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CGIT GIRLS HALLOWEEN PARTY IS HAPPY AFFAIR

It was a real ghost and goblin party for the girls of the CGIT on Wednesday night in the basement of the church. Each member brought as their guest another member of their family and only 25c was collected as a fine for not coming in costume. The two ladies who came out to judge the costumes, Miss Young and Mrs. Sanderson also entered into the sport of disguising themselves and Miss Marjorie Gibson, who came along to provide the music for the party was not identified until after the judging. Mrs. Neelon and Mrs. Black dressed as witches and the committee, Jean Lawr, Diane Smith, Marilyn Madill and Shirley Speice dressed as ghosts, welcomed everyone at the door and ushered them blindfolded through a chamber of horror. The decorations were very timely, the only light being candles and pumpkins lit up, and the young people enjoyed a real bang up evening of games and treats. The prize winners for costumes were Andy Speice for the most original as "father time", Bill Smith for the funniest as a hobo and Mrs. Madill and Mrs. Allan for the best dressed couple and they were negroes.

On Sunday evening a group of the Guelph Christian Business Men's Committee conducted a service of worship in the Ballinafad church. The president of the organization, Mr. James Boyd, was in charge and his brother, Mr. John Boyd was the pianist. A lively sing song was led by Mr. Allan Walker who along with Mr. Donald Quickfall gave their personal testimony. Others taking part were Mr. Bert Harris from Erin, who led in prayer, and Mrs. Allan Walker who sang a beautiful solo "Grace, greater than our sin." A film called "Gospel Heralds" was presented by Mr. Fred Kyle of Fergus and the message of the evening was given by Mr. Dick Farnworth of Guelph who chose as his text the 9th chapter of Hebrews, verses 15-18, the theme being "wills". He went on to say that all answers to the problems of life are found in the Bible and God has provided for us in his will. We must enter into the benefits and to come into his inheritance we must accept what He offers to us.

Miss Gladys Eldt from Kitchener visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Wright on the eighth line.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson, our former storekeeper and now living in Simcoe, visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith and other friends around the village on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bielby of Niagara Falls visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McLean.

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Start Organizing For Blood Donor Clinic

Last Monday evening a meeting was held in the public library, Georgetown, to organize for the clinic to be held to replenish the blood supply in district hospitals on Thursday, December 12th.

Miss Rosemary Jordan, president of the Georgetown Red Cross Society, opened the meeting and turned it over to the chairman, Leslie Clark, who briefly outlined what was expected. A secretary for the evening was appointed, Mr. Cecil Davidson, and the first item of business was the election of a campaign secretary. This office was taken by Mrs. Larry Maughan.

A number of people offered to head canvass groups and a number of groups will be contacted for aid.

Arrangements were made for a number of cars to be available that day for service to blood donors, and refreshments were arranged for. A number of districts still need canvass captains and workers and those attending were urged to see if they could interest others in helping in this vital work.

The canvass will start on November 13th and will end December 1st, allowing time for records to be made out, etc., before Dec. 12th. It is hoped that there will be at least 600 to 1,000 donors for that day.

Of interest to the general public was the announcement that as of January 1st, 1958, the old system of a patient in hospital either paying for blood transfusions, or having replaced by friends, will be discontinued, and the new system go into effect, which will be a national one, handled by the Red Cross, whose local associations will supply their particular community's needs free of charge. This, of course, is a much needed service, but also establishes a definite need for clinics to be held to keep supplies at a proper level.

Clothing Merchant Six Years in Business

Henry Helfant, proprietor of Henry's Clothing Store, 15 Main St. north will be starting his seventh year of established business here this month, and is celebrating the occasion with a store-wide 6th anniversary sale.

A foreman presser for Quality Sportswear in Toronto for five years, he opened his own store here in the fall of 1951, at first locating in the Cordaro building and later moving to the present location, the former Herald Office. He resides with his wife and son Farley Michael at 11 Arletta St.

Mr. Helfant's story before coming to Canada in 1946 is one of escape and tragedy. As a boy of sixteen he was a member of the Belgian underground and lived through some harrowing experiences during the war. In 1942 after three weeks in a concentration camp in France he made his escape from the Nazis and returned to his native country where he rejoined the resistance movement. In 1944 he was transferred to England to train for further service on the continent, but the war ended before he again saw action.

His father was in Canada when the war broke out, but it will always be a source of family sadness that his mother, forced to work in a Belgian factory by the Nazis was taken away by the Gestapo one day and was never heard from again.

An ardent worker with local sports organizations Mr. Helfant has also been very generous in his success donating \$200 to the Community Swimming Pool Fund on winning the Lion car draw last year and more recently a \$100 scholarship to be competed for by Georgetown High School students.

FAIR DIRECTORS ATTEND MARKHAM CONVENTION

Eleven directors of the Esqueville Agricultural Society which sponsors Georgetown fall fair, attended the District No. 5 annual meeting held in the United Church Hall, Markham on Friday, Nov. 1.

The district director for No. 5, Roy Currie of Milton conducted the men's meeting, and Mrs. Frank Chisholm of Hornby the ladies session.

Following the morning session, the ladies of the church served a delicious turkey dinner, and the Markham society provided a speaker and entertainment.

The trophy for the society with the largest delegation present at the meeting went to Milton, as it did in 1956. There were over 100 delegates at the meeting. An invitation was extended to the district directors to hold the annual meeting in Georgetown in 1958.

Those in attendance from the Esqueville Society were President Spencer Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Cleary, Miss Charlotte McCullough, Mrs. George Burt, Mrs. Garfield McGillivray and Harding Price.

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At the annual Children's Day service on Sunday at St. Alban's Anglican, the church school superintendent and rector presented the scholars with church school pins and Certificates of Religious Education certificates.

Results of the church school examinations are: In the junior graded department Joy Haines achieved 1st class standing with 94 per cent. Also receiving "A" grade were Jane Bouskill, Karen Korzack, Christine Earl, Betty Sargent, "B" Grade, Anne Davies, Robert Kemshead; pass grade, Jo-Anne Kemshead, Douglas Hancock, David Hancock.

Senior graded top pupils with 90 per cent each were Carolyn Hancock, Pamela Armitage, Barbara Hills. Other "A" graded students, Gail Hancock, Mariene Kemshead, Eleanor Hill, Carol Symons, Joan Davies, Marjory Hancock, Joan Crawford; "B" grade, Elizabeth Fendley.

Peter Norton and Douglas Sargent had 89 per cent in the senior boys, and other "A" grades were Wayne Norton, Laddie Haines, Don Sargent, Tim Hainiff, Doug Ward; "B" grade, Bill Lucas.

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