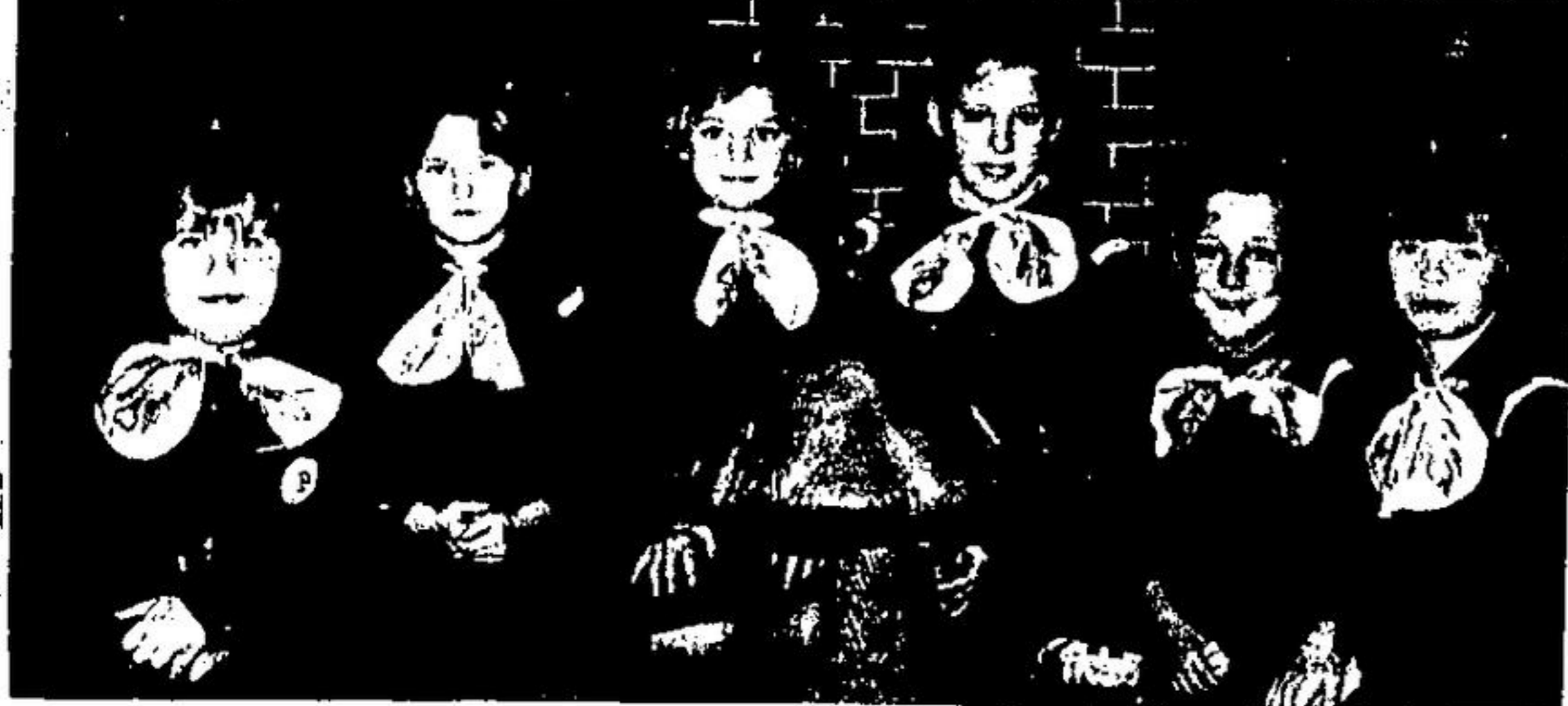




THE NATIVITY SCENE. To begin their Christmas concert the Brownies of the 5th Georgetown East Pack performed the Nativity Scene for their parents. The Three Wise Men were; Susan O'Connor, Carolyn Thomson and



LEADING THE PACK. Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer, played by Brownie Patty Rawson, led the remaining eight reindeer which in turn eventually led to Santa Claus.



