**Hearing slated** 

#### Smiley . . .

(Continued from Page 4) cleavages and miniskirts and sadistic high boots and Afro wigs. Any day now I expect to see a lady teacher, if that has not become a mere euphemism, carrying a leather quirt. (This is not a type of purse.)

But I tried. I did try. I walked through the halls exuding false confidence, conservatism. daring, in my modest sult, my white shirts, my dark tie, my black shoes, and my dedicated ex-

pression. It didn't work. Oh, a few students respected me, especially when they could get me off the track of the lesson and talking about real life. A few girls fell in love with me for periods as long as six

But one can only hold his thumb in the dyke for so long. No pun intended. They overcome you by sheer numbers.

weeks.

Today, when a teacher walks down the hall, he no longer feels like Mr. Chips. He feels more like a referee at a boxing match, as he darts in, trying to break up a clinch in which one of the participants is in danger of being strangled. By a tongue.

One of my students, Grade 9, wears across the not inconsiderable chest of her T-shirt the legend, "No Browsing."

And perhaps that's why a dozen teachers havd died young, in their 30s and 40s, while I've been three and colleagues at time of writing, are in the intensive care ward of the hospital, with heart attacks. Not an old person among the lot. Perhaps I'll join them one of these days, and we could play bridge, flat on our backs.

Or does anyone have a job for an old editor who would trade 160 kids a day for a 60-hour week, week's one holidays?

## McKenzie-Smith

Terry-Lynn McTravick and Shirley Van Rijk

As the class winners of the seed news, class 6-4 won the pizza party. They had the 10 delicious pizzas. On Wednesday, Feb.

14, the student council arranged a Valentine's Dance. It started at 3.40 and ended at 6 p.m. On Monday, Feb. 26, students of McKenzie-

Smith received their reports. The cast of the operetta

are now practicing at noon hours and after school. Mrs. Sanford and Mr. Turner helped Mr. Mashinter choose the casts and will be helping in directing. Mrs. Pennock will be working on the props. Mrs. White and Mrs. Gibson are beginning to organize the costumes. On February 15, we

had our public speaking contests. The judges were Miss K. Doyle, Mr. C. Henderson and Mr. D. Magwood for junior and Miss K. Doyle, C. Henderson and D. McDonald for intermediate. For grade 6, Vicki Rodriguez, who spoke on poverty. won against Scott Nowlan who spoke on Walt Disney, Kris Dawkins, the history of leather. Sue Nadhazi, care of dogs, and Michelle Himashazi on poverty. For the grade 7 and 8's Chris Lobsinger, who spoke on The Other

Side of Darryl Sittler,

won against Steve Tail-

lefer on Bobby Orr,

Andrea Arbic on dreams,

Chris Rosengulst on

Martians invade earth,

Loranzo Civiero on older

sisters, Jean Swift, the

Karrie Curran on twin

brothers, Guy Malthy on

Wednesday by the score of 28-18 and were victorious over W.I. Dick, 21-19. Last night was the night of the double header game against St. Joseph's school team at 6.30. After the two games there was a Sock-Hop

Bowen on the test tube baby. All gave excellent

On Feb. 13 boys basket-

ball team played against

Holy Cross. They de-

feated them 45-24. The

entire team played ex-

On Feb. 16, the girls

played against Centen-

nial and were defeated by

a very close game 20-18.

girls' basketball team is

in first place in the North

Halton league. They had

defeated Centennial last

speeches.

tremely well.

next week's article. Good defensive work helped to defeat Holy Cross 16-14 in the Holy Cross tournament last Saturday.

dance til 10. The results

of both games will be in

In their second game against Centennial the girls suffered an unfortunate loss 6-4. Centennial went on to win the trophy, defeating Holy Cross in the final. Congratulations girls!

Our boys had very good games in the tournament at Holy Cross. In game one our defence held Centennial to only 17 points. The score was 17-11 for Centennial. In the second game we defeated Holy Cross 22-15. This game sent us into the finals against Centennial again. The game was superbly played by both teams. Powerful Centennial was able to win by only one point. The score was 12-11.

#### Scarves discussed

Quintuplets,

Dublin North Accents' fourth meeting took place at Mrs. Hunter's house on Feb. 22.

The group had a roll call for the scarves they practiced through the week and talked about how to care for purses and boots in good or bad

weather. Mrs. Enderwick talked about how a pair of shoes should fit your feet.

Some of the girls were cutting out their patterns, and some of the girls showed Mrs. Hunter what they were doing for their sewing project.



Calvinist Codets Harry and Fred Reinders serve up another plate of hot pancakes at the Cadets Pancake Breakfast at the Christian Reformed Church Saturday

#### Eden Mills

## Travellers return

returned home after being in Charlottetown. attending the annual meeting of, the Shorthorn Association. Joe Lasby and Tim Dunlop are presently enjoying a trip to Houston,

Dr. Dan Stevenson of Kemptville and Dr. Bert Stevenson of Sackville. N.B., have been visitors at the Gilbertson home. The Youth Group enjoyed their first dance in the community hall on Saturday evening.

