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SATURDAY BRIDE



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Miss Jeanne Mutchmor, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Mutchmor, will be married on Saturday to J. Reed Hunter, son of Mrs. Hunter and the late R. H. Hunter of Norval, in High Park Ave. United Church.

\$180 NETTED IN SATURDAY TAG DAY

Over \$180 was netted Saturday when Georgetown Boys' Band held a tag day. Members of the band, assisted by other boys and girls, acted as taggers downtown Friday night and Saturday, and also called at homes through the town.

It was the first money-raising event by the band, newly formed this spring, and the money will be used to help to buy some of the more expensive instruments which will be collectively owned by the band.

Don't Forget Tomorrow

When 8.00 p.m. comes tomorrow night, Ontario will have elected members of a new legislature. Speculation is that the Progressive-Conservatives will be returned with a somewhat reduced majority. Possibly the real interest in the election is whether the Liberals or the CCF will be the official opposition.

Both parties hold a very small number of seats in the rather top-heavy Conservative house, and both are fighting hard for a louder voice in the province's affairs.

As editor we would not presume to tell readers which way to vote. Three Halton candidates have been stating their views at meetings and in the press, and we have reported these wherever possible in past weeks' papers.

But we do feel it a duty to again remind every citizen that it is not only a right, but a duty, to cast a

ballot Thursday.

Ontario's government should be a true reflection of the majority decision of the people. If less than 50 per cent of voters go to the polls, then we do not have this majority rule of which democracies are so proud to boast.

Individually you might not think your one little ballot is important. But it is, for the collective result is the same as your dime which helped raise money for the boys' band Saturday, your attendance at a lacrosse or baseball game.

All of them contribute to a way of life we know and love. Without your "mite" we wouldn't have churches and boys' bands, swimming pools and games or governments which reflect the will of the people.

Don't Do It

When the fire alarm rang Friday night, we jumped in the car to take the usual circle up to Main St. Guess every merchant is selfish and thinks of his place of business first, then heaves a sigh of relief when he finds everything peaceful on the business front.

Returning towards home, there was such a trail of cars following the fire engine up the highway that we couldn't resist joining in. One must admit that there is an excitement which gets into people when the siren rings and we're just as prone to follow as the next man.

But we have learned, from frequent conversations with firemen, about the foolishness of following right to the scene of the blaze, so when we saw the trouble was on Normandy Blvd. we pulled into the parking area in front of Harrison's Garage. So did one other car.

The rest, hundreds of them, swung up the boulevard, and when that became packed, newcomers took the new Tyers Ave. and continued to converge on the scene.

We know that no one would wilfully hamper firemen in their work. In Friday's fire the presence of all these cars had no ill effect. But there is always that one time when serious loss could be caused if a traffic tie-up kept the fire engine back for even a few minutes.

In future we suggest, that when you follow the fire truck, park up a side street or stop a good block or two away, and cover the rest of the distance on foot. A few minute's thought could save thousands of dollars in property.

Pot Pourri

Last week Mrs. Neilson Stark wondered if she was the first person to pick a ripe strawberry from her garden. She wasn't Mrs. Carman Stoddart was quick to report that she had picked some the previous week. And Mrs. Bill Chaplin says she had a whole dishful a week before from her patch. The red face department! Last week we editorialized about tomorrow's election, telling the names of candidates and their political parties... and almost inferring that people shouldn't have to be told such things if they were really interested. It was only when Art Benton phoned us a few hours after the paper was off the press that we learned we had called the Liberal candidate Bill Anderson Bill Robertson. Believe us, we knew better... Saturday morning, there was confusion at the Herald office. When you lifted the telephone you could hear noise of children playing in the background, and it was obvious that someone making an incipient call had left their receiver off the hook. We phoned repair service from neighbour Cec McNamara's phone, and the man told us how difficult this is to check. We came back to the office and started thinking about the last call Friday. It began to dawn... Hadn't Mrs. B. phoned just about 6 p.m.? Back we went to Cec's phone and dialed our house. Sure enough, busy signal. We phoned a neighbour and asked them to check. That was it. The office and house had been connected by phone all night... The community was sadly touched by the tragic accident