SIX BROWNIES ALL IN A ROW. Six Tweenies were enrolled in the 5th Georgetown East Brownie Pack last week. From left to right, gathered around the Toadstool, are Brownies Veronica Latta, Beth Gibbs, Lisa Miodozenc, Leanne Rivers, Darla Gillespie and Kelly Clarke.

Brownies catch Christmas spirit

Six Tweenies were enrolled last Wednesday evening in the 5th Georgetown East Brownie Pack during a special enrollment and Christmas night for the pack.

Those Tweenies enrolled were; Beth Gibbs, Leanne Rivers, Kelly Clarke, Lisa Miodozenc, Veronica Latta and Darla Gillespie. The girls were enrolled by Brownie of the 5th pack, Glna Rowan, and special guest for the evening, District Commissioner Pat Bartkowiak. Badges were also awarded to many Brownies that evening. Those receiving badges were; Janet Banton, puppeteers; Kelly Loughnan, puppeteers; Patty Rawson, puppeteers; Leanne Rivers, puppeteers; Carolyn Thomson, collectors; Susan O'Connor, puppeteers and interpreters and Sandy Yach, collectors and puppeteers.

Two special Christmas plays were presented by the Brownies, much to the delight of the many parents attending. The Nativity Scene was presented by Janet Banton as

Doreen LaRose heads Ballinafad UCW exec.

By Winfred Smith

The annual Christmas party of the Ballinafad UCW was held Tuesday evening of last week. Members and their husbands met at the church at 7 o'clock. They boarded a bus and went together to Hillsburgh where reservations had been made at the Welcome Inn restaurant for the 20 or so couples.

A delicious meal was served in the lovely new dining room which was given an added touch with the lighted Christmas tree in the corner and other decorations to mark the festive season.

After a very pleasant hour or so spent leisurely over the dinner table, the group returned to the church basement. A short business session was held by the members. A program followed with the men's choir leading in a singing of the best liked Christmas carols.

Mrs. Jamieson and Mrs. Laws gave readings appropriate for the Christmas season. For more entertainment a screen was set up and slides of Great Britain were shown. They had been taken by Mrs. F. J. Shortill during a trip there last August. Mrs. Shortill commented on the pictures which were thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The slate of officers for 1976 were elected. They include; past president, Eileen McEnery; president, Doreen LaRose, vice-president, Willa Shortill; treasurer, Ruby Pinkerton; secretary, Eileen McEnery; stewardship, Grace McEnery; citizenship, Helga Schwarz; literature, Gloria Johnson, friendship, Ruth Shortill, visiting, Joyce Clarke; christian education, Jill Jesson.

Social Alma Sinclair; Evaline Snow, Viola Shortill, program, Joyce Clarke, Mary Black, Gloria Johnson; supply, Helga Schwarz, Mary Lawr, Edna Shortill; flowers, Marg Jamieson; nominating committee, Evaline Snow, Edna Shortill, auditors, Marlene Burnett, Mary Black. Church service was a bit different on Sunday when Family Day was observed. There wasn't Sunday school as the children and young people took part in the service. The musical prelude "The Carols of Christmas" was played by the organist.

Rev. Stiles opened the service with scriptures and prayer. The children then took part with legends and customs of Christmas. Gayle Jesson on "Christmas Roses", Georgina Norman on the "Christmas Tree" and the story of "Christmas Cards" by Christine Quackenbush. These were followed by the "Bells" given by Paul LaRose and the "Wreath" by Susanne Lewis. Lori Quackenbush gave the children's story of "The Extra

Hugh Patterson receives award

Hugh Patterson, the town's purchasing agent, was presented with a diploma Monday night by Mayor Tom Hill marking Mr. Patterson's successful completion of a special course held by the Association of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers.

