

Would Increase Adoptions

Local Workers Help Campaign On "Catholic Adoption Year"

A "Catholic Adoption Year" Campaign was launched in the Hamilton Diocese recently at a meeting in the Cathedral of Christ the King in Hamilton. This campaign is sponsored by the Ontario Provincial Council, Catholic Women's League of Canada — an organization comprised of 13 Diocesan Councils, in which there are 675 Parish Councils with a membership of over 78,000.

The diocesan campaign meeting discussed plans for inaugurating the project and a workshop for the Regional Chairman and Diocesan Executive was held to acquaint them with the campaign tools and materials (records, slides, pamphlets, posters, publicity kits etc.).

Delegates and guests were welcomed by the Most Rev. Joseph F. Ryan, J.C.D., D.D., Bishop of Hamilton. Among those present were Diocesan Director, Rev. C. L. McColgan of Hamilton; Diocesan President, Mrs. H. A. Lippert of Kitchener; Director of Catholic Charities, Reverend T. P. Bren-

nan of Hamilton; Diocesan Social Action Convener and Hamilton Campaign Chairman, Mrs. H. R. Harper of Hamilton; the Officers, Conveners, Regional Chairmen and Directors of the Diocesan Council; Adoption Campaign Chairman and First Vice-President of the Provincial Council, Mrs. Ward Markle of Toronto; Children's Aid Society Social Worker, Miss Jane McNally of Toronto; also representatives from eight of the nine Children's Aid Societies in the Hamilton Diocese.

Rev. J. J. Murphy, Director of the Holy Rosary Parish Council, Milton and Mrs. R. W. Clarke of Milton, Diocesan Recording Secretary were also in attendance. Director J. Paul Jolliffe, Mrs. Thelma John of Burlington representing the Board of Directors, and Mrs. Joyce Page of Oakville, Adoption Supervisor, attend the meeting on behalf of the Halton Children's Aid Society.

A training record was played for the group after which 96

slides were shown accompanied by an explanatory record.

A question and answer period followed which gave everyone a much greater insight into the field of adoption.

A recent survey conducted by the Children's Aid Society produced in part that there are 1,070 adoptable children on any given day, this is a minimum figure — always increasing — of the number available for adoption. This survey pointed out the need for an all out campaign to provide permanent homes for wards of Children's Aid Societies in the Province of Ontario.

In summarizing the meeting, Bishop Ryan felt the action was in motion to make the project a great success. He asked the Clergy to give their wholehearted co-operation and also quoted: "In necessary things unity — in doubtful things liberty — in all things charity."

The campaign will be one of systematic instruction, conducted over a 12-month period. For the purpose of outlining the program and scheduling the Parish meetings, prior meetings will be held on Regional levels of which the Hamilton Diocese is comprised of four regions. The first of these Regional meetings was held on Saturday, March 16, at St. Eugene's Parish Hall in Hamilton with an attendance of 125 ladies. Holy Rosary Parish, Milton was represented by Mrs. R. W. Clarke, Mrs. John Sanford and Mrs. A. W. Surbey.

An "Adoption Sunday" will be declared in each Parish at which time the Pastor will speak on Adoption. All parishioners will be invited to attend a meeting the following week to view the slides and obtain all the information needed for adoption.

The campaign has received the endorsement of the Bishops of Ontario who have named 1963 "Catholic Adoption Year" in the Province.

The Catholic Charities Council of Canada has approved the project and the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies has assured the Catholic Women's League of its wholehearted co-operation.

The plan has received the endorsement of the Prime Minister, Hon. John P. Roberts, and the Minister of Public Welfare, Hon. Louis P. Cecile as a most progressive step towards increasing Catholic adoption homes. William Bury, Director of Child Welfare for the Province, has assigned Miss Laurie Charleson, Adoption Consultant in his Department to assist with the project.

H. H. Dymond, Executive Secretary, Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies and the Local Directors of the 55 Children's Aid Societies in the Province, are lending their support to the Campaign.

Three-Year Drivers' Licences Will Expire on Your Birthday

Ontario's new system of three-year drivers' licences will begin operating at the end of this year, Transport Minister James Auld announced today.

In presenting his department's annual estimates in the provincial Legislature, Mr. Auld said licences under the new system will be timed to expire on the date of the drivers' birthdays.

