



IF THE AUDIENCE has half as good a time as the members of the Georgetown Choral Society were having rehearsing Monday night for their up-coming concerts, the show is going to be a great one! The choral society, under the direction of their lively conductor, Dale Wood, will be presenting special concerts this Sunday and Monday evening at Knox Presbyterian Church. Some tickets are still available.

Post no bills

The town of Halton Hills will not allow advertisers to post signs on town-owned equipment or property. Ice-resurfacing machines for example, decided the general administration committee, May 10.

Facilities superintendent Pat Sheehan recounted problems Brampton had with advertisers over the issue of sign maintenance, such as re-lettering.

"Making three or four hundred bucks a year isn't worth it," Sheehan concluded. "The scoreboard is optional," commented Councillor George Malby, "because it's functional."

Special pickup

If you've got big bulky items in your garage, basement or attic and you want to get rid of them, June 3 is the date to do it. The works committee

decided upon Monday night to have an extra garbage truck, capable of handling bulky loads, follow the regular garbage trucks on that date.

Town pays \$400 to Ballinafad hall

A \$400 grant from the town of Halton Hills will help cover the costs of operating the Ballinafad Community Centre.

"It's good public relations," said Councillor Roy Booth. Residents of North Halton, Ballinafad and lower Erin

Township use this hall for YMCA-sponsored activities, social functions and club meetings.

A request for financial support was made to Erin Township by John Loughnan, chairman of the Ballinafad Hall Board.

The Roving Rostrum

The purchase of a \$400 portable sound system, by the recreation department, was authorized by the general administration committee, Monday night.

The 'Roving Rostrum' from Superior Communications was chosen by recreation depart-

ment staff after different models were previewed. This solid state system weighs in at 22 pounds, and can be used indoors or outside. It comes complete with a 15-foot cord, runs on 12 batteries and includes a podium.

This unit will be used as a

Lower limit on Hwy. 25

The works committee will recommend to council that approximately 500 feet of a 45

mile per hour speed zone on Highway 25, south of Acton, be changed to a 30 mph zone.

After a letter from the ministry of transport and communication advising of the recommended change had been tabled at Monday evening's meeting and much discussion to determine the exact meaning of the letter, Councillor Joe Hurst told the committee that many drivers on the road, which he travels daily, ignore all the speed limit signs even when north of Kingham Road where the zone changes from 30 to 45 mph, when travelling south.



VARIETY NIGHT rehearsals were held last Tuesday night by the Georgetown 5th Girl Guide Company in preparation for their show tomorrow night in Centennial School. Proceeds of the silver collection which will be taken at the show will go to the Muscular Dystrophy Fund. (Top) Performing a



number of numbers on their recorders will be (from left) Sandra Lovegrove, Karen Kennedy, Ardena Brands and Susan Murray. (Bottom) Indicating just what sort of variety the show will offer, these young ladies—yes, they're all young ladies—await their turn in the various skits presented. Show time 7:30

News from Ballinafad

Mrs. Richard Shortill senior was hostess for the May meeting of the Women's Institute. There was an almost perfect attendance with 15 members and one visitor present. The new president, Mrs. Jamieson, opened with an inspiring poem. The rollcall was interesting as family traditions were given and mothers' pictures were passed around.

Mrs. Jamieson commented on the Manor party and thanked all for their co-operation and help.

After discussion, a committee was chosen to plan a bus trip.

Since "Mother" was the theme of the meeting, Mrs. Smith, the convenor, gave a reading entitled "Mother, the influential strength of the nation." She also called upon Mrs. Given for the motto, and several two-minute reports were given.

The most enjoyable part of the program was the music. Mrs. Lillie Given sang three beautiful solos in honour of "Mother". She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. McEnery.

Before the meeting adjourned, Mrs. McLean, captain of the local canvassers for the Canadian Cancer Society, announced that Ballinafad W.I. had collected \$700. from the area.

Mrs. Given, in her usual fine style, was auctioneer for the sale of plants and bulbs. Profits are to be used for welfare.

Mrs. Slessorates and Mrs. Jamieson assisted the hostess with the serving of a tasty lunch.

