



Bob McKay of the Oakville Fire Department... The Volunteer Fire Department is... EMERGENCY... when you see the flashing amber light... on a sign in a life or death matter in some person involved in the emergency, says Bob.

### Liason is Studied Between Elementary, High Schools

An initial attempt to make the transition from public to high school easier for the students was made at a combined meeting of Grade 7 and 8 public school teachers and the high school staff last Thursday night.

The meeting was called with the aim of setting up committees of public and high school teachers to help coordinate the curriculum so that duplication and boredom producing repetition could be avoided, where possible.

Principal J. L. Lambert, chairman of the meeting, told the gathering that through the teachers' exchange of information and mutual advice, they would be better equipped to assist the parents and the students in choosing the most suitable course from the variety now offered.

### Asks Civic Pride Of Chinguacousy

Under the new system Grade 9 is a general year, common to most courses. Mr. Lambert stated that this gives the student another year to find where his interest and abilities lie, and the Council responded before deciding upon a definite course.

Mr. Paul Leage spoke on behalf of the language teachers. He felt that grammar was important in public school as a foundation for the teaching of other languages. Many pupils, he contended did not understand the meanings of the various tenses, and parts of speech. He suggested an exchange of the courses of study in Grade 8 and 9 to ensure a gradual progression in literature and English.

Mr. J. Hodge, inspector of Separate Schools was doubtful of the value of grammar, warning of the danger of overteaching it. He felt one area of neglect is the written composition, and stressed the need of more creative work.

Mr. T. L. Beer, speaking for the Science Dept. told the public school teachers he would like to know what has been taken, and what can be expected. He suggested equipment might be lent to the public schools, if this was permissible and economical by suggesting Grade 8 pupils could be kept keeping their science notebooks the same way as is done in Grade 9.

Mr. Lambert was in accord with the idea of lending equipment if it could be arranged. Mr. J. Bellamy pointed out that mathematics is the basis of our modern technology. Society needs enough qualified people to fill the jobs necessary to advance our technology, however, there is a greater need for an informed population capable of making judgments with some understanding of the modern day achievement.

A wish to see guidance personnel in the public schools was expressed by Mr. A. Prouse, guidance director at the high school. He felt that some students have developed 'drop-out' characteristics before they reach high school, while some gifted children develop poor work habits. 'By 1970 guidance in the public schools will be the rule rather than the exception,' he maintained.

Mr. L. A. McLaren, P.T. in structure, noted there was a high degree of interest and enthusiasm in the students entering high school in athletes. He felt a great degree of interest in track and field was dominant in the elementary schools. He suggested basketball backstops could be erected on the public school playgrounds, to encourage interest in basketball. He felt perhaps the high school gym could be used for public school basketball occasionally.

Another use of the high school facilities by public school pupils was envisaged by Mr. O. Robb, technical director. He wondered if Grade 8 pupils could have one hour spent in industrial arts, thus introducing them to the shop work.

### Parks Attendance Hits New Record

Attendance at Credit Valley Conservation Authority parks this year set new records; over 90,000 people visited the areas this year, proving the great interest the people have in the maintenance of natural wilderness areas for their use. A Sunday of over 1,000 cars was recorded at Terra Cotta for the first time. Total revenue from all sources was \$15,068.08 before audit; this is directed towards maintenance costs.

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### PHONE MARAUDER MISSES THE CASH

A pay telephone was tampered with for a would-be smash and grab thief Tuesday. Ted Girard discovered the attempt Tuesday morning when he checked the phone booth. The phone had been broken open but when the coins were not available the rubber apparently fled.

### Returns from Visit to Native Switzerland

Mrs. E. Schatti, Raylawn Cr. arrived home Monday morning after a month's stay in her native Switzerland. She returned to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. Huwyler, and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Schatti, and numerous relatives, whom she last saw ten years ago, when she left for Canada.

So bright is the Swiss economic picture that six hundred thousand Italians were imported to fill the vacant jobs. One result of this situation, according to Mrs. Schatti, is high prices for everything. The reports of a bitterly cold winter in Europe this year was confirmed by our local traveller. 'Much colder and snowier than usual,' she said. She felt the breathtaking sight of the Alps from the air would almost make such a trip worth while.

