In the music world, on Thursday November 18, a total of 60 students will be going to O'Keefe Centre in Toronto to see the ballet "La Fille Mal Gardes" which is being presented by the National Ballet Company of Canada. The students will be leaving at 12.30 p.m. and returning about 5 o'clock.

Concert

"Music '76" will take place at Acton high school on Sunday November 21 at 7.30 p.m. Four schools will be participating in this concert; M. Z. Bennett. Robert Little, Brookville and the Acton high school band. The concert will feature small and large choirs, instrumental groups, band and vocal presentations, ukulele singers with some folk songs. Some songs being practiced are Song Sung Blue, This Land Is Your Land, and Give Us a Place to Stand. There will also be a selection of songs for the assembly on Wednesday including a song written by an Actonian, H. Freuhler, called

"The Hymn of Canada:" On Thursday there was a senior boys volley-ball tournament against Robert Little school. There were four games played with M. Z. Bennett winning three of them: Congratulations, boys, on some well played games.

Hot dog Day Last Friday the first Hot Dog Day was held. On the whole it went pretty well and most of the students enjoyed themselves.

Kindergarten children sent a special thank-you letter to J. Krul and D. Price who came and showed carpenter's tools and how they are used in building. The children now have a carpenter's bench in their room and are trying their skills at building.

On Friday nights the gym is available for staff members to come and enjoy basketball, volleyball and badminton.

The field hockey match between Stewarttown and M. Z. Bennett ended in a 3-0 win for our girls, last Friday.

Robert Little news By Sharon Bendicks

This year Robert Little students will remember those who served in the wars through poems, songs and assemblies.

On Tuesday, Mrs. Gibson's English classes (grade eight) presented their feelings concerning Remembrance Day to the intermediate grades. They presented a radio program on the two minute silence, a hospital scene during the war, a skit called Who Shall Dwell concerning the fact that both sides are enemics to the civilians plus other numerous songs and poems of wartime.

> Inter-House Competition

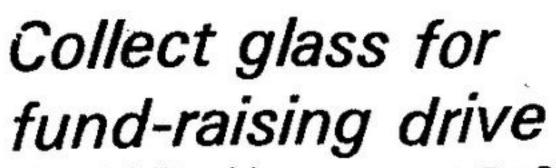
Fifty Collages are being judged by Mrs. Mellor. Mr. Kirby has created a new art contest in which teams will be judged on their ability to create a team crest. The choirs have been practicing for "concert '76" on Nov. 21.

European Handball is coming to an end. The last game will be played on Nov. 8. The grade four students of

Robert Little went to the art museum in Kleinburg, Ontario on Oct. 23, to look at Indian and Eskimo Art. The students made replicas of their favorite art piece by sketching. The gallety which are displayed on the school walls for all to see. They will be displayed until the middle of December.

The grade four students are studying Eskimo art and they made an excellent display in the front foyer.

ful. Lamen timle customers are 600 hot dogs and 500 donuts. Sheets for this week were handed out last Friday.



Two and a half tons of glass were collected by members of the high school Outers Club on Saturday during their se-

Two trucks belonging to the B.C. Field and Goy Cartage were loaned for the day and were driven around town picking up boxes of bottles, ars etc. Once back at the high school, the students broke the glass into barrels and took it to Dominion Glass in Brampton. There, they received \$45 for their day's

There were 25 people helping out in the drive, either out collecting or canvassing.

Miss Kitching says the

Scout and

Most sections had a fair teered one game called the

third Brownies had their pri- their turn. vate wreath as well again this

MONICA LAWSON, a Sudbury native, is

teaching grade three students at M. Z. Bennett.

Mrs. Lawson likes Acton and feels at home in a

Monica Lawson

likes life in Acton

Acton high

by Jennifer Rowe

notes

here, they returned to Tor-

then worked in an office until

she could start her studies in

the Ontaro Teachers Educa-

The Lawsons have now

made their home in Acton

where both are contented.

Both are used to fairly small

towns and enjoy the quieter,

more peaceful atmosphere

here. "It is more like home,"

has decided to start a clean-

up the cafeteria campaign.

As you know after lunch it can

look pretty bad, so do your

part-pick up your garbage

and put it in the garbage bins.

On the topic of not for-

getting, dancathon morey

must be in this Friday. If we

plan to let Acton High be

Don't Forget!

Funnel!

miss it!

says the newcomer.

tion College.

The grade three teacher

onto in November of 1974.

small town.

