



M. Z. BENNETT school Student Council elections were held on September 18. Victors in the contest were Julia Bowen, Bob McClure, Lance Alton and Janet Ager. As of yet, no specific positions have been assigned to the four.

M.Z. Bennett weekly news

By Sherry Halliday and Denise Paton

Last Friday we had a hot dog day for the school, to make money for trips. Mrs. D. Bradshaw the 8A teacher and Mr. A. Zanatta are taking care of the hot dog days this year.

The cross country meet planned for last Friday was cancelled because of the weather.

We are very glad to have our principal back.

Last week the Grades three, four, five, and six went apple picking. They are now baking with them.

There are now three por-

tables at M. Z. Bennett. The girls' field hockey team tied with Martin St. school on their first game 0-0.

The people who won first prizes at the Fall Fair were as follows: Karen Elliott, Lance Alton, Vincent Lee, Michael Arbie, Paul Kilpatrick, Jim Thompson, Dax Coates, Joanne Timbers, Ronda Dezeew, Susan White, Lisa DePieri, Leslie Dobisz, Mark Walker, Marie Arbie, Melanie Johnston, Gordon Scott, Ross Rennie, Judy Krul, and Sandra Splinter.

Five new teachers hired by board

Five new teachers were hired last month by Halton Board of Education last month for Acton and area schools.

It was revealed at Thursday's board meeting that three new teachers had been hired at M. Z. Bennett School and one teacher at

Speyside and one at Robert Little schools.

Donna Manes, Kathy Ross and Joy Penttila all joined the teaching staff at M. Z. Bennett last month and Lynn Heatherington is the latest addition at Speyside School. Martene Laubser is the latest addition to the Robert Little School facility.

Harold Mahatoo

By Debbie Newell and Kathy McFadden
This week we welcome Mr. Harold Mahatoo to our school; he teaches mathematics and geography. Harold has had an interesting teaching background. He first started teaching in Trinidad at the age of 16 under the supervision of qualified teachers. He had finished grade 13 at the age of 15. Later he went on to teach in Ottawa, Montreal and his last teaching area before Acton High was Brookville public school, where he spent ten years.

and four children, two girls and two boys. We asked him how he liked the school; he said he liked the staff here, it's talented and very friendly. This helps one's adjustment to any new school. Of course he said his transition from Brookville to Acton High was smooth because some of his students have come from Brookville and know him very well. Mr. Mahatoo gets a lot of satisfaction from finding the students' individual needs and helping them out.

His hobbies include watching hockey and collecting international music. He is a member of our drama club and he enjoys producing small plays.



HAROLD MAHATOO is new to Acton high school. He is teaching math and geography.

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SHOWING MOM AND DAD how well she can read after only a month of school is grade one student Lesley with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Don Mathieson. The couple took advantage of a Parents' Night at Robert Little school last Thursday to view their daughter's work and talk to her teacher.

Robert Little Parents' Night

Robert Little public school held the first Parent-Teacher night of the year last Thursday evening.

Many parents of students of all ages attended the event and took advantage of the chance to speak briefly with teachers and view their

children's work. Lessons and notebooks were left open on many of the desks so the parents could roam freely without having to disturb anyone.

Several children accompanied the mothers and fathers and proudly showed

them their work. The rain may have hampered the attendance of many but the evening seemed to be successful.

Advice is like medicine; the better it is, the nastier it is to take.

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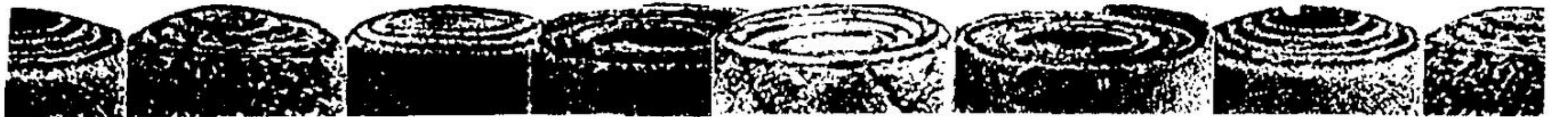
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