Asking the Legislature to approve a 1963-64 net budget of \$6,377,000, Mr. Auld said that much of the increase of \$555,000 over the 1962-63 budget — a rise of 9.5 per cent — will be used "to change over and streamline the system for issuing drivers' licences."

The change-over, which will take three years to complete, will involve the use of automated sys-

tems, the minister said. He assured the members this would cause absolutely no reduction in staff as persons replaced by automation would be absorbed into other branches to handle the steadily increasing work loads.

"The advantages of the new system to the individual driver are obvious," Mr. Auld said. "He renews his licence once every three years instead of annually and he will receive his application prior to expiry by mail."

More Benefits

The experience gained in this change over may also have further benefits, Mr. Auld said. "The department," he said, "is continuing to study the feasibility of applying a somewhat similar procedure to the issuance of vehicle permits and licence plates."

Lifelong Esqueusing Resident Alexander I. Lawson, 89, Dies

A lifelong and highly esteemed resident of Esqueusing Township, Alexander I. Lawson passed away on March 11, 1963 in Milton District Hospital after a short illness.

The late Alexander Lawson was born at Lot 1, Concession 5 of Esqueusing Township, November 2, 1873, and spent his entire life in this community. His wife, the former Mary Ann Scott predeceased him in 1942 and since her death he had made his home with his son David.

Mr. Lawson was the second son of a family of eight children born to William and Annie Lawson. Others in the family surviving him are, one sister Mrs. W. T. Burns (Annie) of Wauregan, Conn., and Norman H. Lawson of Milton.

Also surviving are William Andrew of Windsor, David Alexander of R.R. 5, Milton and Mrs. Russell King (Barbara) of Hornby, and seven grandchildren, Mrs. Ray Hofner (Gene) of Mt. Clemens, Mrs. Ian Gilmore (Ruth) of Port Credit, Mrs. Lawrence Drummond (Betty) of West Hill, Mrs. Robert Moffat (Helen) of R.R. No. 3, Georgetown, Margaret of Guelph General Hospital, and Arthur Lawson, and Leslie King of Hornby, and six great grandchildren.

During his lifetime he was deeply interested in the welfare and

progress of the community and his hobby was growing trees and flowers.

He was a member of St. Paul's United Church, Milton. The funeral was held from MacNab & Son Funeral Chapel with interment in Evergreen Cemetery.

The funeral and burial were conducted by Rev. J. Lorne Graham. The pallbearers were William A. Lawson, Hugh Beatty, Cameron Wilson, Dr. Ian Gilmore, Lawrence Drummond and Robert Moffat.

