

Presentations to vice-principal at Robert Little grade 8 banquet

A banquet, dance, special awards and presentations to the vice-principal were highlights of the evening when the grade eight and special class graduates of the Robert Little school formally ended their grade school years Wednesday of last week.

Representing the two grade eight classes Bert Venema and Donna Drew presented vice-principal Doug Copeland with a pen stand and attache case. He has been at the Robert Little school for 13 years and will become principal at Caledonia. Mr. Copeland thanked his students and left them with some good advice—To thine own self be true.

The banquet, served by grade seven girls, was arranged for by a committee of mothers headed by Mrs. Tom Watson.

Student council president Susan Shoemaker was chairman for the program which followed. The school's highest awards were presented. The Legion Auxiliary award for general proficiency was presented to Janet Allan by Mrs. Shirley Drew. Janet had the highest percentage in the grade, 95 per cent, followed very closely by Rich Hoher. The Duke of Devonshire Chapter of the I.O.D.E. award for the student showing the most improvement was presented by Mrs. Bert Mowat to Roger Worboys.

Debra Bousfield reviewed the "nine years of togetherness" ranging from kindergarten rhythm bands to the first rotary system, the six-day cycle and introduction of oral French. Colin Price and David Holmes brought forward the gifts for the school, a mixer, oven mitts, pitcher, and glasses.

Suzanne Kamel said Grace and Robert Wardle thanked the mothers. Donna Drew introduced several musical numbers. Donna Goppert playing the accordion. Marjorie Holmes and Debra Bousfield singing solos and music supervisor Kenneth Harrison playing a piano solo.

Mayor Les Dube playing his guitar led in a session of students all their teachers and some of the parents.

After being introduced by John McMullen, he spoke to the boys and girls on the importance of being members. Every one is different, he stated, and each one is an important individual.

Many people continue without ever having made a contribution themselves, he said. It is a responsibility that is being undertaken these days.

He said he is a true dump, pointed the finger for better way of the new. He said he had some opportunities made in the past, but he is not going to do it again.

He was thanked by Frank Hoher.

In speaking of Mr. Copeland, principal G. W. McKenzie pointed out that the school had come a long way. He said the school was a good learning machine.

Mike Homer M. Ed. degree

Mike Homer, B.A., a former Acton high school student, received his Master of Education degree from the University of Toronto at spring convocation.

He has taught at Georgetown for the past eight years. The past three years as vice-principal of Harrison public school. He will be leaving Acton shortly to take in '71. He has been appointed principal of Georgetown Central school in Bruce county.



Robert Little school's two grade eight classes held banquet, dance

ROBERT LITTLE school graduates held a banquet and dance Wednesday of last week in the school. In the graduating group are front row left to right Mary Elliott, Kathleen Bird, Julia Aitken, Suzanne Kamel, Sandra Palmer, Colleen Houston, Jean Porty, Pearl Harris, Roberta Strange, Sandra Ross, Muriel Holmes; second row Frank Houston, Teresa Cunningham, Donna Drew, Cathy Norrie, Kathleen Dills, Barbara Reed, Susan Shoemaker, Lena Jensen, Donna Goppert, Mary Watson, John Van Dam, David Holmes; third row Tony Lambert, David Cann, Mary Lou Pendleton, Dorinka Moskun, Carol Pickles, Beth McCutcheon, Valerie

McGinn, Janet Allan, Tineke Vryenhoek, Debbie Bousfield, Nancy Oakley, Brian Strongtharm, Colin Price; fourth row, Chris Schuts, Dan Jensen, Rob Wardle, Guy Payne, John McMullen, Roger Worboys, Gary Bevan-Pritchard; fifth row Blaine Cleland, Glenn McLeod, Jim Krapek, Kevin Marcoux, Bert Venema, Henry Baren, Clive Diggins, Jan Strange, Ken Withers, Rob Boisclair, Brad Chamberlain, Bill McGilloway, Rick Rocher. Absent were David Brown, Jim Harris, Mari Laughlin, Tim McIntyre and Heather Warnock.—(Staff Photo)

Over 850 attend Stewarttown awards night

Grade eight awards night at the Stewarttown senior public school was held outdoors. It had to be over 850 attended. There were 221 graduates including grade eights and the senior auxiliary class, and over 600 guests.

Acting principal J. Lenz was very pleased with the interested crowd which attended.

After the presentations and program a dance and lunch

provided by mothers was enjoyed by the students.

William Lawson brought greetings from the Halton County Board of Education.

The following subject presentations were made: English, Michael Pierce, Steven Marshall, Shawn Walkem; science Bob Cook, Gerry Deroo; geography Kim Schenk; history Mark Rush; mathematics

Larry Boustfield; home economics Margaret Keep, Trudy Sales.

Industrial arts Andy McKay; physical education Leslie Catling, Steve De Silva; general progress to Emily Pierce and art to Susan Palchuk. Presentations were made by the teachers.

