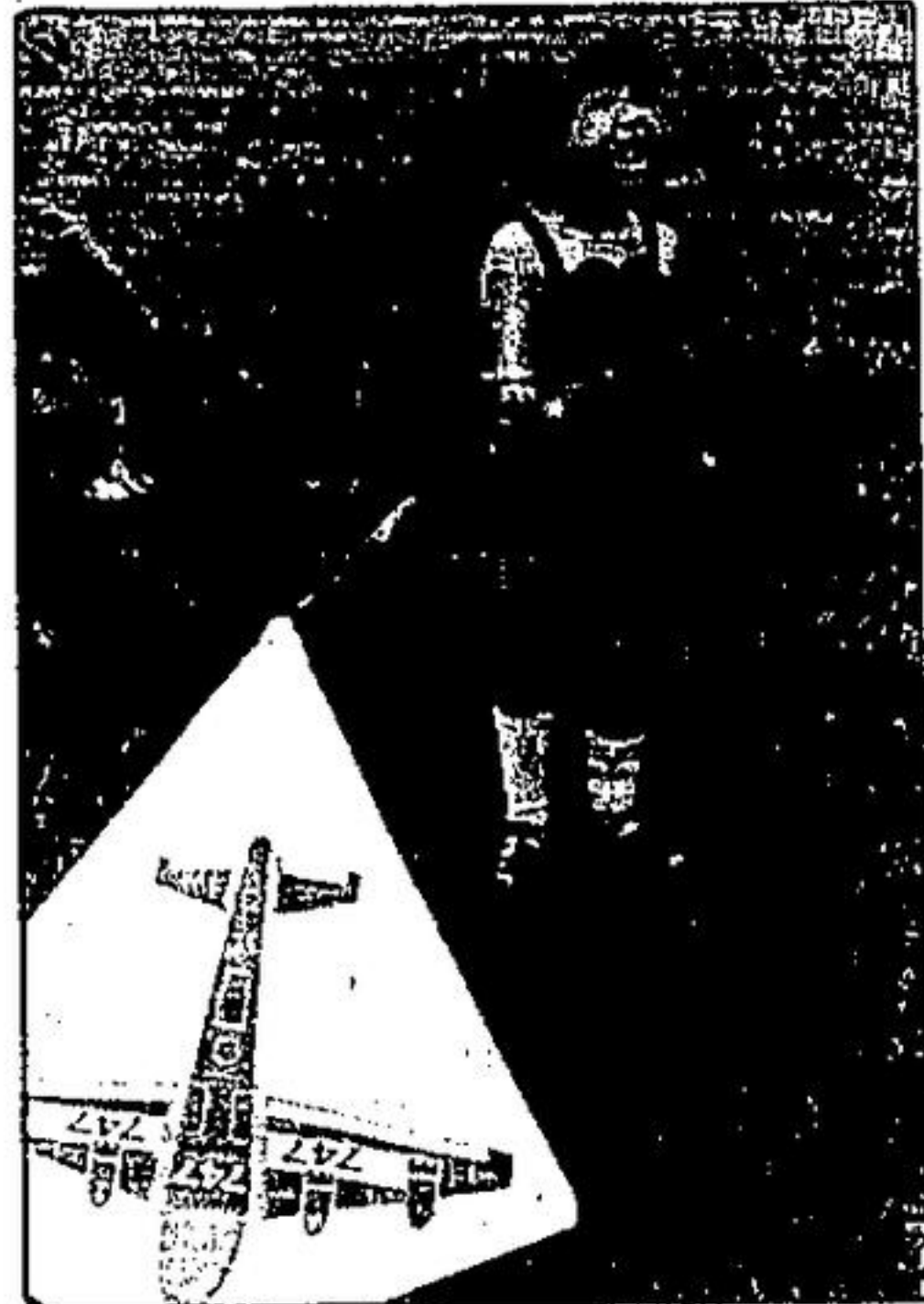


# Can't measure results of sales tax off



Wee Lisa Prunier had trouble getting her kite up in the air Sunday at the Trinity United Church picnic at Blue Springs Scout Reserve.



Steve Dawkins sits at a table for sale at the Old Hide House.

It is difficult to say if the temporary lifting of Ontario Sales Tax on furniture and appliances helped boost the local economy according to merchants. In fact, many consumers were unaware of the provincial government economic measure.

The seven per cent tax was lifted six months ago on items such as fridges, stoves, upholstered items, washers, dryers, etc. The tax will be re-established next Tuesday.

Elma Braida of Acton Home Furnishings said

economy has not worked. She feels if a longer period of time was involved there might be some effect, but six months is not long enough to tell.

Don Dawkins, of the old Hide house says the lift has definitely affected his business. Beds and dining room suites sold the best, especially in the last few weeks. Items eligible for the savings, he said, are being pushed and thus doing well. Because of this it is hard to tell if the booming business is due to the sales tax or the sales they are offering. Any effect the sales tax has had has been this month he said.

Sales of appliances and upholstery items are excellent according to Jake Kulken of Halton Hills Furniture and Appliances.

Kulken noted there was a rush of goods when the taxes was first suspended, and again in April, May and June with the deadline closing in. He also noted though that

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SECOND ACTION-FULFILLED WEEK

1 **CANNIBAL FRENCH**  
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 Wednesday, "The Four Seasons" at 7:15 - 9:15 p.m.

