

Prancing Georgettes Will March to Their Beat



Drum pupils practice on table tops

**RAT - A - TAT
WILL SOON BE
RUMP - A - TUMP**

Boys with aspirations of beating out the rhythm on a drum for the marching Georgettes majorettes corps started practicing Saturday at Cedarvale Community Centre on practice pads and table tops. Instructor Roy Cock hopes the drum corps will soon find a sponsor to help purchase drums. Eighteen boys have signed with the drum corps which was started by Mrs. Clara Brandt who also organized the Georgettes.

"WEAPON OF DEATH"

Rud Whiting, M.P. Aims at Supercars

Halton's member of parliament, Rud Whiting, has urged the government to limit the power of automobile engines.

Whiting drew applause from other MPs during a debate this week on a government bill to establish motor vehicle standards when he said "Canada can show leadership in the field of automotive safety in establishing international automotive standards."

PROMOTING SUPERCARS

He said the car manufacturers were promoting the sale of supercars, which were sometimes called the motorized missiles. These super-powered cars represented 50 per cent larger accident losses than other motor vehicles. They were not conducive to moderate driving and were powered above the needs of the prudent, defensive driver and above the traffic capacity of most roads.

"The driving public must be educated to realize that the vehicle he drives can be one of two things. In the hands of a responsible person, a car can be a highly efficient and most pleasant means of transportation. In a split second it can become a weapon of death and destruction. The final choice still remains with the driver," Mr. Whiting stressed.

SHOULD BE LEADERS

He said his riding was traversed by two of the busiest highways in Canada and hardly a day passed that someone was not brought into the hospitals because of a traffic accident. He noted that the Ford Company had produced a special safety



RUD WHITING, M. P.

package in 1956 but public apathy to it was such it was withdrawn the following year.

Doctors, of all people, should be concerned with highway safety but statistics showed that only 15 per cent of driving doctors used their seat belts. Doctors talked a great deal about preventive medicine and they should be leaders in preventing accidents.

He suggested that to overcome this apathy, the federal government should incorporate into its highway safety program some means of arousing public opinion and feeling. It should be stressed that any safety device incorporated in a vehicle was put there for the benefit of the occupants. While a lot of public concern was expressed about motor vehicle safety, there seemed to be little of public concern.

THE MAIL BAG

This Terra Cotta Wants Village 'As Is'

Terra Cotta

Dear Sir:
Re T. R. Zilio's mail bag letter two weeks ago. Well, Mr. Zilio, I am one of the people that are in favour of leaving Terra Cotta as is.

I was born here 53 years ago, raised here, raised my five children here, three of them still residents, and still like to see it the way it is. It reminds me how lucky I am to be one of the ones to live in Terra Cotta.

I will agree with Mr. Zilio that it is hard to get to the store at times for parked cars. As for the petition, the people who signed it like our village the way it is. So do I. As for the Old Forge, it has not bothered anybody any time in the past. I can remember when it was a blacksmith shop where they shod horses. I for one, would like to see it remain as is, not the way you would like it. Maybe we could arrange the highway to go past your place, then you could have your highway, not ours.

The old blacksmith shop is not a shack, as you call it. If you had lived there when it was such you wouldn't call it so. As for city people coming out for a drive, good luck to them. They come here for good clean, fresh air, not to get city air, gas fumes and burnt rubber from super highways that you want going through the village.

Again I say leave it be. I am only one person and what I say may not mean much, but I can say, sorry Mr. Zilio, if you don't get your highway my

— Mrs. C. A. Grant



"Just like chopsticks, it's all in the way you hold them," says instructor Roy Cock.

LIMEHOUSE

Says Home is Centre Not Circumference

The W. I. met at the home of Mrs. A. W. Benton last Thursday evening with eight attending and opening with the Maple Leaf and closing with The Queen. Roll call was answered by "a quality to look for in a leader." Mrs. Noble explained the motto "a woman's home should be the centre of her world not its circumference. Mrs. Roughley, convenor of health, read an article on Convenience Foods. Mrs. Benton read current events, local national and international. The hostess served lunch afterwards.

We regret that Mrs. Kirkpatrick had to return to hospital on Monday for further treatment.

STEWARTTOWN

Many Attend Church Euchre

The men's club of St. John's Church held a successful euchre, Thursday evening, Feb. 5. Prize winners were as follows: Ladies: Mrs. Robert Webster, Mrs. Thomas Warnes, consolation Miss Margo Williams; men: Mrs. Thomas Haines, Mr. Harvey Clare, consolation Mrs. John Dickenson.

Mrs. Reg Williams won the door prize and Mrs. McNeil received a prize for having a birthday nearest to the date.

The turkey luncheon sponsored by the church guild and held in the church basement hall Wednesday, February 4th, was well attended. Another such luncheon is planned for April.

— Mrs. A. Benton

Licences Moving Slowly Long Lineups Predicted

"There's just no way that we can avoid a last minute rush this year," the local Dept. of Transport registrar said. "As of Monday less than twenty per cent had obtained their car plates, and only two weeks to go. Unless there's a drastic shift in business, I hate to think of the line-ups that will develop the last few days. For instance,

yesterday, a normally busy day, only fifty plates were sold." Office hours have been extended from 9.00 right through until 5.30 and Saturdays until 1.00 p.m. The local office is located at 41 Main Street S., next to Armstrong Insurance. This year the first local series is a series of four numbers on a white background, starting at the number L1001. The

antique car dealers in the province vied for some of the early numbers, to match the vintage of their antique cars. A number from as far away as St. Catharines, made the trip to try and match their car's year. Plates have been on sale since December 2nd, and the Department reminds drivers there is going to be no extension of the Saturday, February 28 deadline. So why not drop in and pick up your plates Saturday morning, and save yourself a possible long uncomfortable wait?

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