Letters

Teacher responds to Hohener letter

had with teachers (as a published in last week's convenient whipping-boy parent) and with parents Liberal. (as a teacher) have been very rewarding ex-

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Construction.

It has often occurred to that letter AM even more and School. Association me that a closer averse, to joining a group, could be guaranteed to do (sometimes known as Liberal, she and I are relationship between several members of more for the benefit of parents and teachers which might be in it, not education than is already through a Home and because they have a being done by parents and School Association might disinterested interest in teachers co-operating are released from the use it more often, thereby have some benefits for education and the well- with one another in all the education of our being of students, but sorts of activities ranging I never understood why offers them a heaven-sent discuss individual I (along with most school opportunity to promote problems of individual

Ball president says thanks to participants As President of the Oak Mashinter, Ed Leary, Ridges Minor Ball Ray Fletcher, Barry of school life successful. Association for the 1978 Bingham, Larry Ritza, and 1979 seasons, I would Pat Lusk, Chris O'Grady,

like to thank the following Karen Anderson, Mike EXECUTIVES: Vice- and Dave Oakley. president Barry The umpires who gave behind the scenes (a have varied in quality. Bingham; Secretary of their time for the position it is hard to Nancy Lusk; Treasurer games in Oak Ridges and imagine Marion Hohener illuminating experiences Francis Warner; Head a special thanks to getting caught in). Convener Bud Deering; Brenda Birnie for her Diamond Convener assistance throughout the

Norma Ritza; Umpire in season. Culture and Recreation for a Wintario grant.

I have been a teacher was loath (or loth, but not children or some political for more than 20 years both and certainly not power group that needs a and a parent for only loathe) to join such an convenient place to meet association, until I read (like a school gym) or a More often than not, the letter from Marion convenient issue the contacts that I have Hohener that you (teachers' salaries) or a

(teachers?) to keep its ball rolling.

I WAS averse, I sup- There was, too, my. pose, and after reading conviction that no Home because such a group from formal meetings to principals apparently) themselves, their own students and teachers, to active participation on both sides in activities (anyone who can help) presumably high-ranking designed to make school plays, students ex-tivities designed to sponsored "Richmond changes, dances, field trips, commencements of education or improve

> these activities the are forbidden to ski, teachers play a visible frequent taverns or go O'Flaherty, Celine Cowen role, while parents make their contributions from

Mrs. Hohener likes to be up front, with a collection of disgruntled Chief Jim Birnie; Richmond Hill Parks people (and guess who two. Equipment Manager and and Recreation for their disgruntled them) behind Grounds Keeper Norm help, and the Ministry of her, where, without much knowledge, experience or thought, she can play on the ignorance, fears and Jack Ward prejudices of her

teaching profession with tavern (not lies but) untruths. Unless Mrs. Hohener

If Mrs. Hohener had was using the word bothered to participate in "needed" in the sense of a P.A. day, she might 'lacking' she was quite have been able to right to say: "A forum is enlighten readers as to needed where subjects of what such a day really is, concern to all can be presuming, rather discussed openly and naively, that her purpose freely, etc., etc....

WAS enlightenment. Professional Activity and, in writing to The P.D. or Professional using it. Development days) are The CAG (Citizens days on which teachers Advisory Group) should classroom so that they reaching a wider possible can get together with audience than can be each other, senior ad- squeezed into the Town's ministrators, Ministry of Council Chambers. Education officials, in- Perhaps Jim Monkside and outside experts, man, Stewart Roberts doctors, psychologists, and Tony Voutsinos, and participate in ac- officials in the CAGbroaden their knowledge

and many other aspects their skills. They are NOT holy Admittedly, in many of days on which the faithful

shopping. In my experience, they Sometimes they are and sometimes they are pure boredom.

Sometimes, of course, they are a mixture of the

Imagine listening to and talking to a foremost in your expert educational field, then bumping into Mrs. Hohener when you went Oak Ridges followers to blast the to lunch at the nearest

Hill Education Com-

mittee", might care to write to The Liberal letters which would persuade readers that the CAG and its committees are something more-and better- than Marion Hohener's letter has led anyone to suspect.

P. M. Kelly Such a forum exists 248 Tampico Road Richmond Hill EDITOR'S NOTE:

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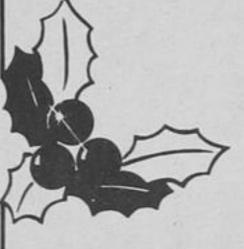
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