

Camp Manitou helps put scouting theory into practice

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The regular Boy Scouts of Canada programs may be over for the summer, resuming again in September, but there is a special program for Burlington, Oakville and Milton Cubs and Scouts during the summer which puts the Scouting theory into practice.

Camp Manitou, the Burlington area Scout Camp located on Twiss Rd., north of Derry Rd., has six one week Cub programs and two one week programs for boys involved in the Scouting program from the three areas.

The boys—there were 37 each session—are taught the traditional Cubbing and Scouting programs as well as swimming, canoeing, archery, rifle shooting and crafts.

The camp provides the

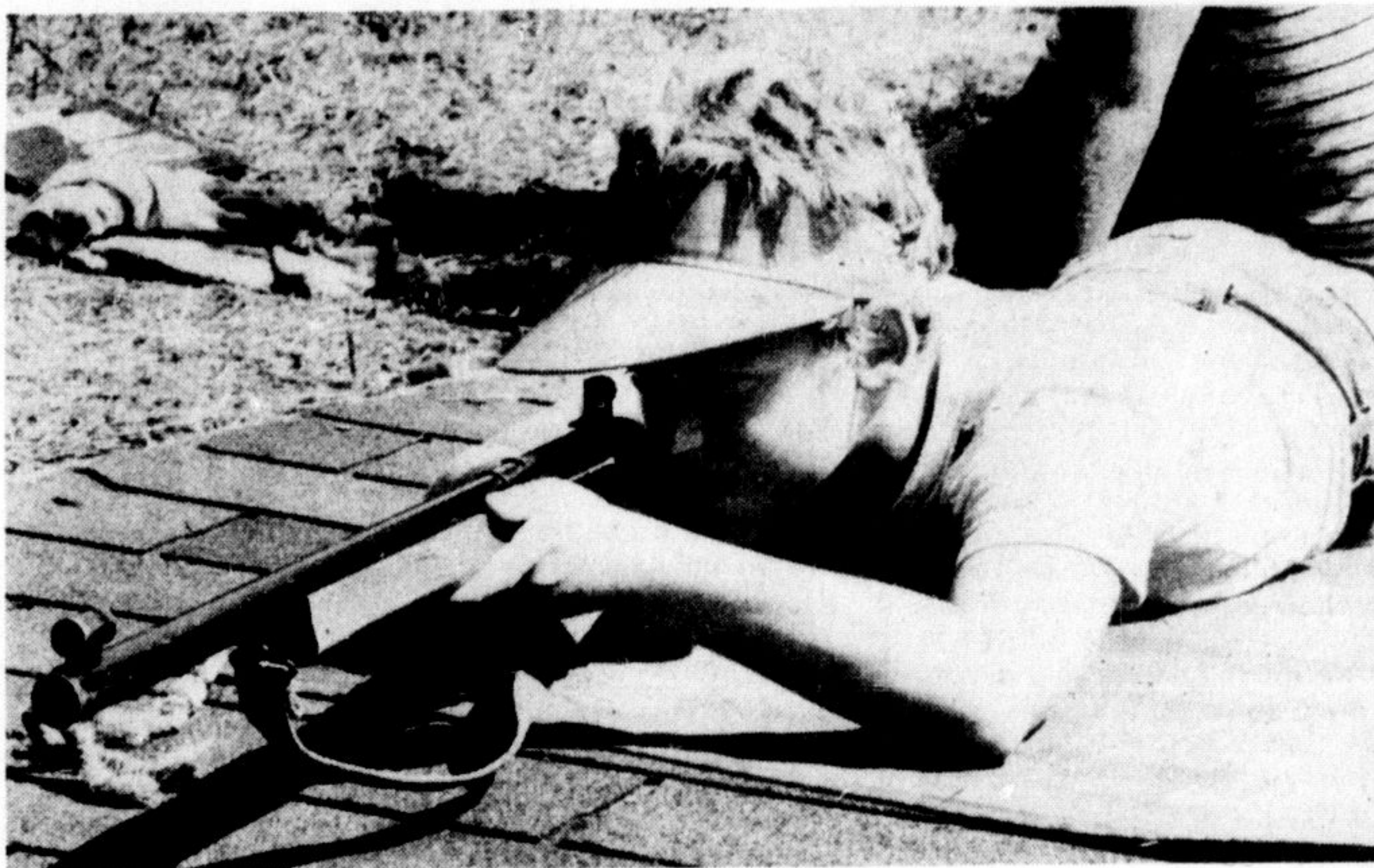
boys, who camp there for the week, with playing fields, a swimming pool, lodge facilities, a dining hall, a reforested area and plenty of bush.

