

They showed their struts



ANNA MARIE STONE, of Georgetown took home six trophies Saturday including a second place championship, from the Georgetown Majorettes' baton twirling contest at Acton High School. Anna Marie, 11, is a member of the Bramalea Majorette Corps. The other five trophies are for basic strut, military, modelling, solo and strut.

Baton twirlers came from all over Ontario to compete in the Georgetown Majorettes' first contest Saturday at Acton High School. About 140 trophies were awarded for modelling, strutting, twirling, duets, and championship competitions.

Anna Marie Stone, 11, of Ewing St., Georgetown came home with six trophies, placing second in the championships. Although Anna Marie is a member of the Bramalea

Majorettes Corps, she is the only Georgetown resident who made it to the championships. She also won the basic strut, military, modelling solo and T strut.

Junior and Senior champions were Karen Morton, Guelph, and Laurie Ashley, Guelph.

Members of the Georgetown Majorettes go to section four thirds but no first. Lee Dixon and Shelby Jacobs came second in the duet

competition. Janet Doyle took a third in the first time twirl and a second in the novice solo. Another third went to Kim Marcell for first time twirl in the 11 to 14 year group. In the novice basic strut Diane Westlake took second and Morette Shearer came fifth.

The all-day competition was conducted by Bonnie Dyer, of Guelph, the Georgetown Majorettes' instructor. The trophies were donated by the parents and the Georgetown Opt-Mrs. Club.

The Georgetown Majorettes Corps was started about seven years ago by Claire Brant of

Glen Williams. Classes were held in Holy Cross auditorium every Wednesday night from 8 to 9 p.m.

The group also has a drum and glockenspiel corps but needs new members. Baton twirlers number about 35 girls, aged from five to 15. They participate in parades, competitions, and exhibitions all over Ontario.

Last year Georgetown won the Ontario Dance Twirl Championship and came third in the Canadian Novice Show Corps Championships. This year they hope to enter a military corps championship if they get more members.

This story had happy ending

Covered in burrs from head to tail, a wandering Collie was found less than four miles from his Glen Williams home, Thursday after being missing nine days.

The Williamson family of Confederation Drive, who had almost given up hope of ever finding Tanner, ran an ad and a story in last week's Herald. It seems the dog was frightened by the blasts when the works department ordered ice jams to be blown up during the recent floods along the Credit River. Tanner jumped the fence

leaving only a tuft of his brown and white fur and a grieving family behind.

As soon as the paper was out Wednesday morning, calls started coming in from people who thought they had seen the lost dog. Christine, 10, her brother Kelvin, 12 and their parents followed up all the leads in vain until Thursday morning, when Cliff Cook, a rural Georgetown farmer called to say he had spotted a dog answering Tanner's description on the 17th Sideroad. The dog was seen

following a number of children to the school bus.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Sally Leslie, a neighbor of Cook's, who also spotted the dog, called the Georgetown Animal Clinic, which gave her the Williamson's telephone number. Apparently Tanner was attracted by the dogs in the Alluvial Kennels operated by Mrs. Leslie.

The excited Williamson family thanked the Cooks and Leslies

Xi Delta Beta meet Padre of the Pubs

Kathleen Vickery was the hostess for the February 4 meeting of Xi Delta Beta. After a brief business meeting conducted by the president, Barbara Skinner, Lori Ryan presented a program on "Learning to Live." She introduced Rev. W. Eric Nelson from Trinity United Church in Acton.

Rev. Nelson was formerly known as the "Padre of the Pubs" in Toronto. He gave a very informative talk on his experience in his former posting. He dwelt on human relationships and how he tried to help those people to learn to live by talking to them and listening to their problems.

Later Lori thanked her speaker and, during coffee, gave out small quizzes to the girls, designed to show "How Happy are you?"

The second meeting in February was held at the home of Margaret Tietzel where, during the meeting the group learned of a new Beta Sigma Phi in Georgetown, Marilyn Pickett, who has transferred from the Maritimes. The chapter also received a convention invitation from Battle Creek Michigan.

Chapter president, Barbara Skinner, presented her program titled "Learning to Live Part 2". It included physical fitness, mental zest and serenity of spirit. A very enthusiastic discussion led the group into such topics as bio-feedback, what it takes to stimulate people how to relax and how different people attain satisfaction from life. They learned that some people can be happy reading a book while others must be active doing something.