Mrs. W. Barkley of Calgary, Alberta, and Mrs. Bess Scott of Namino, British Columbia, daughters of Rose Campbell, a former resident of Ballinafad, are here visiting the Campbell cousins and other relatives.

Thirty neighbours and friends of Susan Jamieson, a bride-to-be this month, attended a miscellaneous shower

for her Friday night, at the home of Mrs. E. Enery. Mrs. Alma Sinclair and Mrs. Eveline Snow assisted the hostess in arranging the party. The bride received some lovely gifts including several place settings of her china dinnerware and other pieces to match her set.

The young bride-to-be expressed pleasure when receiving all the lovely gifts and thanked all present. School chums of Susan's

helped with the serving of a delicious lunch and a social time followed.

Mrs. Jess McEnery was our delegate to the officers' conference of the F.W.I.O. held at the University of Waterloo, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

The last dance of the spring season was held on Saturday evening at the Community Centre. There was not a large crowd, but everyone had a



GERRY LANDSBOUGH, Herald columnist and published poet, held a creative writing seminar at the library on the evening of May 3. Gerry emphasized that the feelings conveyed through a poem are more important than grammatical structure. The wide variety in style and subject matter of her own poetry served to illustrate how words can be used simply yet dramatically to make a point.

good time.

Achievement Day for "A Touch of Stitchery" was held on Saturday at the E.C. Drury School in Milton. Ballinafad 1 put on an exhibit entitled, "Designing an Embroidered Article". The commentators were Karen Bates and Shelley Wilson. Ballinafad group 2 put on a skit called "New Ideas in Embroidery."

Those receiving County Honours from Ballinafad group 2 were: Jackie Koperdraad, Lydia Koperdraad, and Karen Kirkwood. Lynda O'Connor from Ballinafad group 1 received advanced honours.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller from Agincourt were visitors at the Marshall home on Sunday.

For Last Week

On Sunday, May 2, Anniversary Services were observed in the United Church. There was a fairly good attendance although several empty seats were noted in the centre front of the church. Beautiful baskets of spring flowers and other blooming plants graced the front of the sanctuary.

Special music included the beautiful anthem by the men's choir and the anthem "Let There Be Peace" by the junior choir. Prior to the sermon there was a dedication service when Mr. Stiles announced that four new hymn books had been received in memory of the late Mrs. Vera

Reid. They were the gifts of Mr. and Mrs. F. Patullo of Hillsburgh who were friends of the late Dr. and Mrs. Reid. The Patullos were present at the service and guests for the day with the Jamieson family.

The guest speaker was then introduced by Mr. Stiles. Rev. Hilda Johnson, a former missionary teacher to India told of her many experiences during her long stay there. She is now the minister of visitation at St. Paul's United Church in Brampton.

Following the service a congregational luncheon was served downstairs. A good time of fellowship was enjoyed.

Mrs. Ada Kirkwood and Mrs. F. Smith accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall to Erin on Wednesday evening. They were among the many friends and relatives who gathered at the Legion Hall to honour a popular couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Letich, who were celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

Members of the WI have completed the canvas for the Canadian Cancer Society and were pleased with the response they received from residents in the area.

Mrs. Jesse McEnery entertained for her husband on Wednesday evening of last week. The occasion was his

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Myrna graduated from the College of Family and Consumer Studies at the University of Guelph. She majored in Consumer Studies and has been a part of the Consumer Services Department since 1973. Myrna is a member of the Canadian Home Economics Association and is looking forward to learning the game of tennis this summer.

Nancy has been associated with Union Gas Consumer Services Department for 14 years. Her interests include Gourmet cooking, Civic affairs, art, music & sports. She is President of the Women's Advertising and Sales club of Hamilton and serves on various other committees in the public interest.

Diane has been a part of the Consumer Service team for 18 months and a member of the "Home Economist in Business". She graduated from Centennial College of Agricultural Technology with a diploma in Home Economics. Her interests vary from skiing to fashion designing. Learning to sail is her summer ambition as she is keenly interested in all kinds of sports and crafts.

The Consumer Services Representatives at Union Gas will be conducting a Consumer Information Clinic. This clinic has been established to supply you, the Consumer, with up-to-date consumer information. Topics available for discussion will cover areas such as:
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