



FOUR LACROSSE lassies traded their sticks for brooms at Saturday's Ma and Pa bonspiel. Decked out in the Acton Ram green and gold colors were l. to r., Pauline Symon, Bette Footitt, Velma West and Lucille Cooksley. —(Staff Photo)

# Esquering residents urged to use town libraries

Esquering Township residents who have been shying away from libraries in the towns of Acton, Georgetown and Milton because of the high fees for non-resident members, are invited to join and use the three town libraries at much lower fees this year.

The township recently created its own library board to study library service for township residents and take advantage of provincial government grants offered to municipalities. Studies showed it was financially and geographically impossible to erect one library to serve the township's far-flung population, but a better idea emerged.

Share in grant

Esquering will encourage its residents to use the already-established and well-stocked facilities and services in the three towns, and turn over its 65 cents per capita grant to those three libraries. There are around 9,700 Esquering residents and the grant, at 65 cents per head, works out to around \$6,300 to be split among the Milton, Georgetown and Acton libraries boards.

To encourage the township readers to patronize the town libraries, the library boards have agreed to drop their non-resident fees, which ranged from \$2.50 to \$3 per adult and around \$1.50 for children per year, to the in-town rate—usually 10 cents for a three year period. And there's no limit to the amount of books you can borrow, for that fee.

"All the town libraries are so close to Esquering's main population," explains Mrs. Ruth Wilson of the newly-created Esquering Library Board. "It would be impossible to build a central library in the township that would be close enough for many of the residents to use it, she added.

"Wouldn't pay fee"

"None of the members of the new library board belonged to a library in one of the district towns—we wouldn't pay the fees," she adds.

Some day, maybe, Esquering will be able to launch a book-mobile service—a travelling library which could spend a few

hours in each of the pockets of population scattered through Esquering.

The Esquering grant is to be apportioned to the three town libraries on the basis of township residents use of the town library facilities. Head-counts will be taken twice a year and the library drawing the most township dwellers will obtain the larger share of Esquering's grant.

Besides Mrs. Wilson, members of the Esquering Library Board are Mrs. Anne Berry, Mrs. Edna Mae Markham, Mrs. Joan Lister, Reeve Tom Hill and secretary Cathy Bouskill of the township's office staff.

Acton Public Library, new in 1967, has one of the most picturesque settings of any facility in the county. It is located beside a creek that flows across Main St. into Fairy Lake. It offers Esquering residents the same services residents of town enjoy for a 12 month membership of 50c as well as residents of Nassagaweya, Erin or Eramosa townships.

The Acton library has just about any type of book on its shelves readers could want, as well as an excellent reference section. Many more books are available through the co-operation of the South Central Regional Library system.

The library is open on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 2 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 8.30. Tuesdays and Thursdays the hours are from 2 to 5 in the afternoon and Saturdays from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

Acton Library Board is anxious to get more and more cultural activities revolving around the library and recently there was an appearance of the world famous Czech String Quartet with a well known classical music commentator. Puppet shows, story hours and film showings are also library services in Acton.

Special services are available through the South Central Regional System.

Mrs. Isabel Watson is chief librarian and has a staff of three assistant librarians as well as Pages from the high school to assist in the operation.

## Orangeville Raceway

### SUNDAY RACES

First race—1 mile pace—\$250

- 1 SOKY'S DUCHESS—P. Radley
- 2 MUDLILY—C. Lockhart
- 3 ABEL PARKER—J. Currie
- 4 Bagg—Wm. Troy
- 5 Danny K. Spencer—T. Heslip
- 6 Snobbish—R. Westgarth
- 7 Prima Spencer—M. Corbett
- 8 Betty Lee Echo—B. Davies

Second race—1 mile pace—\$300

- 1 ABBEGALE HERBERT—R. Given
- 2 PIPPER FINDLATER—M. Galbraith
- 3 DESMOND DARES—R. Davidson
- 4 Blythe Spirit—T. Wilson
- 5 Opdena Frost—J. Pollard
- 6 Blue Glen—R. Williamson
- 7 Miss Choir Girl—J. Redpath
- 8 Dazzle Dandy—R. Harper

Third race—1 mile trot—\$300

- 1 PRINCE DEMON—W. Troy
- 2 ROMANY SCHELL—Wm. Hicks
- 3 BERNIE'S LUCKY BOY—H. Stead
- 4 Worthy Wonder—R. Faulds
- 5 Ann's Adios—G. Galbraith
- 6 Happy's Jack—B. Davies
- 7 Resper Todd—R. Geisel
- 8 Favourite Doll—R. Bosada