Hazel Isabel Allen Has Relatives Here

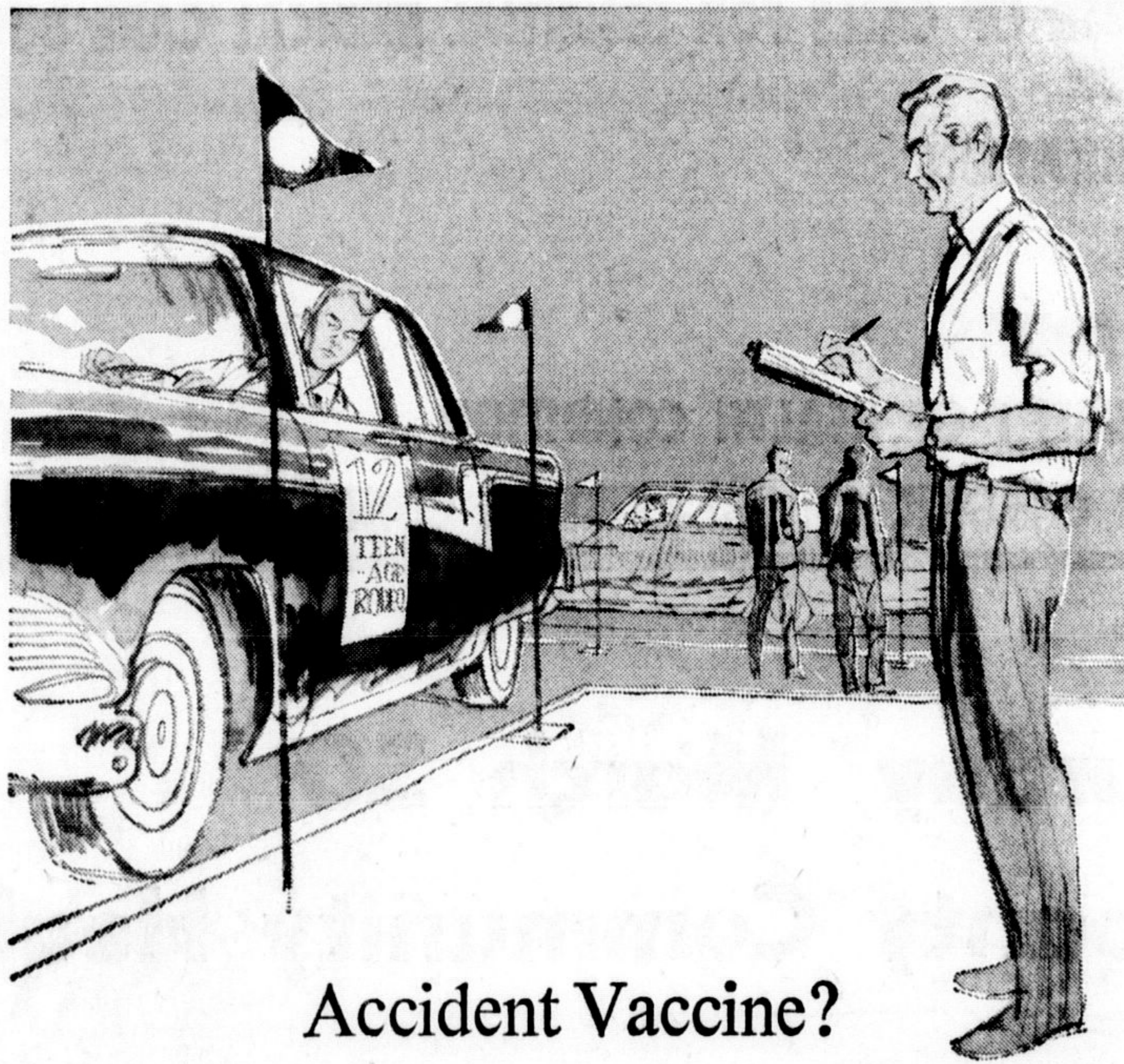
Hazel Isabel Lush, daughter of the late Thomas Foster and Margaret Lush, Huntsville, and widow of Edward Allen, formerly of Winnipeg, died in Hamilton in her 83rd year on March 12, 1963.

Surviving are one sister, (Pearl) Mrs. Henry E. Bewell, one brother Clifford Lush of Vancouver, and several nieces and nephews both locally and in Western Canada.

Mrs. Allen lived in Winnipeg during her married life, then came to the Belmonte Aged People's Home, Toronto, and served as an Assistant Matron and practical nurse, finally making her home there for a short time.

In Toronto, she attended the People's Church, and St. Paul's United Church when she lived and visited relatives in Milton.

Pallbearers were six nephews: Gilbert Wrigglesworth, Vernon Barnes and Gordon Wrigglesworth of Milton, Alvin Lush of Hamilton, Archie MacFarlane of Burlington and Howson Lush of Campbellville. Funeral was from the MacNab & Son Funeral Chapel, Friday, March 15 with Rev. J. Lorne Graham, St. Paul's United Church conducting the service. Interment was in Evergreen Cemetery, Milton.



Accident Vaccine?

WELL, NOT EXACTLY. Ten years ago, polio was a major killer of youth; today, vaccine has made the disease a comparative rarity. But, even when polio was claiming lives by the hundreds, traffic accidents were killing more people under 25 than any other single cause of death—and they still are.

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Ladies Special
March 14 — Ladies' high single, Ede Cryderman, 264; ladies' high triple, Gladys McKersie, 577.
Other good singles: Audrey Mason, 241; Thelma Bousfield, 217.
Audrey took 5 for 26, Thelma took 0 for 14, Gladys took 5 for 7, Donna took 7 for 15, Eynonne took 2 for 16, Joan took 2 for 6.

Halton Jr. Farmers
Mar. 18 — Ladies' high single, Betty Royce, 157; ladies' high triple, Betty Royce, 452. Men's high single, Bill Price, 257; men's high triple, Ron Hayward, 606.
Other good singles: Adrienne Nurse, 147, Ron Hayward, 234.
Other good triples: Lorne Ella, 243.
Ron Hayward took 7 for 51, Al Brownridge took 2 for 44, Bob Ruddell took 5 for 35, Marilyn Wrigglesworth took 0 for 25.