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Lions draw

Three Georgetown residents will have a merrier Christmas thanks to the Georgetown's Lions Club weekly lottery draw. James Jack, Ann Subject and Brian Worth all from Georgetown held lucky tickets as did Lyle and Brian Croxford both of Dundalk.

Drive-in hearings cont'd from page 1.

The last witness of the afternoon was Mrs. M. Billes called by Solicitor Dick Howitt. Mrs. Billes lives in Mississauga adjacent to the drive-in on Highway 5. She pointed out problems of horn blowing, litter, and immoral conduct. Mrs. Billes owns horses and testified that the amount of litter she has seen in the area immediately surrounding the drive-in while out riding. Mrs. Billes purchased a 100-acre farm north of the drive-in and was able to get out of the contract at the last moment when she heard of the proposed drive-in. "I just couldn't live next door to a drive-in," she said.

The hearings continued Wednesday with the morning sessions beginning with the testimony of Thomas Chudleigh called by Solicitor Howitt. Mr. Chudleigh's testimony centred on his experience as a farmer in particular on orchard growth. In his opinion an orchard such as the one proposed by Mr. Allen would be a "catastrophe". The first four years of an orchard calls for a good deal of expertise and expense" warned Mr. Chudleigh.

Next to testify was Gary Mitchell called by Solicitor Dick Howitt. Mr. Mitchell testified as to his experiences as a patron of drive-ins. He pointed out that "horns blow if the film breaks" and there are broken beer bottles and liquor bottles." Mr. Howitt entered two photos as exhibits taken last year with Mr. Mitchell present showing litter that was on the road leading into an area drive-in.

Solicitor Howitt then called Mr. James McCarthy and Mr. Gordon Kidd the two clients he is representing. Mr. McCarthy cited his experience as a farmer, a beef raiser, and an orchard operator. He related some of the problems he has had with broken bottles and vandalism on his 474 acres of land. He felt that "people would lose the farm community spirit if the drive-in goes through."

Mr. Kidd in his testimony cited the number of homes on the concessions in the area some 28 in all by actual count. He gave his objections to the drive-in as a "threat to the lifestyle we anticipated having. We believed the area to be a stable farm community," he said. Mr. Kidd was the last witness for the afternoon. The remainder of the testimony came from private individuals wishing to be heard.

community."

Mrs. Doris McNabb, Seventh Line, a member of the Women's Institute said she felt her opinions were the same as other Institute members. "I object on four points: The moral issue, the land use, the litter and the increased traffic."

Mr. John Griffin RR1 Hornby, the minister of Hornby United Church stated, "I speak for myself and not the church. In my background I have seen what happens when youths are exposed to the seamy effects of urban life. I am concerned as to the kind of people that would see these films and the affect it would have on the children in the area."

Mr. Griffin provided the final testimony for the ratepayers and the hearing proceeded with a summary by all counsels.

In his final summation solicitor Hyde reviewed the testimony of the various witnesses centering his argument around the point that the Official Plan contemplates an amendment for a drive-in. He felt that the objection was a question of location and that, by amending this particular site, it would stop further speculation by other developers.

In his final statement he said, "that compatibility with rural areas could apply to any site in Esqueving."

In his summary, solicitor Ray Steele pointed out that there is, at present, a holding bylaw on the subject lands. The land in question, he said, could be taken out of agricultural production not temporarily but permanently.

"There has still not been a site plan offered to the town but a proposed site plan," he said. He felt that Mr. Allen's reasons were "inhibitive" for choosing this site.

Solicitor Howitt directed his summary to two points: "The policy of Esqueving Official Plan is to preserve prime agricultural land designated rural and agricultural." His second point was "that the inherent characteristics of a drive-in makes the proposal objectionable."

In his final summary Mr. Howitt stated that Mr. Allen made no effort to examine local bylaws or to look at the Official Plan, and only after the transaction was completed did he then retain a planner and a traffic consultant and it was at this time that the orchard scheme was created.