Presbyterian The Women will meet with United Church Women at their church for the World Day of Prayer service on Friday evening, March 2 at 8 p.m. Whether you belong to these churches or not. please feel free to attend this meeting.

The February birthday party at Eden House Nursing Home was looked after by the Tues-

by Mrs. W. MacDougall day Afternoon Craft Miss Cathy Lasby has Club. Those having birth- for the quilt that has been days shared their cake with the other residents and tea was served. The Friendly Seniors met in their room on

#### Wednesdays with 14 members present. It was Council

notes

Provincial deadline for the submission of the Rockwood Secondary Plan, has been extended to March 15. "Users develop", is

thinking council's regarding finishing off the Rockmosa Park playing fields. Up to date the blasting is done, the area graded, some top soil spread and the parking lot half completed. The and Baseball Soccer will be Associations approached to finish the project, under the direction of the re-activated Playing Field Com-

decided to have the draw donated at the community bazaar to be held in November. On Thursday, a carload of seniors went to the Rockwood Sunshine Club for an afternoon's entertain-

ment.

The February meeting of the United Church Women was held at the home of Mrs. Edith Jennings. Mrs. Anne Cann took the devotions. Plans were made for the Day of Prayer and the March 7 luncheon at the community hall. The hostess was in charge of the social hour.

The Youth Group of the Presbyterlan church is planning a potluck dinner with some residents and the chaplain from the Guelph Correctional Centre, in the near future. The Sacrament of Holy

Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, March 4, at the Presbyterian Church.

placed first in the 50 for March metre butterfly and third by Janet Rowe

March will be a very busy and fun month for students at Acton high. Along with the usual assignments and tests, students will have a chance to have some fun. On Friday the Acton High School Winter Carnival will be on. Also on the following Friday, March lations to the team for the annual Casino night, put on by the Athletic Society, will take

on all the fun! Lost Monday the Acton swim travelled to Lord Elgin High school, to compete against 34 other schools in the Peel-Halton Swim, John Mooney

place. So don't miss out

in the individual medley Miriam Beaton placed third in the 50 metre freestyle and in the 100 metre freestyle. Thatcher placed second in the 50 metre breast stroke and two medley relay teams received fifth in finals. Congratu-

doing so well in the meet. Last Wednesday the junior basketball team travelled to M. Robinson in Burlington. In an overtime game, the Redmen were defeated The Redmen played a great game and season. Congratulations to the team and coach.

Some parents came to

the school to pick up their

out this Friday to every-

one in the school. There

will be parent-teacher

interviews next Monday

afternoon, March 5,

Professional Activity

Day. The parents will be

able to talk to the

teachers about their child

or children. Also the par-

ents will be able to see

the work which the child-

ren do in school. 351 2-30

First banquet is

Report cards will go

#### People's Food Commission is in the final stages of preparing for the local

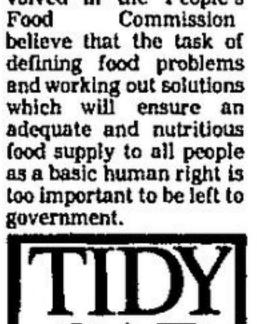
and provide a basis for The Halton-Peel local working group of the bearing.

The hearing will take place all day Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31 at St. Paul's Anglican Church Hall in Norval and will be one of 65 hearings being held across the country by this indepen- Commission. Anyone concerned about problems in any part of the food system will be able to present their views at the hearings which will be free public events.

At their completion, a report will be compiled using the information presented by the people Canada which will indicate the common interests of farmers, industrial workers, and the consumers, impoverished people of the world. The report will specify the paths of action demanded to serve

these common interests

follow-up activities. All this because those involved in the People's Commission Food believe that the task of defining food problems and working out solutions





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children.

which is

by Trevlynn Mason Last Wednesday and Friday, a dental nurse was at our school. She was giving a fluoride application to prevent tooth decay. Some of the pupils were given toothpaste and a tooth brush.

On Monday there was an eclipse of the sun. Eveyone in the school stayed for lunch. No one was allowed to go outside at lunchtime. The morning Kindergarten class brought their lunches too, and they stayed at the school until 1:15 p.m.

### Legion notes

(continued from page B6) The second special

event is the celebration of St. Patrick's day on Saturday, March 17 with a 'Pub Night' at the Branch. This evening is sponsored by our Choraliers. Dancing, entertainment, Irish Stew and favors all are provided for \$4. per head. Find a 'D's and Mar. 31 Camilla Shamrock, a Colleen, a Show Band. shilelagh pick up your tickets at the bar and come on out and try Mrs.

Other entertainment already scheduled for the auditorium is as follows

Murphy's chowder.

Mar. 3-Dolly Varden Revue, Mar. 10-B. J. Mar. 24-Wright, Country 'D's and Mar. 31 Camilla Show band.

The only entertainment already scheduled for the auditorium is as follows Mar. 3 Dolly Varden Revue, Mar. 10, B. J. Wright, Mar. 24 Country The only entertainment

confirmed so far for the lounge is a new Friday-Saturday night deal for Mar. 9 and 10 when the ever popular disc jockey "Corry" will entertain.

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