

# Community

## Capperauld ok'd as guest speaker

By ROMA TIMPSON

Well, if you want the best you go after it and we wanted Dave Capperauld for our guest speaker for our Remembrance Dinner, and I am happy to say Dave has agreed to be at our dinner. This will be Nov. 10 with our parade to follow on Sunday Nov. 11. A very important weekend in the life of Legionaires. There were many very good stories in the week-end Star and the Canadian Magazine of the Star relating stories of many of our Canadian men and women veterans. I hope you read some of them.

We spent a couple of very pleasant hours in our lounge last Saturday and enjoyed the musical offerings of DJ Boots Hurren. Happy birthday greetings to happy Harold Budman on the occasion of his (29th) birthday (again). Belated greetings to Lynda Wright and Happy 9th Anniversary to two nice people - Joan and Jim



### Legion Lines

By Roma Timpson

Lowrie and to all others celebrating their special day. The lounge is a nice place to celebrate and very relaxing.

Are you all set for our Car Club Draw this Friday. This is another "really big" evening, a fun night and a chance to socialize with friends. Good luck to all ticket holders. Check with Bob Burns if you haven't paid up or do not have your ticket as yet.

#### LADIES AUXILIARY

And speaking of tickets... would all the Ladies Auxiliary who still have tickets for the birthday supper, please get in touch with Anne Nicholson

877-6305 or Liz McNeilly 877-4991 so they will know how many are attending the supper. Last chance to obtain a ticket if you wish to go.

Happy nights ahead with the Legion Mixed Bowling beginning this Wednesday at 7 p.m. and the Men's Industrial Darts that begin this Wednesday at 8 p.m. I hope you are on either team 'cause if not you are missing out on a good evening's enjoyment. Call Jean Reid 877-2535 or Marion Carney 877-3534 for bowling and Joe Poirier 877-3534 for men's darts.

Ladies Darts and Men's Crib will begin next Monday evening and they are 2 more popular evenings. Remember these phone numbers if you want to be part of either league. 877-2535 Jean Reid, 877-4805 Rita Rudiger for ladies darts and Joe Poirier 877-3534 for crib. Teams and new members wanted for both leagues.

How about shuffleboard and mixed darts. Any information on these leagues, please call. Bingo will begin in a few weeks folks.

Our sympathies go out to two families this week who have had loved ones pass away. To Ken Warman, whose wife Margaret died last week and Dave and Mike we extend our most heartfelt sympathies. Dolly Ferry was one of our long time members and I see by last week's paper that Dolly passed away on Aug. 27th. To Nancy and George we send our sympathies in the loss of a dear Mother.

Another Auxiliary member is on the sick list and that is Jenny Taylor. Jenny is in hospital and we certainly wish her well and hope she is home very soon. Member Ed Shortill is in hospital so I understand and in intensive care. Our very best wishes go to Ed and we hope he is home very soon. To all our member and Auxiliary members that aren't feeling 100 per cent we send along our very best wishes.

Donna Dumper was home on furlough recently and she says hello to all members and friends.

Entertainment for this Friday will be Norm Eyre and on Saturday it will be Russ Somerville. Do plan on being in your lounge.

#### DONATE ITEMS

Our branch were happy to donate \$200.00 to the annual Post Office Fun Day Fastball tournament held in Glen Williams. This \$200, added to the other donations, realized \$1,094.70 which goes to the NIAMR which Branch 128, Royal Canadian Legion support every chance they get. This is one of our favorite endeavours and over the years the Legion has devised many ways and many events to further the support association.

Daphne Rolph has her brother and sister-in-law visiting with them for a few weeks. John and Gladys Seager are from England (London area) and have been to the Legion and enjoyed meeting several of Daphne and Bob's friends. They leave this week for home and we hope they enjoyed their visit and will return again to our town.

Guess the summer is over and I hope you all have had a terrific summer. I know I have and I thank those who have invited me away for the week-end. I truly enjoyed it. Let's all get into the swing of things to come for the fall and winter months. There is a lot going on and we hope you will all participate. To our newer members we want you to come out to our general meetings and to know other members get involved, to offer your help sometimes and be part of your branch, not just a name on our membership list. You'll be glad you did.