It took a while, but Monica

Lawson finally has the teach-

ing job she always wanted.

teacher at M. Z. Bennett

School grew up in Sudbury,

where she also attended

attend teachers' college, Mrs.

Lawson and her husband

moved to Cambridge, Eng-

land, where he was studying

for his doctorate. After a year

How does the old saying go?

Time flies when you're hav-

ing fun! Well, I don't know

about having fun; however

here we are half way through

Last Friday Miss Wanda

Hall and Mrs. Cole took

Grade 9 Geography students

to Stelco Steel Factory in

Hamilton and to an oil re-

Today (Wednesday) Clare

Henderson took his grade 13

English students to see the

play "Artichoke" at the Tarr-

"Imagine"

assembly for Remembrance

Day. The theme was not

remembering, but trying to

This week the student

Association with your help

"Featuring Fruit" has

proved popular this fall with

17 Halton 4-H Homemaking

Clubs. Leaders and members

have been studying fresh

fruits from Ontario and

around the world, processed

fruits and their uses, pastry

making and truits used as

party fare. As well as the

special skills developed in

cooking, the 4-II members

responsibility as members of

a group and as members of a

held at E. C. Drury School to

complete the project. Visitors

are especially invited to

programs to hear the club

presentations regarding fruit

varieties and uses. Record

books and pastry desserts

will be displayed.

Achievement Days will be

been developing

afternoon

course

Also today there was an

the semester already.

finery in Toronto.

agon Theatre.

Although she wanted to

Laurentian University.

Mrs. Lawson, a grade three

Stuck at end

that the Scouts and Guides were stuck at the end of the parade again this year and were given such a bad view at the cenataph. I realize that many feel Remembrance Day to be a sad, strictly adult day for remembering the follies of the past, but what of the future?

If the children are shoved to one side, they cannot understand what it is all about. No wonder many people fear that it will dle out in the future. It is hard to pass on a lesson that we learned, but we must try to if world peace is to be sought after. I hope that next year, the children will not be forgotten, lest they forget.

November's group committee meeting was held last night at the Scout Halls

Meeting

A hike is being planned jointly by the first Acton Scouts and second Acton Guides. Besides the Christmas party and toboggan party this is the first event of ship. this kind. Let's have cooperation all around and make it successful.

Second Acton Guides by Jean Vaughan

The girls of the second Acton Girl Guides elected their new Patrol Leaders by secret ballot with the following results: Theresa Conroy, Lily-of-the-Valley Patrol, Pettibone, se-Alexander, conder; Ruth

known from coast to coast for winning this competition, Pansy Patrol; Jaye Gerth, then get your money in. seconder: Patricia Henry, The Music Funnel is well on Patrol: Connie it's way at Acton High. This McCristall, seconder; Nadine student-organized school Ewart, Red Rose Patrol, radio station is now under-Lynn Gordon, seconder.

The patrols were selected way. Students can listen to music in the cafeteria before by drawing names but the school and in period three and Patrol Leaders chose their four. Good Luck Music own seconders from their patrol.

Greaser Day is coming up, With the Patrol Leaders in next Friday. Students will charge, the girls planned a dress up in the day and be Hallowe'en party with a varied, fun program. Everyone able to see a 1950's movie then dance to the sounds of the wore a costume and voted by 50's, all for just \$1.50. Don't secret ballot for first prize winner Lynn Gordon as Keep working as the second Minnie Mouse and second reporting day is in the near prize winner Dawn Cook as future- November 29. Raggedy Ann. We volun-

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cond glass drive.

Outers President Paula

Kitching told the Free Press the club has arranged to pick glass up twice a month at the Legion, a local hotel and one apartment building. She says she hopes to be able to pick up twice monthly at the other apartment dwellings in town,

The glass drive is part of a fund-raising campaign by the Outers to purchase two

Outers appreciate the citizens of Acton saving their empty bottles and jars. She realizes, she says, that a few streets in town were missed and she hopes it will not happen next

Guide news

turnout for the annual "Haunted House". Mrs. June Remembrance Day parade Gerth, our guest for the evenon Sunday. Both the Scouts ing, guarded the door to the and Guides laid a wreath this "House" and tried to keep the year at the ceremoney. The costumers calm until it was With spooky howling and

screaming in the background, Shirley Duncan blindfolded It was most unfortunate the girls and Roberta Trotter and I. Jean Vaughan, led the 'ghouls' one at a time through the "Dead Man's Galley." They felt their way past eyeballs, powdered noses, pickled intestines, dry bones, quivery stomachs and many others. The P.L.s. had many good games and a system planned for prizes for the groups who won the most points. The girls brought loads of food including a

> Ruth Alexander. We presented a plaque for October to the Patrol of the Month for their Guiding attitude and good patrol spirit; Poppy: Patricia Henry, Carol Chappel, Linda Duncliffe. Lisa Mason and Connie McCristall.