on the highway which left a husband bereaved and a young family motherless. Death always leaves its sorrow, but is particularly harsh when children are deprived of the love of a mother. Everyone is thinking of James Ford and family in their sad bereavement... The scouts and cubs had a good day Saturday for their waste paper drive. We were impressed with a group of young lads who worked hard on Friday night, to save some time Saturday. They collected paper in their neighbourhood, made one huge pile in a central location, and carefully covered it overnight in case of rain or wind. It was a small job then on Saturday to load it on a truck... Home after a month's visit in Scotland, Mrs. Harvey Armstrong was met by her husband at Malton Airport Saturday. Her verdict on the trip to her homeland which she left as a young girl... a wonderful time, but hard to get used to the cold, damp weather. Seems to be the most common complaint, even by those Britishers who have been in Canada for only a few years... Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pattenden have purchased Bert Colman's house on William Street, moving in after the Colmans moved to the Kelsey home on No. 7 which they have bought, Mr. and Mrs. Bill James have rented the house on Main Street South where the Pattendens formerly lived... New residents of Queen Street are Larry Maughan and his wife, who are living in the upstairs apartment of the Jack Lavoie house. He is a new Provincial Paper employee

BALLINAFAD

BURLINGTON LAYMAN CHURCH SPEAKER

Mr. J. Lee of Burlington had charge of the service here last Sunday morning during the absence of our minister Mr. N. Russ who is attending

Hamilton Conference in Sudbury. Mr. Lee is a member of Halton Presbyterian Church Extension Committee and spoke of the plans being made for extending the work of building new churches in new communities.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Morgan are the proud parents of a new baby daughter, Sandra Caroline. We wish to congratulate the members of the 4-H Girls Club the "Ballinafad Mixing Maidens" on being awarded first prize for their skit "Food Makes a Difference" which they enacted on Achievement Day in Milton. The girls have been asked to present the skit again on June 30th at the W.L. gathering in Guelph at the O.A.C. Much credit is due to Mrs. J. McEnery and Mrs. F. J. Shortill for the time and effort they gave in the leadership of this group

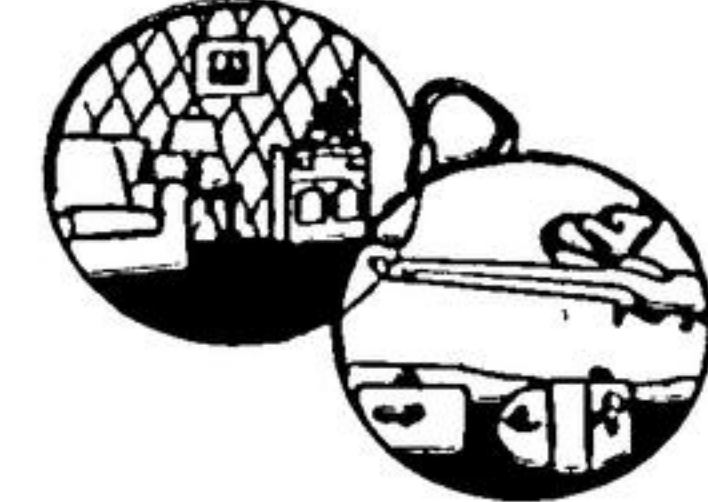
Mr. and Mrs. J. Kirkwood, Mrs. B. McMenemy and George visited Sunday with the Sinclair family in Milton. Mr. Frank Russ of Hespeler was a guest at the manse on Sunday and a welcome visitor at our church service. George Gibson has completed his commercial course and has accepted a position with the Dixie Cup plant at Brampton.

Liberal Candidate Will Support Further Aid For Municipalities

Speaking Monday evening at a euchre and social in the Legion auditorium, Liberal candidate Bill Anderson, Oakville, pledged his party's support in aiding municipalities with larger grants for education.

Hospitalization and health insurance are also an integral part of the Liberal platform, and Mr. Anderson urged a strong vote for his party on Thursday in order to introduce this on a province-wide scale. W. G. Marshall, chairman of the Georgetown Liberals was chairman and also spoke briefly. Another speaker was Frank Petch of Georgetown, county president, who criticized the compilation of the voters' list, saying many names had been omitted in the enumeration.

Mrs. S. Robins and Percy Leslie won first prizes at euchre. Second prizes went to Mrs. C. E. Stacey and Frank Robinson, and Jack Lawson was given a birthday prize. Lunch was served by the local Liberal association which sponsored the gathering.



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