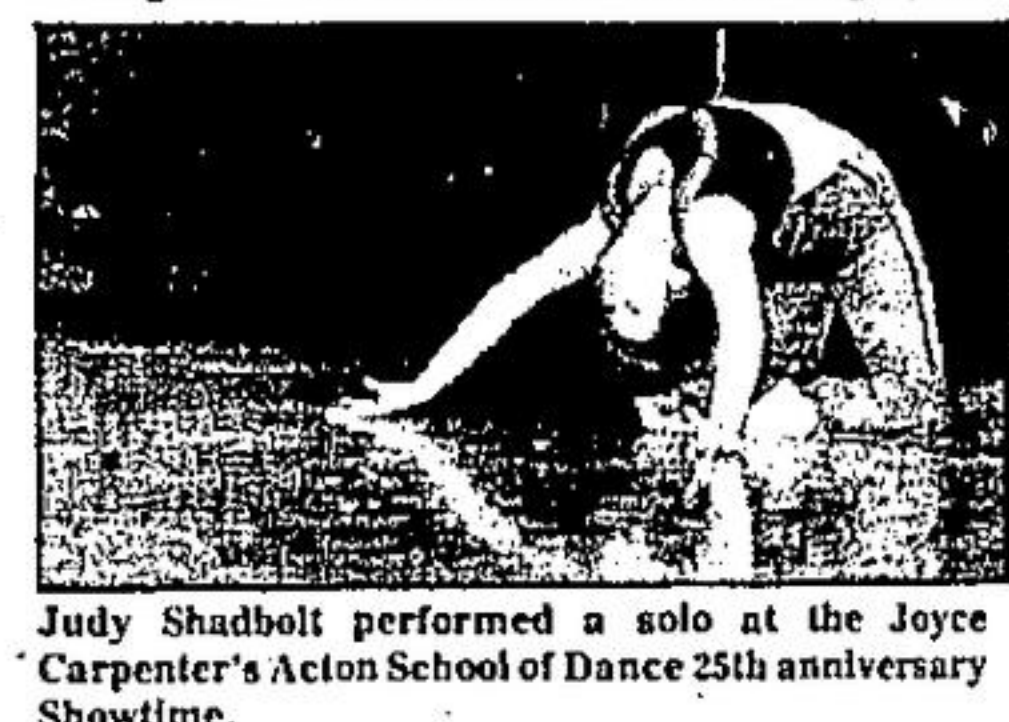
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It was a very emotional scene at Acton High School Saturday night as a grand finale brought Joyce Carpenter's dance era to an end. It was the 25th anniversary of the Acton School of Dance, and the final year Joyce Carpenter will be in charge. Next year L.L. Chalmers will take over. There wasn't a dry eye on the stage as present and former dance students bid farewell. Joyce, centre, back, is flanked by students Vicki Bristow and Judy Shadbolt. Wee Jennifer Koprowski was crying so hard Joyce brought her over to her and held the sobbing child.



Senior students of Joyce Carpenter's Acton School of Dance performed on the weekend, at the Acton High School.



Judy Shadbolt performed a solo at the Joyce Carpenter's Acton School of Dance 25th anniversary Showtime.

**Obituary**  
**Barb Crimless**  
 A well known Acton resident, Barbara A. Crimless died in Guelph June 3 at the age of 49. She had been ill for four months.

Mrs. Crimless leaves to mourn her husband Ed, of 211 Elmore Drive; two daughters Kathy Newman and Colleen Crimless of Acton; son Paul of London and two grandchildren. She was the daughter of Wilfred and Olive Campbell.

Mrs. Crimless attended schools in Guelph and Badenoch and was married in Guelph on July 3, 1954. She was a part-time cashier and a housewife. She moved to Acton seven years ago.

Father Leo Speagle officiated at the funeral held June 6 at the Shoemaker Funeral Home. Interment was at Marymount, Guelph.

Pallbearers were William Hurren, Eric Ebenezer

by Mrs. Ron McLean  
 The annual strawberry social is being held on Friday, from 5:30. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Finley spoke on Mark's story of sowing the seed and the harvest. Don't worry about what will happen to the seed. Wm. Barclay said it would be common to see a sewer, while Jesus was talking to the crowd. Relax while you work at spreading the kingdom of love; the harvest is guaranteed. The seed could either be spread broadcast, or with a bag of seed on the back of a donkey, with a hole in the bag. Some soil would never be able to receive the seed. Some people are too busy. In our development, we go through different stages.

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 26th**

- Main Street (from James to Martin) Closes at 7:00 p.m.
- Gruffin Dance - in the evening - in the street
- Street Open Till Midnight
- Carving Display & Contest
- Artist at Work on the Sidewalk
- Public Display
- Labels Show in the Afternoon
- Free Spectacle along with the usual Friendly Services & Quality you're used to
- FREE carshow at the Rotary
- FREE Showings at the Rotary
- Dancing at Milton
- HRCA Display
- FREE Bus Service
- Boy Scouts - Landing & Hand in the Year of the Disabled
- Street Re-Open at 8:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY, JUNE 27th**

- Barb's Shop (Quart) (throughout the day)
- Art & Craft Displays
- Antiques on Display
- Contests, Games & Booths

**SATURDAY JUNE 27th 12:00 - 12:30 p.m.**  
**THE OFFICIAL FLAG-RAISING CEREMONY OF THE MILTOWNE CENTRE SEMI-MALL**

At the Flagpoles on Main St.  
 Stores on Main St. will close for the ceremony

Mayor Krantz, DBIA President Barney Henderson and a Representative from the Ministry of Housing will be on hand to raise the flags.

**ROAD CLOSED**

Friday, June 26th at 7:00 p.m. to Saturday, June 27th at 8:00 p.m.  
 Main St. from James to Martin  
**PLENTY OF PARKING AVAILABLE IN MARY STREET PARKING LOTS**  
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**Thursday, June 25**

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