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## Education Should Be Valued

The drama of Sputnik has shaken those in this part of the world who were prone to think of Russia as a backward, semi-civilized country which posed a threat to world peace but was counterbalanced by the western world's superiority in science and engineering.

The reason for rapid emergence of Russia as a major world power is all too clear when one reads about how education is valued there above everything else.

It is sad to compare our own educational system, where teachers struggle manfully against apathy on the part of both students and parents, then shoulder the blame when results are not reached commensurate with the ability of their young charges.

Our whole educational set-up is due for an overhaul. Three things are urgently needed, and the sooner they happen, the sooner we can ease

our nightmares about the future of the free world.

We must first re-assess the value of teachers and raise salary rates to a point where a teacher is earning more than his student of a few years ago — substantially more. A teacher is worth at least as much as any man who holds a responsible position in industry, yet he all too often trails badly in salary.

Substantial changes in the salary scale would overcome today's serious teacher shortage and channel men and women with superior abilities into the teaching fields.

And by every means possible, those who value education must encourage young people to attend school and be diligent when there; must support teachers in any problems that arise; and encourage the teaching profession as we do our sports figures, actors and musicians.

## Decorating Again a Highlight

Christmas decorating in the residential and commercial sections of town was again outstanding this year, and those who went to so much trouble to create such beautiful seasonal lighting should be happy to realize that Georgetown is becoming noted for this.

The Chamber of Commerce deserves thanks also for promoting friendly competition in the display field. The contest, inaugurated a year ago, and this year enlarged to include commercial establishments has played a large part in reminding people to decorate their homes and business places. It will have a cumulative effect in years to come and each Christmas time Georgetown will be that much more gay as others join in the

decorating.

Two displays this year which particularly caught the eye of highway travellers were the large star, blue lighted tree and red and blue spotlights at the Dominion Seed House, and the nativity scene on the lawn of St. George's Church. A standout, perhaps, among homes were the camels and wise men, bathed in amber floodlights and the blue star on the roof of the William Hyde home on Queen Street. And on Main Street, the effort put into the decorations at Harold McClure's store were so outstanding that, in a competitive sense, it dwarfed any other in the business district.

## Do You Agree

Toronto newspaper columnist and federal M.P. Margaret Aitken, had something to say in a recent column about members reading newspapers while the House of Commons is in session.

"This business . . . often worries spectators in the galleries," she says. "They think (a) it is rude and (b) it must be discouraging to the orator of the moment."

Miss Aitken continues: "For one thing (and it must have been a good psychologist who thought this one up) all speeches are addressed to Mr. Speaker in the Chair. If an orator is dampened

by the lack of attention he commands, he has only to turn to the Chair and there is Mr. Speaker listening with traditional courtesy.

Secondly, speeches are not made for the House of Commons audience. They are made for one's constituents and for the record of one's parliamentary service.

And thirdly, the same treatment is accorded everyone, Cabinet ministers and Opposition leaders excepted.

Fourthly, also finally, through Hansard one can read any speech within a very short time after it has been delivered.

## LITTLE N.H.L.

N.H.L.	W	T	L	P
Montreal	3	3	1	9
Boston	3	3	1	9
Toronto	2	2	3	6
Chicago	1	2	4	4

Results of Sat., Jan. 4, 1958  
 Chicago 2 — Toronto 2  
 Scoring: Roger Hart 1; Bill Campbell 1; Peter Norton 0-1; Gary Renwick 0-1; Bill Wheeler 0-1; Wayne Compton 0-1; Wayne Dixon 1-1; Murray Marchmont 1-1; Boston 0 — Montreal 0.

American	W	T	L	P
Providence	4	2	1	10
Cleveland	4	0	3	6
Hershey	3	2	3	6
Buffalo	3	1	3	7
Springfield	3	0	4	6
Rochester	1	1	5	3

Results of Saturday, Jan. 4, 1958  
 Buffalo 4 — Springfield 2  
 Scoring: Alastair Blair 3; Donald Calder 1; Doug Quanbury 1; Larry Saunders 1; John Stopper, 0-1; David Alhstead 0-1; Bob Harris 0-1.  
 Hershey 2 — Rochester 1  
 Scoring: Wayne Terry 1, John Adams 1, John Bowman 0-1; David Mackenzie 1.

Providence 4 — Cleveland 2  
 Scoring: Rod Presswood 3; Richard Smith 1; Jack Gudgeon 0-1; John Sykes 0-1; Terry Lane 1; Jim Guest 1; Mike Cummins 0-1; David Barrager 0-1.

Junior A	W	T	L	Pts.
St. Catharines	5	1	1	11
St. Michael's	5	0	2	10
Peterboro	5	0	2	10
Marlboro	3	0	4	6
Barrie	2	2	3	6
Hamilton	2	2	3	6
Ottawa	2	0	5	4
Guelph	1	1	5	3

Results of Sat., Jan. 4, 1958 —  
 St. Michael's 1 — Ottawa 0  
 Scoring: Mike Ryall, 1; Mike Dwyer 0-1.  
 Hamilton: 1 — Guelph: 1  
 Scoring: Marty Wheeler 1, S. Llewellyn 1.

St. Catharines 2 — Barrie 2  
 Scoring: Brian Van Wyck 2; Brian Chamberlain 0-1; Kent Robinson 1-1; Gary Biggs 1; Frank Vaik 0-1.

Peterboro 1 — Marlboro 0  
 Scoring: Ron Lane 1, Bob McMenemy 0-1.

Schedule for Sat., Jan. 11, 1958  
 N.H.L.  
 7:00-7:45 — Boston vs. Chicago  
 7:45-8:30 — Toronto vs. Montreal  
 Referees: Charlie Jones and Dave Cooper.

