

The October meeting of the North Trafalgar Community Club was held at the home of Mrs. Jack Miller, with 18 members present. Mrs. Joe Sammit, presented the treasurer's report and Mrs. Bert Leslie reported on the 50th anniversary party which was held at the Hawthorne Golf Club. Life members were asked to make a scrapbook of newspaper clippings pertaining to the club. Mrs. Jack Williamson was appointed Chairman of the New Membership Committee.

Mrs. Anderson May, read an article on Mike Swartz Birthday Party which was very humorous and most enjoyable. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 10, at the home of Mrs. Anderson May with Mrs. T. A. Leslie and Mrs. Ottilie Dowling in charge of the programme.

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Fred Lister who celebrated her birthday on Tuesday, October 26 and to Lorrie Lyn Royce who also celebrated her birthday the same day, and to John Cordingley who will celebrate his birthday on Wednesday, November 1.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. David Duguay who were married on Saturday, October 23, at Hillcrest United Church. Rev. Lynne Adams officiated at the double-ring ceremony. Following the ceremony a reception was held down stairs in the church hall. A dance was held later in the evening at the Masonic Hall, Milton, where everyone enjoyed themselves. The bride is the former Donna Break.

Kevin, Susan and Shelley Jepsen of Georgetown, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hamilton on Sunday, October 24.

The Young People's of Eden United Church held a very successful drive on Saturday, October 23, when dozens of glass bottles were collected to raise money for a needy cause.

A speedy recovery is extended to Mrs. Norman Flemington who has been quite ill following surgery.

The turkey supper held at Hillcrest United Church on Wednesday night, October 20, was a tremendous success with a crowd of 472 people attending from far and wide. The ladies had to go home and get an extra supply of pies and cooked ham.

The 50th Anniversary of the Eden United Church U.C.W. will be celebrated on Sunday morning, October 31, when a luncheon will be served to celebrate this special occasion.  
—Mrs. Jim Hamilton

**No Safety Violation Ruled in Fatal Fall**

Halton County Council will take no action to change construction site safety standards after the death of Stanislaw Bialecki of Toronto in Georgetown on September 24. Bialecki died after falling from the first floor of a house under construction on Dawson Crescent into the basement, striking his head on the concrete floor. Norm Guthrie, construction safety inspector has reported on the death to council's property and office administration committee. He said, "It is my opinion that Mr. Bialecki was the victim of an accidental fall from a height not requiring specific safeguards and under conditions created by his own actions. Guthrie's investigation revealed that Bialecki fell into a stairwell in which the stairs had not been installed. The door on the first floor had been removed by Bialecki to allow him to paint the trim.

John Huss was a Bohemian reformer who was burned at the stake for his religious convictions.

By BILL COATS

It is said that defense is the most difficult feature of contract bridge. Two players who cannot see each other's hands must cooperate to gain the maximum number of tricks. They must picture in their minds just what holding their partner must have in order to defeat the contract. Here is a hand from a rubber bridge match where precise defense set a low level contract. South dealt with East-West vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
S-K10853  
H-97  
D-J1054  
C-A8

**WEST**  
S-A976  
H-A5  
D-Q97  
C-9763

**EAST**  
S-Q2  
H-1062  
D-AK862  
C-KQ4

**SOUTH**  
S-J4  
H-KQJ843  
D-3  
C-J1052

The bidding:  
SOUTH WEST NORTH EAST  
2H PASS PASS PASS  
Opening lead—6 of spades.

**VERY POPULAR**  
South was using the very popular weak two bid. An opening bid of 2 diamonds, hearts or spades shows a six card suit with 6 to 12 high card points mostly in the bid suit. This semi-pre-emptive bid kept East-West from bidding even though they had the most high cards. Now it is up to the defence not to let declarer make his contract as well.

The opening lead was ducked in dummy and East's queen won the trick. Several problems confronted the defense. If trump were not taken out, declarer

could get a club ruff in dummy. If the club ace were not knocked out, declarer can use it as an entry to dummy's spades which could soon be set up. East cannot attack club from his side without costing the defense a trick. The defense must cooperate to a T.

**CUT DOWN**  
East led a trump to cut down on club muffs. West must not take his ace. He must duck to see what declarer does.

After winning the heart, declarer has several plays but the defense can match any of them. If he leads a second trump, West wins and leads a club removing the entry from dummy. If declarer leads a club and continues clubs, East wins and leads a trump to stop the club ruff.

**BEST PLAY**  
The best play by declarer is to lead the spade jack. West wins with the ace and must proceed carefully. The heart ace is cashed and now a club is led. Declarer wins the club in dummy and tries to cash the spade king. However East ruffs and declarer must overruff.

Careful defense will get six tricks on this hand and set the contract one trick. I realize I would have no story to tell if declarer had put up the spade king at trick one.

**WINNERS**  
Last week's winners at the Acton Bridge Club were: 1st. Bill Wandel, Jack Coats. 2nd. Bart Fisher, Harry Arbie. 3rd. Mrs. Kav Coats, Bill Coats.

The Cyclops were a fabled race of giants who had but one eye, placed in the center of the forehead.



**Folk Nite Music Makers**

Folk music and dancing was abundant and varied at a Folk Nite at Georgetown District High School last

Tuesday. In this group of folk music makers are, from left, Kevin Head, Ron Fiddler, Ted White, Gord Fendley,

Mary Karolidis, Iris Clinton, a mystery face which appeared just as the shutter was clicking, and Wally Leipuris.

**More Walkers But Less Money in '71**

The OXFAM Miles for millions walk held in May has provided some-what disappointing monetary returns according to one of its organizers John Nash.

Mr. Nash said this week that so far only about \$50,000 or roughly 60 percent of the amount raised the year before has been collected despite an increasingly urgent need for funds to aid Pakistani refugees in India.

Mr. Nash said the money is still trickling in through Royal Bank collection centres but that Halton-Peel follows the trend in the rest of the country. "The number of walkers hasn't diminished but the amount of money collected has decreased," he said.

**DESPERATE**  
Much of the money collected is being used to aid the Pakistani

refugees and Mr. Nash says the situation in India is "desperate. Much worse than it was before."

The local OXFAM committee's attempt to organize a World Year of Peace for 1972 by inviting the leaders of the world's countries to declare it a year of peace and devote money spent on armaments to peaceful causes hasn't been successful so far, according to Mr. Nash.

**OWN AFFAIRS**  
Mr. Nash said the committee has only dealt with the heads of the major states so far and although they have received acknowledging letters to their request they have received no statement of what if any action will be taken.

"People are concerned about their own affairs, not about the overall picture," said Mr. Nash,

**Georgetown Grad Assists Play Direction**

Big Mama, a black comedy satire on family relations, will be presented by Sheridan students' Play Production Group in December.

Faculty member Ron Martin will direct the play, assisted by Debbie Young, a graduate of Georgetown High School. Dramatic leads will be taken by Heather Ednie, fashion student from Hamilton; Jim Howell of Toronto; Terry Johnston, who acted in school productions as an Oakville student, and has experience with Falgarwood Players; and Cindy Siblock of Oshawa, first year creative art student.

Big Mama was produced off Broadway in 1970. The Sheridan production will be open to the public.

"but we are still hopeful that something will come of the idea."

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