### Relatives Visit From New Guinea

From around the other side of the world, two nurses have come to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. Abrahamse, of Ewing Street, Miss Nel Abrahamse and Miss Ans Cockart, nurses in New Guinea, sailed from Sydney, Australia, across to Panama, then to Miami, where they stayed for a while. From there they went north to Clinton, Ohio, to see relatives, and from there came to Georgetown to Miss Abrahamse's brother on Ewing Street.

After their stay here, they fly to New York, and from there sail to Holland.

### More Comments on Langdon Article

7 Young Street, Georgetown, Ontario

Dear Editor: I agree with Judge Langdon's article that Ontario's Divorce laws should be reviewed. Common law marriages create a great deal of harm in our society. It gives children no security.

Magistrate Langdon speaks about a person being allowed to borrow beyond his capacity. Society cannot be blamed for a family falling into debt. A dollar down and a dollar week is the basis they work on without considering the full picture.

There are more people in the jails now than ever before. They are warm and well fed while some of our children in this country are only half fed.

In a case in Toronto which I think a lot of people will remember, a young girl with a two year old boy, married. The man she married could not find work so she found a job leaving him to care for the child. He beat the child until he finally died and the mother claimed she never saw the boy as he was in bed when she arrived home and was still sleeping when she left in the morning. Did she never want to see her child? All the man received was a few years in jail and she went free. What is wrong with the law in all such terrible deeds as this?

A person may commit a crime and then plead insanity. For this he will get a short term in an institution and then walk out a free man again. There was a great deal of comment when Ronald Turpin was hanged for shooting a policeman. We cannot afford to let people like this go free because it encourages others. They are not afraid if we do not set an example.

Judge Langdon also speaks about the legal family suffering from the moment a man is pressed. I feel that if that person was given some stiff punishment, he would be glad to settle down like a man, not a nuisance, and give up the common law idea. Is there no law on this unsupport? I have heard when they press for support the man will quit working and then, of course, your car not get blood out of a stone.

In an article written in 'Dear Abby' a girl asked what she should do as her boy friend beat her several times but she still loved him. Abby's reply was that she should use the rocks in her head to fill the holes in his.

This government should be called Progressive Starvation, rather than Progressive Conservative. They took work away from men by closing down industries such as Malton and in porting goods from other countries.

When Mum White operated a children's home in Belleville she was forced to close it as they claimed she had too many children, but I believe the children were getting loving care. It doesn't matter how crowded you are, if you have a little bit of love for the children it will overcome all the injuries in the world.

It doesn't take a fortune to make happiness that was given to us free, although some people don't realize it.

So, wake up, Ontario, let's get some new laws before these old laws get beyond control.

William McLusdo.

### COMING EVENTS

Plan to attend the outstanding Rotary Club All Musical Show at the Georgetown High School, April 5th and 6th. 4-4

—Euchre every Friday evening at 8:15 in St. George's Parish Hall; good prizes, sponsored by the W.A. 50c. Everybody invited.

—Next series of classes for Expectant Parents begins January 24th. For further information please telephone your local Health Unit Office. TR 7-3961. 1-24

—You're invited. Kid Hockey Dance, Legion auditorium, Friday, Feb. 1st. Ralph Urset's Orchestra. Couple \$2.00. Proceeds for Saturday morning hockey.

—Esqueuing Agricultural Society euchre in Stewarttown Hall, Saturday, January 29, at 8:30. Good prizes, lunch, 50c admission. Come and have a good time. 1-17

—Euchre, Saturday, January 20th, Stewarttown Hall, 8:30 p.m. Extra good prizes, lunch, 50c. Sponsored by Esqueuing Women's Institute. Door prize. 1-24

—Dr. L. Gregory of Toronto will speak and show slides of his recent trip to Russia on Friday, January 18th, 8 p.m. in First Baptist Church, Georgetown. All are welcome.

