLEANERS

Triangle 7-2965