All agreed that the discussion was very stimulating and helped to understand the psychological needs of others a little better.

The hostess and her co-hostess, Carolyn Stewart, served a reminder of nicer weather to come, strawberry shortcake and coffee.

The February social was held at the home of Mary Ellen and Chris Bridge where the tables were set up for a night of "funding." The members of

Legion Lines

Georgetown hosts Mt. Dennis visitors

By Roma Timpson

We had 24 visitors from Mt. Dennis Legion on Saturday and we can add another terrific day to our ever growing list of "terrific days." They enjoyed cards, darts, dancing in our lounge, a beautiful supper, mini-bingo and dancing upstairs to Bill DeVries and his Country D's.

Joe Poirier looked after the sports and winners' prizes, Jean Reid looked after the roast beef dinner which all thoroughly enjoyed, and the members mingled with the guests. It was a perfect day. They were all high in praise of our lounge and our hospitality and hope to come back again soon. We certainly enjoyed their visit and hope they will be back.

On Friday evening, Fred Bootle entertained on the Hammond Organ and we certainly enjoyed him. The evening started off rather slowly due to the poor weather, but picked up later on and the floor was never empty. Saturday afternoon and evening Fred played again in the lounge and again the floor was packed. The Mt. Dennis girls looked us in the "Slush" and showed us a new one, the "Alley Cat" so we now have two dances that look great when a bunch do it. Come on down on Fridays and join us, won't you?

Friday in the Lounge, Al and Ken will be entertaining, while upstairs all workers at the plowing match will enjoy a get-together planned by the branch in appreciation of the work done. Wives and husbands of workers are also invited.

Saturday March 15 downstairs, Fete Edge will be the disc jockey for the evening. Upstairs, The Blue Chips are playing for all those lucky people who have a ticket for the Imperials Variety-Dance.

Sunday, March 16 is the Imperial monthly meeting put ahead one week. Remember your original fourth Sunday of the month is slated for a Zone meeting and elections in Erin and this enables those interested to attend both. Make an effort to attend this Sunday fellows.

Now read this and weep, men darters, John Beattie, partnered with Ray Rudiger, won three games against Joe Poirier and Bruce McCartney

The chapter brought steaks, seafoods, mushrooms and potatoes to cook in pots of sizzling oil. The salads and wines added just the right flavor to the evening.

The hostess provided a surprise birthday cake for the group's corresponding secretary, Norma Carlisle, who really had an excuse to celebrate. The entertainment for the evening was an old-fashioned singalong accompanied by Frank Tyrrell on the accordion.

Ballinafad news Special speaker

Mrs. Thomas Given was hostess for the Ballinafad Women's Institute. There were nine members and three visitors present. Mrs. Wm. McLean, president, opened the meeting by quoting words of wisdom by Henry Ford.

The regular opening exercises were then repeated by all. It was announced the Achievement Day for the current 4-H Homemaking Clubs would be held at the Milton School for the Deaf on May 24. W.I. members were again asked if they would be willing to canvass their area for the Cancer Society in April.

It was decided that first choice for the senior's training school should be "Needpoint for Beginners." Those present at the meeting were interested to hear that an agricultural museum is to be started in Milton.

The convener for citizenship and world affairs then took over the meeting. Current events were given by Mrs. Jamieson. Mrs. Jesse McEnery gave the motto "A man's feet should be planted in his country, but his eyes should survey the world."

Several two-minute reports were given by convenors. Mrs. Given had some interesting specimens of fruit which she brought from Florida on her recent vacation. They were passed around for all to see.

Mrs. Kirkwood read an interesting poem about the Irish. The highlight of the program was the showing of films by Nick Carter of Georgetown. The pictures were of Ethiopia, Egypt, Spain and countries that his son had taken while serving in the Armed Forces.

Mrs. Given commented on the scenes as they were shown. This was the second occasion for Mr. Carter to visit the branch and he was warmly welcomed and thanked by all. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Jesse McEnery, Mrs. Given, assisted by her sister, Mrs. Carter served a dainty lunch.

The Number One 4-H Homemaking Club, known as the "Pins and Needles" are continuing to learn additional sewing techniques such as putting in a lapped zipper, sewing on a button and button hook and sewing on snap fasteners as they held their fourth meeting in the Ballinafad Community Centre on Thursday evening. Nine members were present.