—Home made pies, roast potatoes, Cole Slaw, Jellied Salads, Turkey and Leverage at the Daughters of the Church monthly luncheon, Wednesday, January 23rd, from 11:30 to 1:30 p.m. at St. George's Anglican Church. Everyone welcome. Price \$1.00. 8-16

### ANNUAL MEETING

Esqueuing Agricultural Society

ASHGROVE UNITED CHURCH BASEMENT

Wed. Jan. 23 8:15 p.m.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FINANCIAL REPORTS LUNCH

Anyone interested in affiliating with the Society is welcome.

### Oddfellows—Rebekahs and Friends

ARE INVITED TO A DANCE IN THE I.O.O.F. HALL ON

Saturday, January 19 at 8:30 p.m.

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### THE WEATHER

January 6th, Sunday 30 26 7th, Monday 31 27 8th, Tuesday 31 25 9th, Wednesday 26 20 10th, Thursday 33 29 11th, Friday 34 29 12th, Saturday 21 11

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—Aliza F. C. Scott

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### Asks Rezoning for Edward St. Store

Jack Gudgeon, who lives at 9 Normandy Blvd. is planning to build a store at the rear of his property, fronting on Edward St. If permission is given for a commercial building in a residential zone.

In a letter to council read Monday, Mr. Gudgeon pointed out that the property is only 50 feet outside a commercial zone. His store would be just south of a new barber shop recently opened by Merv Cook.

Council's planning committee will investigate.

### Report No Damage In Two-Fire Calls

Fires at Standard Products, Friday, and the country home of A. Leferink, Wednesday morning did no damage according to Fire Chief Bob Bonfield.

Chief Bonfield said material off a buffering machine which lodged in the factory's duct work, ignited and caused the Friday alarm. Workmen used a chemical on the blaze and it was practically out when the firemen arrived to mop up.

Pipes and chimney overhead at the Leferink home while they were building a new fire in the kitchen stove. The alarm was turned in at about 9:40 a.m.

Firemen could only stand by and let the roaring wood fire subside.

### ACTON TOWN DANCE

Friday, January 18 9 p.m. to 12:30

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### High School Official Opening Next Month

The mammoth interior of Georgetown's Comp. S. School will open to the public Feb. 12th if plans of the high school board for an official opening materialize.

Board chairman Douglas Lamer told the Herald this week that the board has set the 12th as the tentative date for the open house, but it all hinges on whether or not the Education Minister, William Davi, will be available to officially open the technical wing.

Greatly interested

An automobile shop, electric shops, woodworking rooms, vocational training rooms, modern science labs, a cafeteria, and kitchen, a music room, drafting rooms and another gymnasium were among those added in the addition just completed.

The board feels the public will be greatly interested in touring the building and inspecting the varied equipment.

### Rector Installs New Officers for Ladies

At a special service in St. George's Anglican Church on Monday, January 7th, Rev. J. H. McMulkin installed the newly elected officers of the Daughters of the Church. Mrs. Harry Sanderson is president, with Mrs. William Fisher, 1st vice-president, Mrs. Ronald Roberts, 2nd vice-president, Mrs. William McNally, secretary, Mrs. Stan Finlay, treasurer, Mrs. J. P. Panabaker, flower fund convener and Mrs. Ron Ovenden, lunch convener.

At the regular meeting which followed, Mrs. Edward Stigger, Mrs. Alan Thompson, Mrs. Wilbert Bradley and Mrs. Harold Catling were elected group leaders.

A coat rack for the back of the church has been purchased. The December buffet luncheon was convoked by Mrs. William Fisher. Mrs. Wilbert Bradley will be in charge of the January luncheon, assisted by Mrs. Alan Thompson.

A request was read, asking members to give their old Christmas cards and oldnylons for the use of the Retarded Children and Halton Manor.

Mrs. Charles Benwick and Mrs. Gordon Spence served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

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### HALTON PROGRESSIVE - CONSERVATIVE PROVINCIAL NOMINATING MEETING

TO CHOOSE A CANDIDATE FOR THE NEXT PROVINCIAL ELECTION

## FRIDAY, JANUARY 25th

8:00 P.M.

AT THE NEW MILTON HIGH SCHOOL For directions, follow arrows from Town Hall, Milton

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