Tents and equipment are also provided.

The cost is \$60 per week and the camp is operated by a staff of nine counsellors and four senior staff, including a cook and a lifeguard.

The boys, aged eight to 11, are split into eight groups and travel from site to site, learning how to lifesave, shoot rifles, use bows and arrows, orienteer and camp in the outdoors.

Presently there are 14 Milton Cubs in the program. The enrolment is expected to increase when the Summer Scout Camp moves to Woodlawn Scout Camp in Oakville.



SHOOTING IT OUT at the rifle range is Chris Browne of Oakville. Boys from Oakville, Burlington and Milton-Campbellville Cub and Scout camps join together all summer for one week campout experiences as well as the traditional badge work.



HAVING PULLED THEIR BUDDY Scott Crone to the edge of the pool with a life saver, Paul Crowe and Brian Reichert get ready to pull him carefully out of the pool and start artificial respiration. The three Milton boys studied the life saving program at Camp Manitou Scout Camp last week during their one week camp out there.

GRANNY KNOTS aren't easy the first time around, but having a leader like Wayne Brakeboer of Burlington makes it easier. Wayne gives Stephen Heathcock of Oakville some encouragement during his trials and tribulations with the knot, at Camp Manitou.



WORKING ON THEIR AIM and accuracy are the Sill Brothers from Campbellville, Marty and Jamie. The two boys studied archery as part of their campout experience last week at Camp Manitou. Earlier in the day they were swimming and shooting rifles.

Obituary

Bernard T. Turner

Campbellville resident Bernard Theodore Turner, of 7399 Guelph Line, R.R. 3, died at his home July 17. He was 63.

Mr. Turner, son of the late John and Sarah Turner, was born in Preston, Lancashire, England, in 1914. He moved to Canada in 1926. Twelve years later he married his wife Gladys in Franklin, Man. He has lived in Ontario since 1953.

Mr. Turner was a social member of Branch 551 of the

Canadian Legion in Waterdown.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys Isobel Turner; son Lyle of Welland; daughters Gail (Mrs. John McMillen) of Burlington, and Nadine (Mrs. James House) of Guelph; brothers Bert of Summerland, B.C., and Eric of Surrey, B.C.; sisters Eunice (Mrs. A. Guy) of Winnipeg, Ivy (Mrs. G. Hume) of Rivers, Man., and Joan (Mrs. W. Blomquist) of Malaka, B.C.; and five grandchildren. Brothers Jack, Arthur and George and sisters Dora and Ann predeceased him.

The funeral was held July 20 from Kitching-Steepe Funeral Home in Waterdown. Canon W. S. Noble officiated. Burial was in White Chapel Memorial Garden, Hamilton.

Pallbearers were George Wood, Mr. Turner's brother-in-law, John McMillen, his son-in-law, Brian Turner, nephew, and George Stinson, Kenneth Prouse and William Monk, members of the Waterdown Legion.

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Greg Thomas of Milton received minor injuries when his 1977 Chevrolet left Trafalgar Rd. and went into a ditch. The car travelled along the ditch for 200 feet, went over a culvert and struck a tree. The car received \$4,500 damage in the mishap which occurred early Thursday morning.

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