Miss Julia Eckert and her friends returned home last week after a six-month stay abroad. They visited many countries including Germany,

Switzerland, Holland and the British Isles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wame were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shortill and family. Mrs. Richard Shortill Sr. spent last week visiting relatives in Toronto.

There was a special speaker at the church service on Sunday. It being International Women's Year the sermon was based on "The Church and Women." Mrs. Sheila Stiles, RN, was the speaker. She is the wife of the pastor, Rev. Stiles.

Her talk dealt with the different roles women have had, beginning with characters in Biblical times, such as Ruth and the Marys. Two other women of the congregation took part in the service.

Kathryn Bailley, read the Old Testament Lesson taken from Ruth 1:15 to 22. The New Testament Lesson was read by Mrs. Margaret Jamieson. It was Luke 10: 38 to 42. Miss Nancy Shortill accompanied on the piano as the junior choir sang an anthem. Palm Sunday will be March 23. Holy Communion will be observed and the reception of Members by Transfer, Easter Sunday is March 30.

A good time was had at the community centre on Saturday night. It came about when a few couples decided they would like to have a real old time dance, like the ones they attended in the '30's and '40's. Tickets were sold and all that bought tickets must have attended as the hall was filled to capacity. Howie's Orchestra provided music. The whole affair was so successful another may be held in the not too distant future.

Many visit Pattersons

Visitors with the Pattersons on Sunday, February 23 were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sinclair, Willowdale, Mrs. Elsie Cymbale, Toronto and Mrs. Anne Crossan of Chalk River.

Mrs. Mills is home following a month with Mr. and Mrs. W. Mills, Toronto while Miss Helen Mills holidayed in the Caribbean.

91 years young

Birthday greetings to Mrs. Mills who was 91 on March 10. We hope that she may remain so well and alert.

The new Books of Praise recently dedicated at Limehouse Presbyterian Church were purchased with a donation from Miss Eileen Marshall in memory of her late uncle, Mr. William McDowell.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Randy Banish on the arrival of a little daughter last Thursday.

The Limehouse WI met at the home of Mrs. G. Davies on Thursday evening, opening with the Ode, Collect and a poem, "This Spring", read by president, Mrs. Booth. Roll call was "An important point of view" and the acting president, Mrs. Booth, read current events. As program convener Mrs. Davies chose 4-H clubs as her topic, telling of the setup, projects, etc. of this national organization.

Reports were received on the musicals and Cub activities. Planning was begun for the Father and Son banquet to be held in May. It was regrettably announced that Steve Thompson would be resigning as Akela as of Sept. 1.

At last week's Cub meeting, Gord Douglas, the District Commissioner unexpectedly arrived to present Wood Badge scarves and beads to leaders Steve Thompson and Elaine Hannah. These are awarded after approximately four training sessions in your own district, three weekends of specialized training at Blue Springs Scout Reserve and another three months in your own pack putting into practice what has been learned in the training sessions.

Another new Cub for Limehouse - Jeff Feadley from Glen Williams. Welcome to the Pack.

Economy Form's nuclear station

Economy Forms Corporation of Georgetown has been awarded a contract worth about \$170,000 by Ontario Hydro for formwork and boring equipment to be used in construction of the second nuclear generating station at Pickering.

The equipment comprises steel forms in modular sections that can be bolted together for concrete work at the station. They can be dismantled later for use at other Hydro construction projects. The present contract of equipment that already has been used for similar construction at Hydro's Nanticoke Generating Station on Lake Erie.

The new generating station, known as Pickering B, is a duplicate of Pickering A Generating Station at the same location. The first produced more electricity in 1974 than any other nuclear generating station in the world although it is not the largest in terms of capacity.

A wee bit

Sure'n a little bit of the old blarney 'll be flying March 15, when the Knights of Columbus invite all the Irishmen out to the St. Patrick's Dance at Holy Cross School Auditorium.

The hit of Irish music by the Shaynes will fill the hall. Shamrocks and green and yellow streamers will complete the atmosphere. Tickets are 88 per couple and a late buffet will be served.

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TAKE NOTICE that the Halton Roman Catholic Separate School Board on the 28th day of January, 1975 passed By-Law Number No. 18 to authorize the borrowing of money by the issue and sale of a Debenture of the said Board in the principal amount of \$375,000.00

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