

## Puppet-maker at meeting

### BANNOCKBURN W.I.

BY EDITH MEDLAND

The February meeting of the Bannockburn Women's Institute was held at the home of Grace McEnery with eight members and one visitor present.

Linda Cairns opened the meeting by reading a poem entitled *Something to Think About*. Roll call, "A sewing project," I'm proud to say, was answered by all ladies.

Gerta Potzel and Linda will be attending the Fergus workshop - we hope to see or hear about their handiwork at our next meeting.

Anne Hollis and Linda attended the spring board meeting at Campbellville's St. David's Church. Young Frankland put in her order for the W.I. rose. She has a beautiful summer garden and I am sure it will do well there.

A 12"x15" banner is to be made, depicting the name of our branch, ready for the District Annual on May 23 at Louville United Church.

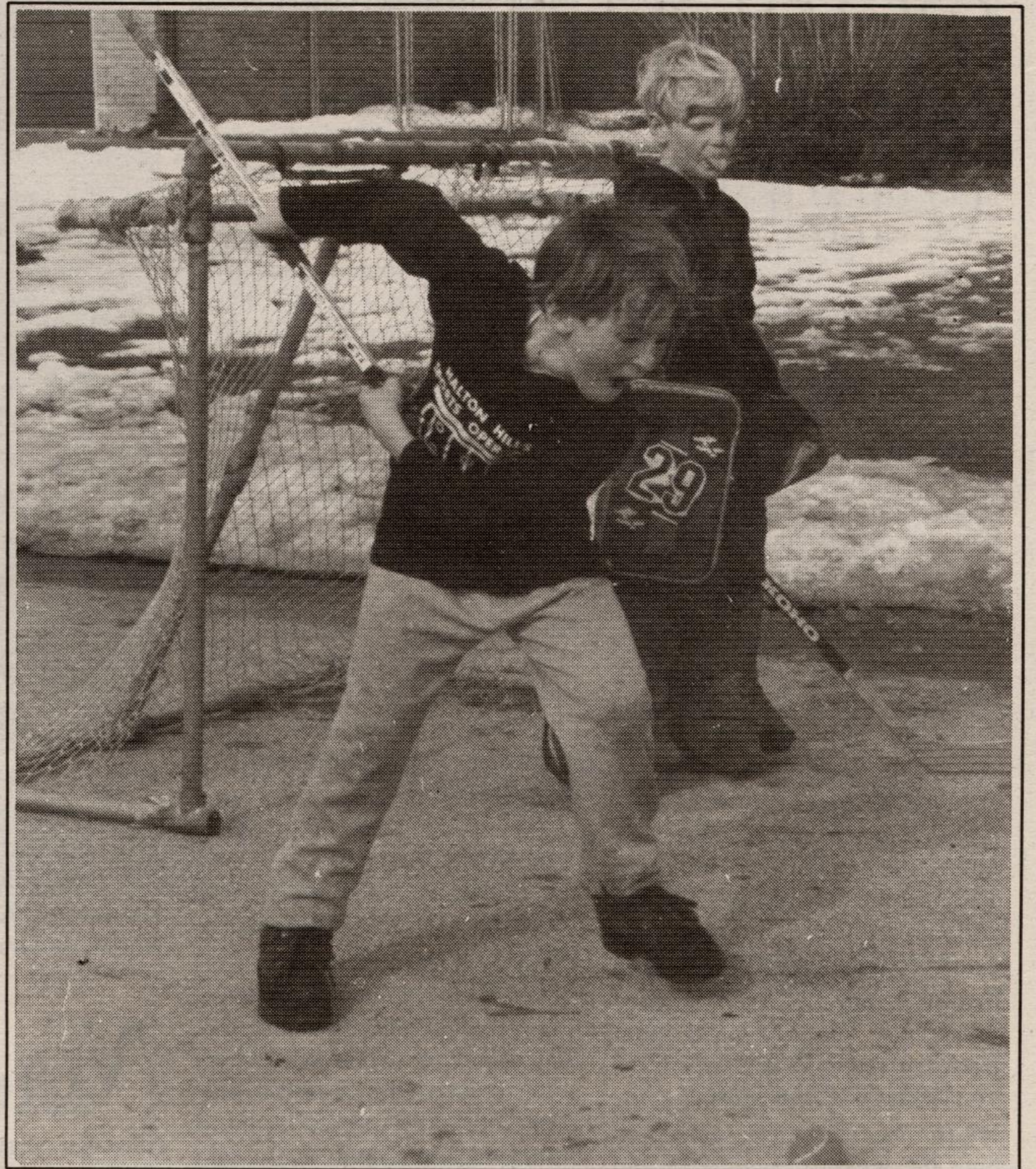
Today's thought was read by Anne entitled *A Beautiful Red Cardinal*.

Our speaker for the evening was Kathy Moddle, maker of the hand puppets for Acton's famous Puppet-

eers. Well, there were puppets here, puppets there and puppets everywhere. Small ones, medium-sized ones and large ones. Kathy made them all from her own patterns. She showed us the different materials she uses, some that glow in the dark.

She did a wonderful job with all of them. The puppet show can be seen on Cable TV in March. Many thanks were expressed to her from all of us. We really enjoyed her presentation.

A delicious dessert was served by Grace. Many thanks were given to Grace for being our hostess.



**TAKING A SHOT:** As warmer weather finally approaches, many young hockey players take their game to the road. Nine-year-old Nick Newby shows great form on Division Street last Thursday as goalie Scott Williams, also 9, looks on. (Karen Wetmore photo)

## Ticket sales have been brisk

### LEGION NEWS

BY MIKE MANUEL  
P.R.O. Branch 197

This Sunday will mark the 65th anniversary of Branch 197, Acton, with the doors opening at 1 pm. With all the

activities laid on, there will be plenty to do and participate in for everyone.

Ticket sales have been brisk with a few still available at the Branch, for only \$5 each. If you haven't picked yours up yet, please do so as

soon as possible.

If you're interested in curling, there will be a fun curling day on March 31. A registration form is on the sports' board for you to sign up.

The Toronto area Royal Canadian Dragoons Association will be holding a mini-reunion at the Branch on April 13. It would be greatly appreciated if as many as possible of our members could get down there and welcome these fellows.

By the way, Kent Tocher will be supplying entertainment during the afternoon and again from 9 pm to 1 am in the evening.

Hope to see you all down on Wright Street.

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Bicycles are not allowed on the sidewalk when being ridden. Bicycles must be travelling on the right side of the road the same as a motor vehicle, and must stop for stop signs and red lights and are subject to the same fines as the driver of a motor vehicle.

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Are you seeking childcare? ASSIC has a childcare registry that attempts to match childcare providers with those who are looking for childcare.

A police check is done on applicants, but ASSIC does not screen providers or inspect their homes. Once providers are registered with ASSIC, their names will be given to those seeking childcare.

ASSIC is currently looking for people to register as childcare providers. If you are interested or would like more information, please call Cathy or Kim at 853-3310.

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