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GEORGETOWN MARKET PLACE

Local group wins national award

K.D. Krone and Associates of Hamilton which presents the Dale Carnegie Course in Georgetown received the highest award for achievement at the Dale Carnegie International Convention in San Diego, California earlier this month.

The award is presented to the group earning points in various categories including enrollment highest percentage of graduates etc. The representatives of K.D. Krone were presented with a special trophy by Mrs. Dorothy Carnegie.

In an interview Teresa Holland, local Dale Carnegie representative told the Herald, "More than 2,500 people enrolled in Carnegie courses in our region; the highest enrollment in North America. "We are proud of our graduation rate as well," she said. More than 90 percent of the people enrolling successfully complete the course.

As a public service the Dale Carnegie Course is being offered again in Halton Hills under the sponsorship of the Herald. For more information call the Herald at 877-2201.

The Corporation of the Town of Halton Hills
BY-LAW NO. 75 - 99

A by-law to stop up and convey to the abutting owners Saxton Street and part of Edward Street in the Town of Halton Hills, in the Regional Municipality of Halton (formerly in the Village of Limehouse and Township of Esqueving)

WHEREAS Council for this Corporation proposes to stop up and close the street known as Saxton Street in the Town of Halton Hills, (formerly in the Village of Limehouse) which said street is shown on the plan of survey prepared by Carr and Westwood of part of the West half of Lot 22, Concession 6 for the former Township of Esqueving a copy of which is annexed as Schedule "A" to this by-law;

AND WHEREAS Council for this Corporation proposes to stop up and close part of Edward Street in the Town of Halton Hills, (formerly in the Village of Limehouse) which said parcel of land is shown outlined in red on the above mentioned plan of survey, a copy of which is annexed as Schedule "A" to this by-law;

AND WHEREAS Council for this Corporation has instructed the Clerk Administrator to publish notice of Council's intention to stop up, close and survey the said Saxton Street and part of Edward Street to the abutting owners in accordance with the provisions of The Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1970, c. 284 as amended;

NOW, THEREFORE, COUNCIL FOR THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF HALTON HILLS ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- That street in the Town of Halton Hills (formerly in the Village of Limehouse) known as Saxton Street shown on the copy of the plan of survey annexed as Schedule "A" to this by-law be and the same is hereby closed and stopped up.
- That part of Edward Street in the Town of Halton Hills, (formerly in the Village of Limehouse) lying northeasterly of the production of the northeasterly limit of Elizabeth Street, as shown on the copy of the plan of survey attached as Schedule "A" to this by-law, be and same is hereby closed and stopped up.
- Notice of the intention of Council for this Corporation to pass this by-law is to be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Georgetown Herald, the Independent, the Milton Champion and in the Acton Free Press and Council for this Corporation shall hear any objections to the proposed closing and conveying of the said Saxton Street and part of Edward Street to the abutting owners at its regular meeting on the 5th day of January, 1976 or so soon thereafter as is possible, and if there are no valid objections to the proposed closings at such meeting, Council shall give this by-law a third and final reading.

BY-LAW read a first and second time, this 17th day of NOVEMBER 1975

THOS. J. HILL
MAYOR

G.D. PRITCHARD
CLERK ADMINISTRATOR

PLAN OF SURVEY OF PART OF W1/2 LOT 22, CON. 6 TOWNSHIP OF ESQUEVING (MORE PARTICULARLY KNOWN AS LOTS 11 TO 15 INCL. ON G.B. ABBEY'S UNREG. PLAN OF THE VILLAGE OF LIMEHOUSE) COUNTY OF HALTON SCALE 1" = 50'

NOTE - MEASUREMENTS DERIVED FROM PLAN ARE REFERRED TO AS PLAN OF SURVEY BY G.D. PRITCHARD G.D. BAKER JAN 21, 1942 50' x 24" (1:125) FROM BARS PLANTED SHOW TRUE

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