Fourth race—1 mile pace—\$300

- 1 ROSS HUTCH—C. Lawson
- 2 MISS TWINKLE—A. Brunton
- 3 SINGLE COIN—M. Given
- 4 Bonnie Adyn—M. Pollard
- 5 Anderson Dale—E. Adams
- 6 Grand Duchess—Wm. Megens
- 7 Rhea's Adios Clay—J. McClure
- 8 Lady R. Express—O. Gibbons

Fifth race—1 mile trot—\$400

- 1 KAWARtha BELL—N. Cochrane
- 2 SHERRY'S GAL—B. Davies
- 3 GRIDIRON—R. Silliphant
- 4 Vidi Volo—H. Weston
- 5 Rose Garland—R. Moreau

6 Late Move—C. Lawson

- 7 Harlan Mike—C. Lockhart
- 8 Mellow Yellow—R. McLean
- AE—The Fullback—Wm. Hicks

Sixth race—1 mile pace—\$300

- 1 BRADLEY GILBERT—M. Galbraith
- 2 ONLOOKER—C. Lawson
- 3 PEYTON GIRL—A. Avery
- 4 Dutchess Express—G. Crowe
- 5 Argyle Royal—N. Osborne
- 6 Good Bye Killigan—J. Pollard
- 7 Kristy Bars—J. Redpath
- 8 Pleasant Way—R. Moreau

Seventh race—1 mile pace—\$400

- 1 ABRAWANA REPLICET—J. Pawley
- 2 KAWARtha BELL—C. Lawson
- 3 GEORGE VOLO—R. Pestell
- 4 Highland Star—R. Lackey
- 5 Frank Zam—W. Srigley
- 6 Crispy Lee—J. Currie
- 7 Capetown Hall—W. Troy
- 8 A. P. Hal—O. Gibbons

Eighth race—1 mile pace—\$450

- 1 NORTHCO AYLMER—D. Hill
- 2 GORDON'S EXPRESS—B. Davies
- 3 OVAL KING—J. Pollard
- 4 Lora Dares—D. Furness
- 5 Genial Dancer—D. Campbell
- 6 Houda Hill—C. Lawson
- 7 Mooreland's Tom—Wm. Troy
- 8 Ken's Question—C. MacArthur

Ninth race—1 mile pace—\$1,500

- 1 SHAR'S JADE—S. Duke
- 2 MIGHTY FLEET—M. Galbraith
- 3 MERRYWOOD MOORE—B. Davies
- 4 Relhom Rick—Wm. Troy
- 5 Mr. Expo—R. McLean
- 6 Muddy's Boy—B. Clements

Tenth race—1 mile pace—\$250

- 1 CHUCK BARDIA—C. Lawson
- 2 STAR MAN—R. Gordon
- 3 Wootter Hanover—J. Vollett
- 4 Stoney Dillon—C. McKnight
- 5 Mac Oregon—R. Morgan
- 6 Mel's Walter—T. Langille
- 7 Golden Harvest—C. E. Langen
- 8 A. I. Command—H. Stead

## Top teams at tourney

Welland juveniles and Milton Pontiac Tempests, "A" and "B" series champions respectively last year will be defending their titles in the 14th annual Tri-County Juvenile Hockey Tournament, which gets underway at Milton arena, Saturday, March 25.

Also included in this year's 38 team tournament slate are six teams, which have advanced at least as far as the provincial semi-finals in their classifica-

tions of the O.M.H.A. playoffs. Welland and Burlington of the "A" series, Camp Borden and Dunnville of the "B" series and Ridgeway and Petrolia, "C" series entries have made O.M.H.A. semi-finals. At this writing, Dunnville, Petrolia and Ridgeway are still alive. Thornhill, another "A" series entry in this year's tournament, have made the provincial finals and may have to withdraw. Other teams in the "A" series

this year are, Chinguacousy, Brampton, Oakville, Guelph, Georgetown, Mount Hamilton, Lindsay Orillia, and Dorset Park Bruins of the MTHL, last year's "A" series finalists. Jack Ferguson's classy Bruins defeated Toronto Marlboros for the championship of the prestigious Rouyn-Noranda tournament during the Christmas holidays.

Port Huron, Michigan Indians, who lost out to Milton in last

year's "B" series championship game, return in that group along with Milton, Streetsville, Hespeler, Orangeville, Markham, Byron, Collingwood, St. Thomas, Dundas, Dunnville, Joining Petrolia and Ridgeway in the "C" series are Acton Lions. "C" series finalists last year, Bolton, Applewood, Alderwood, Waterford, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Elmvalle, Unionville, Port Perry and Wood-

bridge.

## Former greats do battle in Milton

Some of the former war lords from the National Hockey League will go through some of their antics here this Friday evening when they meet Milton Oldtimers in a charity hockey game.

Proceeds from the fun game will go towards construction of an

adult residence at ARC Industries (Adult Rehabilitation Centre) in Hornby.

Greats

Sid Smith and Harry Watson are among the greats from the NHL who will take part in the contest.

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