CNE WINNER

Donna Stewart, 19, 6th Line, Hornby, grooms her Holstein Friesian before showing it at the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto this week. She has been showing cattle since she was 12-years-old. (Toronto bureau photo)

### Ballinafad news

## Holidays take toll on attendance

By WINIFRED SMITH Herald correspondent

Many of the residents took advantage of the long holiday weekend which was noticeable with the small attendance at the church service on Sunday. Mr. Stiles, in his sermon continued his study of the Prophets. Next Sunday with holidays over Sunday school will commence again.

We are sorry to have to report that Mr. Archie Lawr is a patient in the Georgetown hospital. He suffered a heart attack at his home on Sunday. His family and friends hope he soon recovers to treatment and that his stay will not be too long.

Dick Shortill was released from hospital on Saturday and is convalescing at his home. Mr. Dave Lindsay was taken to Guelph General Hospital

over a week ago suffering with a gall stone attack. He is recovering and resting comfortably in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall had their family home to spend Sunday with them. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brown on the birth of a little son.

This is an exciting time for many of our tiny tots as they anticipate their first day at school, older ones too as they enter College for the first time. Barry Wright has enrolled at the Guelph Agricultural College and Danny Wright will be attending the University of Waterloo. Nancy Shortill will again be attending York University. Congratulations are in order for the newly weds Lisa Woods and Shaun Minshell were united

in marriage on August 25. We extend best wishes to the happy couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McEnery and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sinclair spent the holiday weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Snow at their cottage near Mount Forest.

The Ballinafad young folk with the assistance of parents held a back yard carnival for Muscular Dystrophy on Thursday Aug. 30. It was held in the combined back yards of Foellers, McCutheens and Collins. The Ballinafad children raised \$31.00 for MD. There was a great turn out and participation in all activities such as baseball, throw sponge toss and dart throw and other sports. There was also a junk table and a bake sale.

## Extra crossing guards sought by Halton Hills

The town of Halton Hills has just two openings for adult crossing guards, but they are looking for people to act as reserve guards in case of illness or vacations.

While the town is responsible for hiring crossing guards, each application is processed by the Halton Regional Police force, and the safety officer is responsible for making sure there are no problems.

Cathy Bouskill said that most of the crossing guards from last year will be back this year, with the exception of two, one in Acton and one in Georgetown.

The person who wants to be a crossing guard must be "a capable person with their wits about them," and someone who doesn't panic in an emergency. Mrs. Bouskill said. Many of the crossing guards are housewives, in the 25 to 40 age group, she said, with a few retired people. The greatest proportion of the people involved are women, she said.

The times a crossing guard will be on duty vary from

school to school, Mrs. Bouskill said. Where there are two schools close together with different hours, such as Holy Cross and Howard Wrigglesworth Public School, the guard's hours may be longer, she said. The wages also vary from crossing to crossing.

The crossing guards are given instruction by the police safety officer and the

## Cheltenham offers a home

A "Boat" family is expected to be living in the village of Cheltenham in the near future. Organization started with the Baptist Church, but the community is joining in supporting this venture. Mr. John Lyons, Chairman of the committee, and the pastor, the Rev. Geoffrey Hearn, have signed necessary papers and made arrangements with the immigration officials. Accommoda-

tion has been arranged. Coordinator of food and clothing is Mrs. Jewel Lyons (838-2383) and of furnishings Mrs. Jean Haines (838-2735). Beds, tables, chairs, a kitchen stove, utensils, linens, lamps, small rugs etc. are needed. Donations will be greatly appreciated. Small articles and cash may be left at the General Store in Cheltenham.

### ON THE HOMEFRONT

## Moi, Je ne comprends pas

By SUSAN DE FACENDIS Herald correspondent

While I have no facility for learning foreign languages (indeed, I have more than enough difficulty in dealing with the day-to-day English-Canadian version), I find I am highly susceptible to accents and expressions.

Just one day spent in the company of someone who hails from a plane-hop away and I throw my family into mad confusion. Dual language dictionaries appear from all directions, while the children puzzle over the dilemma of: "Who has mom been spending her time with now?"

