



"THAT'S WHERE we're going," David Tomlinson tells Pat Dunn. The two Acton District High School students have been chosen to participate in the Federal Government's annual Young Voyageur Program. They'll be visiting Quebec in July. —(Staff Photo).

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Pat Dunn, David Tomlinson Acton's "Young Voyageurs"

Two Acton District High Grade 11 students, Pat Dunn and David Tomlinson, have been chosen to participate in the annual "Young Voyageur" program, co-sponsored by the Ontario Department of Education and the Travel and Exchange Division of the Federal Government. Pat and David will leave by

train, June 30, along with 15 other students from Halton County high schools for a 10 day visit to the province of Quebec. Students will be billeted in private homes during their stay, with a student of their own age and sex. Host students will accompany their visitors to a variety of places and events.

Studies tourism as summer job

Alan McNabb of Acton, commerce student at Queens University, Kingston, has an unusual summer job. He will be studying the importance of tourism for the Kingston Chamber of Commerce, courtesy of the Royal Bank of Canada. The bank's student help program pays the salaries of students working with community service organizations. The chamber there qualified and its proposal was accepted.

He is researching some background for the project and seeking advice of the professors at the school of business, before launching the study. He has just completed three years of commerce at Queens. He's married to the former Trudy Morris of Acton, Queens science undergraduate. She is working in a university lab for the summer.

Presentations to piano pupils

Susan Shoemaker was the winner of the Grace Lawson trophy for highest marks received in three consecutive Theory exams. She also received a Silver Medal for the highest mark in grade 4 Theory written in December 1970.

Presentation was made at the Metropolitan Music Library in Toronto at the Senior & Award Winners recital by pupils of teachers who are members of the Canadian Trinity Teachers Association.

Other pupils receiving awards were Lauren Ashley, Georgetown, the Bronze Medal

and a cash award for highest marks in Grade 4 piano exam; Andrew Cherry, a trophy and a cash award for the highest marks in grade 7 piano exam; Julie Smith, Acton, a trophy and cash award for highest marks in grade 8 piano exam.

In recital Also playing in this recital were Debra Bousfield, solo; Norine Noble, solo; Wendy Wood and Anne Melcombe, duet; Michelle Mumby, solo; and Judi Petherick, solo.

All students are pupils of Dorothy Richardson Scull, Georgetown.

Escorts Each unit of students is to be accompanied by two adults, a man and wife, at least one of which is a teacher. Receptionists or host teachers arrange for the reception of incoming units and plan and implement suitable programs for the visitors.

Like the early voyageurs, who first explored Canada's vastness and beauty, the "Young Voyageurs" discover for themselves the variety and beauty of Canada and form new friendships that may enrich their whole lives.

Exchange visits Each province and territory plays host to the same number of units it sends to other provinces.

Last summer, Acton students Carolyn McKenzie and Gord Morris visited British Columbia, through the program. Previous Acton District High Voyageurs have been Russell Masales, who visited the Maritimes, Murray Jamieson who travelled west, Katherine Sinclair who went to Alberta during Centennial year, Mark Hurst who went to the Yukon and Chris Brunelle who saw Newfoundland.

French trip for students

"Pardon" and "Meriel beaucoup" were among the most popular phrases spoken when several French students, plus three staff members visited Le Provençal in Toronto last Tuesday. The students, members of grades 11, 12 and 13 were transported to their destination in teacher-driven cars. Song sheets with French choruses were distributed before departure. Among the selections was "Comme Un Pont Sur L'eau Trouble", en anglais "Like a Bridge Over Troubled Waters".

French menu Upon arriving at Le Provençal we were ushered into a beautiful dining hall and given excellent service. We were situated in "The Hind Quarter" of the restaurant. On our menu was hot French Bouillon, Beef Bourguignonne, stuffed tomatoes and egg noodles.

For dessert, we had an option of parfait or French apple tart. Students were a bit disappointed when ice water was poured into the large glasses, but the rest of the delicious menu made up for it.

While in the Hind Quarter, students were expected to speak in French but it's a well known fact that many were able to sneak in English.

Tres bon A guest book was placed at the exit of the restaurant where we signed our names and opinion of our dinner. Everyone wrote a favorable comment, and might I add, in French.