Mr. and Mrs. League
Mar. 18 — Ladies' high single, Thelma Bousfield, 206; ladies' high triple, Mildred Ford, 535. Men's high single, Harry Overend, 238; men's high triple, Dale Brandon, 679.
Other good singles: Ron Featherstone, 205; Ralph Ford, 208; Jack Bousfield, 218; Mildred Ford, 205; Helen Watkins.
Other good triples: Larry Arbic, 643.
Ed took 2 for 11, Hap took 5 for 19, Paul took 4 for 11, Ron took 3 for 15.

48 Alley Rockers
March 11 — Ladies' high single, Janet Mitchell, 248; ladies' high triple, Joyce Henry, 612.
Other good singles: Pat Marshall, 236; June Gould, 227; Ivy McClelland, 223; Lenore Roberts, 219; Joyce Henry, 216; Judy Houston, 216.
Other good triples: Ivy McClelland, 602.
Drifters took 2 for 38, Scuttlebumps took 2 for 37, Four Pins took 5 for 37, King Pins took 5 for 36, Kool Kats took 5 for 35, Hot Shots took 2 for 34, Pin Heads took 3 for 32, Head Pins took 4 for 31.

Holy Rosary
March 14 — Ladies' high single Mary Emmerson, 226; ladies' high triple, Mary Emmerson, 551.

Men's high single, Sergio Zoppas, 304; men's high triple, Sergio Zoppas, 795.
Other good singles: Sergio Zoppas, 304-213-278; Mike Belvedere, 245; Frank Pedulla, 239; Gaston Tielman, 235.
Other good triples: Mike Belvedere, 614.
Ups and Downs took 4½ for 113½, Celtic took 5 for 105, The Totals took 0 for 104, The Rockers took 7 for 100, The Bombers took 2 for 75, Lucky Strikes took 2½ for 73½, The Jetsons took 7 for 72, The Choppers took 0 for 57.

P. L. R. Girls
March 14 — Ladies' high single, Kath Coates, 248; ladies' high triple, Kath Coates, 680.
Other good triples: Lil Kaszycki, 623; Jane Knox, 201; Millie Orr, 600; Dot Patterson, 599.
Lil Kaszycki took 2 for 23, Donna Grenke took 3 for 19, Gerie Mountain took 5 for 17, Kath Coates took 5 for 14, Mary Heipel took 2 for 13, Marie Murray took 4 for 13, Willie Wilson took 3 for 9, Dot Corp took 4 for 4.

Pin Dusters
March 15 — Ladies' high single, Greta Lee, 208; ladies' high triple, Greta Lee, 120-163-208—491; men's high single, Cecil Jacobs, 244; men's high triple, George Bassett 154-176-197—527.
Other good singles: George Hasselheldt, 222; Peggy White, 196; Jim White, 186; John Bassett, 172.
Other good triples: Cecil Jacobs, 493; George Hasselheldt, 519; Peggy White, 485.
Mops took 2 for 79, Brooms took 5 for 12.

Lowville
March 8 — Ladies' high single, Joan Deforest, 250; ladies' high triple, Joan Deforest, 545; men's high single, Garth Carter, 320; men's high triple, Jack King, 747.

Other good singles: Glen Leaming, 230; Mel Davies, 271; John Pegg, 221; Delmar Galbraith, 218; Cecil King, 213; Merv Deforest, 209; Phil Buck, 200; Stu King, 201.
Other good triples: Mel Davies, 65; Garth Carter, 636.
Hot Shots took 5 for 93, Pushers took 2 for 91, Pullers took 2 for 97, Alley Rockets took 5 for 77.
March 15 — Ladies' high single, May Powell, 189; ladies' high triple, Joan Deforest, 503. Men's high single, Jack King, 327; men's high triple, Jack King, 731.
Other good singles: Garth Carter, 247; Mel Davies, 231; Glen Leaming, 226; Bill Deforest, 237; Stu King, 204; Mel Deforest, 200.
Pushers took 7 for 98; Hot Shots took 0 for 93, Alley Rockets took 7 for 84, Pullers took 0 for 77.

