

Ontario Chairman Gives Tips To Red Cross Campaign Workers

C.R. Tisdale, campaign chairman for the Ontario Division of Canadian Red Cross Society, gave members of the Georgetown branch a four-point program for a successful campaign when he spoke at the local group's annual dinner at the North Halton Golf and Country Club Thursday night.

Mr. Tisdale said the campaign must have: (1) leadership that will see the job is carried

out; (2) the best possible public relations to make the public aware of the Red Cross services; (3) early recruiting and enlistment of volunteers and careful mapping of the area to be canvassed; and (4) delegating responsibility to people who are willing to work.

Mr. Tisdale's points for a successful campaign comes just a few weeks in advance of the Georgetown branch's annual March blitz.

"Oh Dad" Adjudicator Has Praise for Cast, Setting

Brian Doherty, well known in professional theatre circles as a producer and playwright, adjudicated Georgetown Little Theatre's entry into the Dominion Drama Festival on Sunday evening in the high school auditorium.

Despite a mix-up in dates which meant the group had to present the play three weeks earlier than anticipated everything ran smoothly.

With a title like "Oh Dad, Poor Dad, Mamma's Hung You in the Closet and I'm Feelin' So Sad," one can expect anything. Written by Arthur L. Kopit, this farce was first presented at the Phoenix Theatre New York, in 1962.

"Poor Dad," who has been dead for some time, accompanies his wife Madame Rosepetal on all her travels. When the curtain opens this odd couple are seen arriving at a Hotel in Port Royal, a city somewhere in the Caribbean. "Poor Dad" arrives in his coffin of course. Fortunately Madame Rosepetal has had the foresight to have him fixed-up by a taxidermist beforehand.

Mr. Doherty said he was full of admiration and tremendously interested in seeing the play for the first time. "This is the kind of thing Little Theatre should be doing," he stated.

Discussing the physical side of the play Mr. Doherty said he was impressed that the Direct-

or (Lynne Hyde) also designed the setting. "It is very good for this type of play and the extraordinary kind of wackiness required has been captured very well — from the moment the curtain goes up we know that we are in a realm of farce and fantasy."

Star performers were unquestionably Vera Macdonald as Madame Rosepetal (a remarkable performance), and Ron Hunt who plays the part of her son Jonathon (an extremely good job — got very good of him).

Supporting them were, Eric Ming (head bellboy) Chris Fisher, Desmond Nicholls, Fred Roberts and Gary McCrae (other bellboys), Desmond Nicholls again as the commodore, and Sandra Thompson as Rosalie.

Last, but by no means least, is Jim Warren who achieves a regular Boris Karloff effect as "Poor Dad".

Results of the adjudication will be made known on Feb. 13. Georgetown's Little Theatre group is in Western Ontario division. This area alone has 16 entries in the Drama Festival. From these, five finalists will be chosen.

Will the Georgetown group be one of them? All Mr. Doherty could say at the time was that he had no idea which of the plays would enter the finals but that it was already obvious that it was going to be a "fabulous festival".

Orangeville Mayor Terms City Idea 'Going to Moon'

One municipal official feels Oakville planners and council may have gone into orbit with their brief proposing a "super city" centred by Georgetown.

"It's like going to the moon," said Mayor Sam Lackey of Orangeville when informed that his town would be the northern boundary of the proposed metropolis.

NORVAL

Woman Beats Snow Drifts Goes Shopping on Horseback

Mrs. Rabson of Norval General Store reported that following the heavy snow fall recently a woman who lives out of the village didn't let the huge drifts stop her from getting necessary supplies. She rode to the village on horseback, purchased her supplies, put them in a sugar bag and threw them over her shoulder then rode the horse back home.

This is the way the old timers had to do their shopping but when anyone rides up to a store on horse back today it's news. No doubt many of her neighbours wished they owned a horse just about then also when they found their cars and trucks completely useless until the roads were cleared.

Norval Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Don Murray on Thurs. afternoon Feb. 3, with the president Mrs. D. Murray in the chair.

The meeting opened with the Institute Ode, the Mary Stewart Collect and the Lord's Prayer, followed by the roll call which was answered by a suggestion for a better public relations.

The main business of the meeting was plans for catering to the Norval Junior Farmers banquet to be held in Stewarttown Hall on Friday, evening February 11th. Appointed to be in charge of the catering were Mrs. G. Chester, Mrs. Joe Murray, Mrs. E. Burk, Mrs. K. Webb and Mrs. S. McDonald.

A Nominating Committee of Mrs. K. Webb and Mrs. G. Patterson was appointed. Tickets to attend Ashgrove W.L. 40th Anniversary on Feb. 15th were quickly disposed of.

The public relations convenor, Mrs. Webb, was in charge of the program. She gave the motto "Perfection is not expected but improvement is."

Mrs. Elsie Collins of Brampton was the guest speaker and chose "Improving Public Relations"

The brief proposed a city of 250,000 embracing the area bounded by Aldershot to Georgetown's southwest, Port Credit to the south-east and Orangeville on the north.

"There's an awful lot of land between Oakville and Orangeville," said Mayor Lackey. "We might see something like this in fifty years," he added.

Two Accidents In A Row On 7th Line Stretch

Cars driven by Ross Sykes, 38 Market St., and James Hamilton, R R 1, Glen Williams, collided on the 7th Line of Esquesing just south of No. 7 Highway Tuesday, February 1st resulting in an estimated \$770 in property damage.

Ontario Provincial Police said the Sykes car received \$700 damage.

Cst. Hutt of the North Halton detachment investigated the mishap.

Earlier, a car driven by Bela Julius Hegetus of R R 1, Georgetown, suffered \$200 damage when it left the travelled portion of the 7th Line of Esquesing just north of Maple Ave. and clipped off two mail boxes, the property of Keith Hunter and Lloyd Grace, R R 1, Georgetown.