One topic discussed at the table was Ontario Place. On an impulse, we decided to pay the place a visit.

Saw highlights Although only there for a short time, we were truly enthusiastic about what we saw. We were

fortunate in seeing the cinesphere movie, similar to that at Expo, in which the audience becomes part of the action.

We saw the famed movie "Genesis" which is shown using a series of huge balloons for its screen. We also took part in the wars as we pushed our way through a number of large cylinders. We saw a few other exhibits before leaving. Everyone was in favor of visiting Ontario Place again.

Merci beaucoup I think Mr. Cayer, Mr. Blake and Miss Quinn should be thanked for organizing the excursion and acting as our chauffeurs. They can say with certainty, that it was a trip worth-while.

Wait a week

Story and pictures of high school open house last evening (Tuesday) will appear in next week's Free Press.

Grade 8 trip

Grade 8 students of the Robert Little school enjoyed a special trip on Thursday. They went to Kitchener and to Stratford to see Much Ado About Nothing.

C.G.I.T. holds annual banquet

Girls of the C.G.I.T. held their annual mother and daughter banquet in the United church. Leaders are Mrs. Ross Ribey and Mrs. Earl Near.

After dinner there were toasts, short speeches and a program.

List judging winners

The annual twilight meeting of the Halton Holstein Club was held at the farm of Fred Nurse and Sons, R.R. 2, Georgetown, on Friday evening.

This herd of purebred Holsteins had the highest milk production in Halton last year, an average of 15,631 lbs. of milk and 592 lbs. of butterfat from his 19 cows. Joe Snyder, Holstein-Friesian fieldman, discussed the judging of a dairy cow, followed by a class of three year olds and one of mature cows.

Winners of the judging competition were: men, Harold Patterson, Milton and runners-up Keith Moore, Moffat, and J.C. Ford, Oakville, all with a perfect score of 100. Ladies, Mrs. Barbara F. Ford, Oakville, 100, boys and girls, 15 to 21—Murray Brownridge, Georgetown 93, with runner-up Beryl McEnery, Limehouse 92.

Boys and girls 14 and under winners are Connie Patterson, Milton 98, with runners-up Scott Patterson and Wayne May Hornby 95 points.

Visit Master Feeds Everyone then went to the Master Feeds Research Farm, Georgetown, for an illustrated talk by David Clemons, assistant manager. Holstein-Friesian Associations of Canada, Miss Evelyn Weatherston, co-ordinator of the new urban-rural exchange program, Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, spoke to the young people present, inviting them to be hosts for an urban boy or girl for one week during the summer holidays.

Almost 30 snub refund

Close to 30 fishermen have surrendered their useless 1971 angling licences and sent them to the Ontario Government asking the money be turned over to the Department of Lands and Forests.

Paul Coulson, a member of the Halton Sportsmen's Association, organized the campaign to keep the fee for licences in operation. He and his association feel the money was needed by the department and was doing a good job.



SUSAN McPhail, an M. Z. Bennett Grade 8 student, placed first in the annual M. Z. Bennett School public speaking contest last week. Principal Elmer Smith presented the first place plaque to Susan following the competition. —(Staff Photo)



By Mary Ann Freuler

Congratulations to Hank Wisniewski, Sean Aherne, Nancy Abram and Rob Ellery, who will be next year's Student Council executive. Elections were last Tuesday and I think the new executive will do a wonderful job. I hope that those who were not elected will still be active in the council's activities. It can always find a post for a willing worker.

Seek assistant The Year Book is in search of an assistant editor for next year's Oracle. Debbie McGiloway, this year's editor, will continue with her position for the 71-72 year. He, who is elected assistant editor will automatically become editor-in-chief for the following year.

Dance Thursday The Student Council had a very successful dance last Thursday evening. Everyone was anxious to hear the music of "Manchild". For the first time this year, parents were asked to chaperone at the dance. Our sincerest thanks to Mr. and Mrs. MacSprowl, Mr. and Mrs. H. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Strongtharm. If there are parents interested in giving this service why not give a call to one of next year's executive! Thanks to the teachers, too.

High style Members of grade 11, 12, 13 French class visited the Hind Quarter of Le Provençal last Tuesday. They were served a

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