R. Chatten presented the citizenship awards to Janet Storey and Sam Holmes.

The Centennial senior proficiency trophy to the student with the highest academic

standing was presented to Deborah Hunter by trustee Bill Lawson. The Stewarttown senior proficiency trophy to the student with the second highest academic standing was presented to Larry Bradford by Jack Reed, principal of Glen Williams public school. Mr. Reed will be principal at Stewarttown next fall.

Diplomas were presented to all the grade eight and senior opportunity class students by their form teachers and merit awards by Mr. Chatten and Mr. Lenz.

Ballinafad

Wedding, anniversary communion in news

By Mrs. R. Shortill

Several relatives from Ballinafad attended the dinner party in honor of the 25th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shortill of Guelph. Mr. and Mrs. Don Lindsay, Jean and James held it at their century farm at the Seventh line. It was a complete surprise to the honored couple and many happy stories of old time Ballinafad incidents were related and fondly remembered.

A lovely wedding ceremony was solemnized in Ballinafad church on Saturday when Carolyn Spear became the bride of Robert Priestman. Rev. K. Johnston heard their marriage vows in the presence of some one hundred guests.

The sacrament of Holy Communion was observed in the

church on Sunday. Lloyd McIntyre became affiliated with the church by profession of faith.

Mrs. Eddie Longstreet also joined by transfer from another parish. Little Laura Longstreet, daughter of Eddie and Susanne Longstreet was baptized. Mr. and Mrs. Tutin of Eden Mills being present as godparents.

Rev. Kelvin Johnston officiated at this interesting service.

Our picnic service will be next Sunday at 12 o'clock at Gormac Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg French and family with their friends spent the week end at Midland.



DARCY McKEOUGH digs in. The Municipal Affairs Minister has been in the limelight lately as he tries to design a future for Halton and Peel. Last week he was a guest at a steak barbecue at Jim Snow's farm near Hornby.—(Staff Photo)



TOP AWARD winners at Robert Little school are Roger Worboys and Janet Allan, with vice-principal Doug Copeland and

principal G. W. McKenzie. Mr. Copeland is leaving to become principal in Huron County.—(Staff Photo)

Dump fill ensure swimmer safety

Acton Parks Board decided, Thursday night to purchase fill to redress the swimming area on the south side of Fairy Lake since fill which was originally to have been obtained from the town dump was found to contain too many stones.

Arena manager Harold Townsley told the board there is a two foot drop in the lake bottom approximately 10 to 15 feet from shore.

Echoing Mr. Townsley's concern, chairman Peter Marks said the board should dump fill in the area as soon as possible. He said the drop was not a drastic one, but could still take a child off its feet.

Board member Councillor Orval Chapman suggested putting out a buoy line to aid swimmers. Mr. Townsley is to look after installation of the line.

Life preservers have been erected at the swimming area and already some swimmers are using them for playthings, Mr. Townsley reported with regret.

Chairman Marks suggested it was the responsibility of each board member to check on the condition of park property from time to time.



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Lakeshore Teachers College graduates



RAILEEN HOTCHEN
Raileen Hotchen has graduated from Lakeshore Teachers College. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Les Hartman of Acton and graduated from Acton high school. She is working in the family bike shop for the summer.



JO MARIE MARCHMENT
Jo Marie Marchment has graduated from Lakeshore Teachers College. A graduate of Acton district high school, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Marchment, R. R. 2, Acton.



BROOKVILLE SCHOOL GRADUATES held their graduation exercises Wednesday evening. Grads pictured are Joseph Anderson, Debra McKnight, Margaret Anderson, Elizabeth McMullen, Tim Baverstock, Evelyn McMullen, Frank Bill, Susan McLarty, Margaret Boers, Douglas Miles, Barbara Bonus, Dennis Mitchell, Robert Bruce, Susan Mitchell, John Chapman, Carey Moore, Mavis Collins, Norman Moore, Michael Condren, Neil Newell, Diana DeGram, Elva Newton, Clifford Daumer, Jane Norwood, Mary Ella, John Oudesluis, James Ferrier, Benjamin Parchem, Sherry Gilbert, Brian Paylor, Stephen Haddon, Brenda Paylor,

John Hambly, Victoria Paxton, Tim Hamilton, Patricia Panberthy, Louise Hamman, Margaret Quillman, Kirk Harvie, Carmel Real, Darlene Hower, Barbara Riddell, Kenneth Hower, Peter Schmuki, Robert Hunter, Lucille Smith, Anne Inglis, Melanie Sokolowski, Kent Spimond, Michael Spiers, Michael Jennings, Robert Spiers, Vera Jensen, Jack Traas, Ann Johnston, Wendy Van Gameron, Paul Kacor, Patricia Van Sickle, Elaine Laughton, Morets Van Tol, Gary Mayes, Beverley Watters, Marilyn McArthur, Brial Wilson, W. William McClormick, David Wright, Heather McDonald, Douglas Wright.—(Staff Photo)

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