My parents, for instance, are presently entertaining visitors from England's green and pleasant fields for the second time this summer. Consequently, long-forgotten British expressions float unbidden to my tongue, causing great amusement within my immediate family while, at the same time, they suspiciously investigate an alien dinner of bubble and squeak.

While at the table, Richard will announce a pay raise from McDonald's (the high school student's version of hamburger-on-a-pycheque heaven), and I will quite unconsciously respond with a: "Bloody marvellous, old chap! Simply super!"

Louisa complains about her permanent lack of a ready cash supply and I catch myself murmuring sympathetically: "Oh, I say, sticky wicket, wot?"

Well, before you can enunciate: "Jolly good, old bean", all of them are running around the house, joyously prefacing every statement with: "Oh, Mum-sey da-h-ling... anyone for cricket?"

On the other hand, we then attend at an Italian family reunion and, within 24 hours, braccetti and ceci nerl make their appearance on our dinner table, while I discover myself playing earth mother with a vengeance.

"Don't-a fight at the table, you kids. It's-a bad for the kidneys!"

"Eat-a your fujoli, Teresa, it make-a you grow big!" "Wip-a the sauce off-a your face, or I break-a your head!"

Yes, I can come up with a nein, a nyet, a non or no-way, at the drop of a foreign acquaintance, while Louisa somehow manages to keep up with an equally steady demand for yen, francs, lira or new pence.

However, I definitely detect an unfortunate tendency on the part of my children to follow in my linguistically mixed-up footsteps.

The last time I grudgingly handed over money to my daughter, she smugly exclaimed while rapidly pocketing the proceeds: "Grazia, mum-sey da-h-ling! It make-a me feel like-a somebody!"



### ENGAGEMENT

Helen M. McCaffrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.B. McCaffrey of Theford Mines, Quebec and James C. Rea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rea of Georgetown, will be united in marriage Sept. 22, 1978 at the Metropolitan Toronto Police Association Chapel in Willowdale, Ontario.

## Pioneer Girls return to area

Mountainview Baptists Church is once again planning to operate a Pioneer Girls' Group for girls in Grades 1-9. Programs are arranged for the different age groups and are inter-denominational.

The Pioneer Girls which was organized in this church two years ago has been running a successful program during those years. The program helps the girls to grow spiritually through a study of scriptures, form relationships which are helpful toward personal growth and helps the girls to develop relationships with one another. The program planned for this year includes hiking, a camp-out weekend,

and special seasonal programs throughout the year, plus making visits to shut-ins. The girls also learn crafts and songs. We invite all girls who are interested to join us, Tuesday, September 11 at 7 p.m. Further information can be obtained from Mrs. Dorothy Robson at 877-4670.

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## PAST KINSMEN NIGHT

ALL PAST KIN WELCOME

SEPTEMBER 19th

Georgetown Lions Hall - 7:00 p.m.

For More Details Call:

- Rick Earls 877-1393
- Bob Malcolmson 877-2792
- Don Pearson 877-5730
- Brian Markham 877-6091

GEORGETOWN KINSMEN P.O. BOX 24 GEORGETOWN, ONT.



### MEET THE PRESIDENT



John Lightowler

Georgetown Volunteer Ambulance Service president John Lightowler joined the group in 1975. He served as the group's secretary for two years and was elected vice-president earlier this year. When president Peter Marshall was transferred to Ottawa by his company, Mr. Lightowler moved into his job.

The service has approximately 40 members who try to work seven 12-hour shifts in three months. Volunteers interested in joining the service are expected to have their F licence plus a standard first aid certificate. Volunteers do a probationary period working as the third member of a crew until they are familiar enough with the equipment and the situations the service faces to be comfortable without guidance. The uniforms and budget for the service are provided by the Ministry of Health. Although the service is called the Georgetown service its members are drawn from Acton and Brampton as well as Georgetown and the rural areas.

Mr. Lightowler and his wife, Dianne, live on Jocelyn Crescent in Georgetown. Mr. Lightowler came to Canada from Lancashire, England 13 years ago and the couple have been in Georgetown for 10 years. He is a technician with Northern Telecom. Besides his involvement with the service his spare time is taken up with building a cement boat. Mr. Lightowler says.