Cst. Joe Feldcamp handled this accident.

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GEORGETOWN TANK LOAN IS APPROVED

Approval of several loans for work in Ontario municipalities announced recently by the municipal development and loan board included one for \$100,000 for a water storage tank for Georgetown.

The Georgetown elevated tank will be constructed in the town's industrial park.

Local Council Women Honour Member's Memory

The annual meeting of the local Council of Women was held at the home of the president, Mrs. R.T. Paul, Mill St.

Tribute was paid at the meeting to the memory of Miss Isabella Preston, a valued member of the council over a period of years, whose death had occurred since the previous meeting.

There was no election of officers, as it had been decided last year that officers would have a two year term. Mrs. Floria Nodwell gave the monthly and annual financial reports, and several items of correspondence relative to national and provincial council work were read by Mrs. R.H. Jones.

Reports from affiliated societies were received — The Mission Circle of First Baptist Church, reported by Mrs. E. Thompson; the United Church Women, by Miss Olive Ruddell; the IOOE by Mrs. Jones and the Red Cross by Mrs. A.T. Pritchard. Reports of other affiliates will be given at the next meeting.

Tea was served by Mrs. J. Kerr and Mrs. S. Walker.

Mrs. Jones expressed the thanks of the group to the hostess, tea committee and those who had taken part in the meeting.

LIMEHOUSE

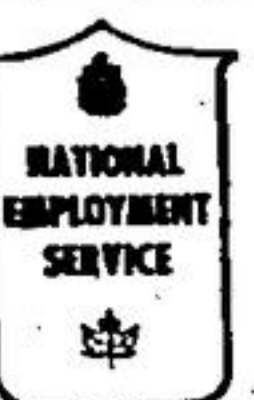
Surprise Party for Parents' Anniversary

The Poot family surprised their parents on the occasion of their thirtieth wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nunes-Vas on Sunday. All members of their family were present.

The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. J. Roughley last Thursday.

The W.I. sponsored a euchre in Limehouse Memorial Hall Monday evening when eight tables were played. Winners were Clare Wilson and Mrs. Meldrim Stark, seconds going to Frank Hale and Glenna Stark. Mrs. Britton won the birthday prize and lunch was served afterwards.

acquired Cedarvale school facilities. "The facilities at Cedarvale are at your disposal and that of organizations such as yours," he said. He invited the members to tour the building and property.



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Safety Films Shown to Ballinafad Institute

Mrs. Ray Swindlehurst was hostess for the February meeting of the Women's Institute on Wednesday evening Feb. 2nd. Mrs. Frank Smith was the convener for the program on Safety and representatives from Action Fire Brigade were present and showed two films, entitled "Safe Driving" and "Dogs and Don'ts in hydro". The motto given by the hostess was "Safety is just a word unless you practice it." The usual business was dealt with including the plans for the euchre and penny sale on March 8th.

The activities in the community hall last week were the regular euchre, on Tues. night with 12 tables. The prize winners were Mrs. Wm. Stark, Mrs. Bert Davidson, Messrs. Bert Davidson and Tony Van Damm. The lucky cup prize went to Chief Haley of Georgetown and the lucky door prize to Mrs. J. Snow. The dance on Friday night was very well attended, the music being supplied by Marion's Music Makers.

On Sunday morning the guest minister at both churches on the Ballinafad charge was Rev. Nichol of Coborne Street United Church in London. The occasion was the annual exchange of pulpits with Mr. Bates and his home church who sponsors him as a candidate for the ministry in the United Church of Canada. Miss Shirley Bates was also a visitor at the manse over the week end.

Mrs. A. Lawr and Mrs. J. Black were in Huntsville over the week end visiting with Rev. and Mrs. Duncan Fleming and family at the manse at Hillside.

The group committee of the Cubs and Scouts met at the home of John Black on Monday night. Arrangements were made to hold a euchre early in March and also the father and son banquet on February 25th honouring the anniversary of the birth of Lord Baden-Powell.

Passenge Hurt When Cars Hit Near Railway Bridge

Jean Morrow, 25 John St. E. suffered a cut to the top of her head and whiplash, when the car she was riding in was struck by another vehicle on Main St. near the CN railway bridge early Saturday morning.

The injured woman was riding in a '65 Corvair operated by John Edward Guyett 128 Prince Charles Drive. Police said the Guyett car was just back out of a driveway 51 feet south of the railway bridge when in collision with a southbound 1964 Dodge driven by Percy White of RR 1 Georgetown.

Cst. Henry Vandersluis placed the property damage at \$150 to the Guyett car and \$70 to the front of the White vehicle.

A police report said the road was slippery at the time of the accident, about 6:40 a.m.

Later the same day, Cst. William Oakley of the Georgetown police department handled a two-car accident at the corner of Sinclair Ave. and Mountainview Rd. involving cars driven by Walter A. Magdy, 49 McIntyre Cres., and Leaman Allen 37 Windsor Rd.

Police said Magdy was southbound on Mountainview turning left onto Sinclair in a 1958 DeSoto, and Allen was coming out of Sinclair onto Mountainview when they met.

Total damage was \$180. This one happened shortly before 12 noon.

Judgment Feb. 9th On Accused Four

Four young men charged with conspiring to break into over a dozen areas service stations were remanded to Feb. 9 for judgement by Magistrate Kenneth M. Langdon Monday.

The accused pleaded not guilty. Two of the men are from Brampton and two are from Meadowdale.

In addition, each faces several charges of possession of stolen goods. Over \$300 in cash, numerous items were taken from service stations broken into last month.

Three of the stations hit in the one night raid were in Georgetown and immediate vicinity.

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