Junior A  
 8:40-9:10 — St. Michael's vs. Barrie  
 9:10-9:40 — Peterboro vs. Hamilton  
 9:40-10:10 — Ottawa vs. St. Catharines  
 10:10-10:40 — Marlboro vs. Guelph  
 10:40-11:00 — Ice Cleaning  
 Referees: John Warren and Bill Hayes.

American  
 11:00-11:40 — Rochester vs. Cleveland  
 11:40-12:20 — Springfield vs. Providence  
 12:20-1:00 — Buffalo vs. Hershey  
 Referees: Ron Breen and Blake Baxter.

News around the Arena Seven Saturdays have now gone past and competition is really keen in all three leagues. Some parents who came to watch and said after the first Saturday morning of play "I don't know if Junior is cut out for hockey" are now saying "Look at that boy go." Yes, sir, folks, contrary to some beliefs we think this is a pretty good game for boys that want to play it. We enjoy watching all three age groups, but lean slightly to the 13-19 year old league. As for thirds, these little tykes really play for keeps. Some Saturday soon drop in for awhile and see these three leagues in action, we will guarantee you will be back again.

The games start and stop on time and the games are kept well in hand by good referees. As this writer goes over the score sheets each week-end, the lack of penalties on the sheets is quite noticeable, which shows a good clean coaching is also being applied.

The Jr. 'A' All Stars journeyed to Brampton last week and were beaten by only a couple of goals. This is a good showing by our boys as they had no practice sessions before the game. The American league All Stars played Brampton Friday night and were defeated 2-1 by the Brampton team.

This is a terrific effort by our

two teams as Brampton have nearly double the population to draw boys from. We are not making excuses as Red Asseltine and Jerry Perkins of the Jr. 'A' and Jack Gudgeon and Jerry Inglis of the American league have a lot of improving to do with their teams yet, so watch these teams when they meet towns of our own size. A very happy New Year to one and all from all of us in the Little NHL.

## BUFFET, DANCING PARTY FOR VARIAN EMPLOYEES

On December 28 North Halton Golf & Country Club was taken over by the staff and employees of Varian Associates of Canada on the occasion of their Christmas party. About sixty guests were present at the fun packed evening. Everyone enjoyed the delicious buffet that was served and the dancing to Doris Hulls' orchestra. Winners of the lucky spot dances were Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith, 78 Prince Charles Drive; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawford, Glen Williams; Mr. and Mrs. William McDonald Jr., 4 Orchard Blvd. and Mr. Al Miller and Mrs. Harry Sanderson.

One of the many highlights of the evening was the playing of a recording that had been made by several of the Varian people about the interesting news and amusing things that had happened during the year at the plant.



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## BALLINAFAD CGIT COLLECTS XMAS CARDS TO SEND AWAY

The CGIT met on Monday night at the home of Mrs. Neelon. The girls brought in their used Christmas cards to send away for a useful purpose.

It was promotion day at the Sunday School this week with an attendance of around fifty. With this department bursting at the seams, there is a need for more teachers and would also indicate a great future for the church.

## Mr. and Mrs. Alan Neeson and family spent the New Year's holiday with relatives in London.

Master Bobby Black enjoyed a week's vacation with relatives in Fergus and Mrs. Black and Billy visited in Toronto for a couple of days.

Bill Smith returned home on Sunday after a holiday in Belwood. Miss Bonnie Cotton visited last week with the Gibson family. Sheila Sinclair has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sinclair while her mother Mrs. Stan Sinclair is visiting with her son in Fort William.

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**HORNBY**

**ELECT STANLEY PRICE NEW SCHOOL TRUSTEE**

The annual Hornby school meeting was held on December 30th in the school. Mr. Stanley Price was elected the new trustee. Mr. Death and Gordon Bridgen are the other two trustees.

The Hornby United Church Sunday School held their annual Christmas party the Sunday evening before Christmas.

The Mission Band members under the leadership of Mrs. A. Marchmont conducted the worship service. The program was then turned over to Mrs. G. Brown who acted as chairman for the evening. The children sang, said recitations and a play was presented by the Y.P.U. The choir sang two Christmas songs and everyone joined in the singing of carols. Santa Claus rushed in with the music of Jingle Bells being sung by the primary class. After the gifts were given, the ladies served lunch. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

The Hornby Mission Band held their first meeting of the New Year in the church basement on January 4th. The meeting opened with the Mission Band Purpose and hymn repeated by the members present. Charlotte Taylor took the collection. Mrs. A. Robertson read the story for the month. The secretary, Linda Wilson, read the minutes of the last meeting. It was reported by the treasurer that \$19.00 was sent to the Presbytery secretary in 1957.

A hymn was sung and Mrs. Marchmont closed the meeting with a prayer. Scrap books were made from used Christmas cards that were taken by the members and a few games were played.

The afternoon group of the WA and WMS had their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Doug Leslie on Thursday, January 2nd. The president Mrs. G. Sinclair opened the WMS with a hymn and prayer. Mrs. C. Wrigglesworth read the minutes of the last meeting. The sixth line group was in charge of the program.

Stewardship was the theme for this month. The meeting closed

**THE Anglican Parish St. George's**

Epiphany 1 — Jan. 12th

8:00 a.m. — Holy Communion  
 9:45 a.m. — Church School  
 Sr. Dept. (9 yrs. and up)  
 11:00 a.m. — Church School  
 Jr. Dept. (2-8 yrs.)  
 11:00 a.m. — Matins  
 11:00 a.m. — Nursery  
 Infant Care  
 7:00 p.m. — Evensong

**THURSDAY, JAN. 9th**  
 10:45 a.m. — Holy Communion (Intercessions)

**St. Alban's GLEN WILLIAMS**

9:30 a.m. — Holy Communion  
 10:45 a.m. — Church School