Hallowe'en cake baked by

The P.L.s, did a fantastic job of organizing the party. The point of Guiding is to learn to make decisions, to plan, to "Be Prepared" and to call on the Guiders for guidance rather than leader-

Add barn

The Ontario Agricultural Museum at Kelso is calling tenders on another new wooden display barn for large agricultural implements.

Tenders are open until Wednesday, Nov. 24 and plans are available at the Museum or from the Ministry Collegiate,

Weston.

tions and participate in "The idea is to give them

what is involved in university education,"says Charles Crockford, high school liaison officer for the University's Faculty of Arts. "They will also be able to meet with an academic counsellor if they have any questions concerning the programs and courses in which they are interested.

Students will be able to select from approximately 70 courses to be offered during the day, encompassing a wide range of subjects from languages to humanitles and social sciences.

be Western Collegiate Institute, N.A. Boylen second-

bits in the three barns.



SMASHING BOTTLES INTO barrels are Acton high School Outers club members. Foreground, Bernie Harding takes care not to rip his gloves on the sharp glass, in one of the final stages of the glass drive on Saturday.

Local students at Waterloo campus

will be visiting the University of Waterloo campus this Friday to take part in a Waterloo "Arts Day."

The students will be able to attend a wide variety of classes, take notes, ask quesdiscussions.

some understanding as to

Other schools attending will

of Government Services in

When it is completed, the Museum expects to be able to house 50 large pieces of exhi-

Acton High school students ary school, Toronto, Chinguacousy secondary school, Bramalea, Pauline Johson Brantford, Thistletown collegiate institute, Rexdale, Sir John A. MacDonald, Agincourt, Scar-Heights Collegiate, lett

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Merri-Munchers have November meeting

The fifth meeting of the Rock-a-long Merri-Munchers was held on November 6 at Mrs. McDuffe's. After the meeting was opened, with the Pledge, the minutes were read and approved. The roll call was "Where my ancestors came from."

The group discussed their party briefly and suggestions were made of what they could have for a program.

Elaine Donnell demonstrated pizza which was very delicious and some members agreed it was better than a store-bought one.

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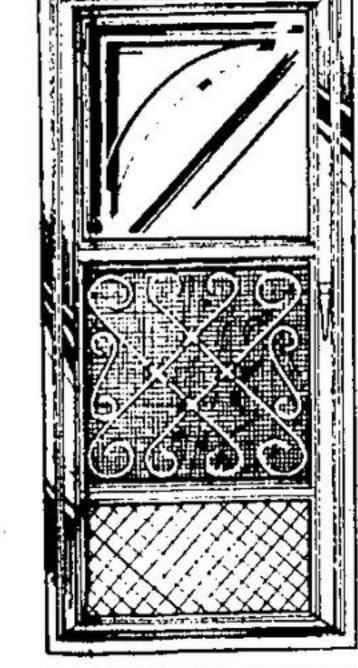
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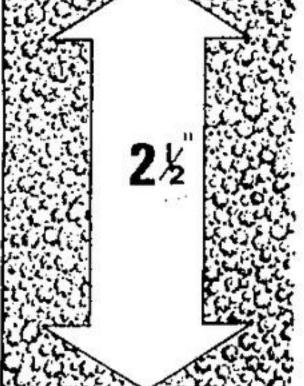
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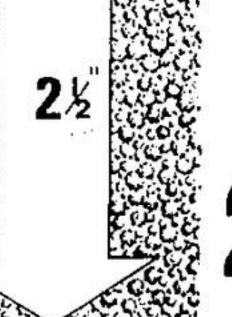


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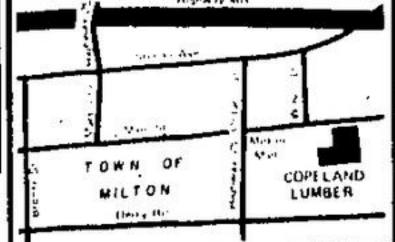


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