Pin Dusters
March 15 — Ladies' high single, Edith Cryderman, 251; ladies' high triple, Audrey Mason, 690. Men's high single, Dean Gray, 315; men's high triple, Dean Gray, 715.

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Other good singles, Frank McKerr, 284; Reg. Thomas, 278; Dermot Gildea, 264; Jack Gould, 257; Audrey Mason, 250; June Gould, 249; Loreen Marsh, 249; Ivy McClelland 245; Kay Shields 242.

Other good triples: Frank McKerr, 706; Reg. Gray, 687; Dermot Gildea, 654; Reg. Thomas, 639; Edith Cryderman, 632; Ivy McClelland, 632.

Dean's took 5 for 100, Stan's took 4 for 96, Jack's took 2 for 90; Len's took 3 for 89, Reg's took 4 for 86, Roy's took 3 for 85.

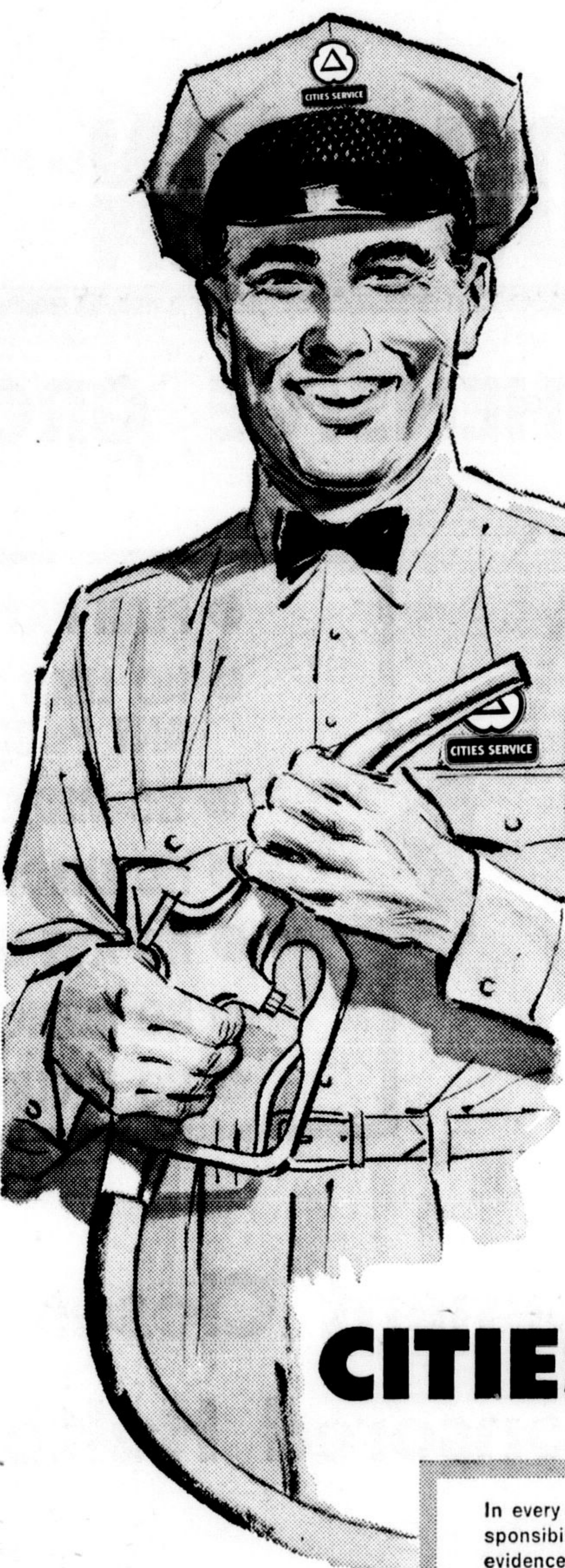
Early Birds
March 12 — Ladies' high single, Glenda Sherwood, 283; ladies' high triple, Glenda Sherwood, 757. Men's high single, Al Brigstocke, 231; men's high triple, Bill Cairns 634.
Bulldogs took 2 for 89, Huskies took 4 for 89, Pointers took 5 for 84, Terriers took 0 for 84, Whippets took 5 for 82, Collies took 3 for 81, Greyhounds took 2 for 81, Boxers took 7 for 79.

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