

HAGERSVILLE Highlights

H.S.S. Report

By Brenda Cowan
 Now that exams are over, school is more or less back to normal. The planning of such events as winter carnival, greaser day and the musical "Music Man" are getting underway and are filling the school with excitement and anticipation. Yes, H.S.S. is buzzing again, and it looks like February is going to be a hectic month indeed.

Since Fall Fair was such a large success, we are expecting winter carnival to be the same and by the looks of the agenda, the hard-working winter carnival headed by Doug Nelson, has invented a fun week. Of course it depends entirely on how much support the student body invokes.

Beginning the week is a slave auction which each year brings in quite a bit of money. There is also talk of a Scavenger hunt and there will be challenges between individuals and home rooms.

Friday concludes the week with the Teachers versus boys hockey game. The crowning of the Snow Queen will also take place on Friday. This should prove to be a very interesting fun-packed week.

If a stranger to the school happens to spy a student (or teacher) with white socks and greased back hair, don't be alarmed. It's greaser day at H.S.S. Prizes will be given to the best greasers of

Public Speaking At N. Walpole

On Wednesday afternoon, January 30, North Walpole Elementary School hosted the first Oral Communications Competition, sponsored by the Ontario Hydro and the Ontario School Trustees.

Principal Roger Mackereth of Jarvis Public School was Chairman for the afternoon event which began at 1 p.m.

Schools competing in this contest were - Parkview, Northview, North Walpole, Jarvis, Rainham and Walpole South with one representative student from each school.

Categories the students were judged on included a 3 to 5 minute speech; reading from a book of their choice, as designated by a judge; as well as the answering of unlimited questions pertaining to the speech given.

Winners for the afternoon were: First - Jean Reu of Jarvis Public School, speaking on her "Family Circle"; and telling how events in most homes makes for "Topsy-Turvy" Living. In closing, she said to "Brag a little about your family, and let everyone know YOU care." Her chosen book was "Jonathan Livingston Seagull." Jean is a Grade 8 student.

The second prize winner was a Grade 8 student at Parkview in Hagersville, Karen Esselment, who spoke on "Gossip", and how

if unchecked could touch and perhaps damage many people. In closing, she told of the fun game, also called "Gossip" and how it relates to everyday living. Her chosen book was "The Pearl."

Judges for this competition were Donna Crone, Rev. D. Eustace, Brian Whitman and William Snowden. The next competition for the two winners will be Wednesday evening, February 6th at Cayuga Secondary School.



Jean Reu (left) and Karen Esselment were first and second winners in a public speaking contest held at North Walpole School last Wednesday for area schools. (Staff Photo).

Laymen's Service Held

A large crowd of Sunday morning worshippers attended the special Laymen's Sunday Service at the Hagersville United Church on February 3, at 11 a.m. Nearly 30 men from the congregation formed the all-male choir for the special service, with Mrs. Isabelle Dorey as Church Organist.

Ivan Lofthouse gave the Call to Worship and the Prayer of Invocation.

The Old Testament lesson, taken from Psalms 3 and 5 was read by Ernest Quanbury with the New Testament

Lesson taken from John 8: 1 - 11, read by Lawrence Shoup. Junior Choir Leader, Miss Mary White accompanied at the piano for the eight-member Junior Choir's selection - "Blowin' In The Wind".

The Hymn Sing portions of the service were divided between the New Combined Hymn book and the favorites from the Hymnary.

Oliver Sayer led the congregation in the singing of them.

Peter Malcolm told the Children's Story, which told at a youngster's level, the story

Legion Packed For Public Speaking

Zone Commander of Legion B1 Zone, Joe Taylor, once again organized the annual Public School Competition in Public Speaking at the Legion Hall, Branch 164, on Friday evening, January 25.

Mr. Taylor welcomed the large audience, made up of contestants, parents, grandparents, friends, etc., as well as teachers.

Mrs. R. McCarroll accompanied at the piano for the singing of O Canada, after which President of Legion 164, Clarence Jackson asked for the first speaker in the Grades 1 to 6 category.

Twelve speakers in this grade-level chose such topics as insects, the energy crisis, hobbies, baseball, pollution, slimese cats, Girl Guides, Country of Jamaica and Massachusetts.

Winners in this group were - First - Cindy McMaster of Oneida Central who chose the topic of "Baby sisters are unbearable," then going on to elaborate on both their good and bad points; Second - Joanne Ellerington of Northview, speaking on a fantasy tale of a space creature "Ladonas"; Third - Beverley George of Jarvis, with the chosen subject being "Her Pet, Corky, a Type of Parrot".

Others who spoke in this category were - Annie Oulette, Debbie Krauskopf, Christine Rungus, Susan Beischlag, Sylvia Smelser, Robert McMaster, Donovan Mowatt, Lisa Weaver and Mark Evans.

In the Grade 7 and 8 competition there were fourteen contestants, with each having a particular attention-drawing style, as well as a variety of subjects, which included - "Wolves", "Ventriloquism", "Pollution", "Great Female Canadian", "The Canadian Government", "Being A Kid", "Gossip", "Poetry Old and New", "Moving Into a New House", "Thoughts On The 21st Century", and "What's In A Name".

Rockford Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Charlton of Toronto visited on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kenny.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cosley and Michael and Mrs. David Pearce of Simcoe had supper on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kenny.

Misses Florence and Dorothy Boland of Burlington spent the weekend with Mrs. Gordon Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Howard and family of Galt were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Priest had supper on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Priest, Susan and David of Innerkip.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Willson of Nanticoke visited on Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Don Chambers.

Gordon North attended the Ontario Jersey Breeders Convention in Cornwall, Friday and Saturday, and returned home Sunday.

Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers and Gordon North were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Phillips of Waterford and Mr. and Mrs. Don Chambers and family.

Dr. Harrop At Annual

Dr. R. Harrop, Hagersville attended the scientific sessions and Centennial Celebrations at the Ontario Veterinary Association's 100th annual meeting. Veterinarians and their wives from many parts of Canada and the United States took part in the festivities. The Scientific Program featured forty - eight different speakers from eight states and four provinces.

Lucky Winner

An extremely large crowd attended the "kick-off" games for 1974 Minor Hockey Week at the Hagersville Arena on Monday evening, January 28. Prior to the last game of the evening, the lucky draw for the Hockey stick covered in fifty One-Dollar bills was made. Making the official draw

was Willis Smith and Mike Salvatore, president and Vice-president of the Minor Hockey Association for Hagersville. Lucky winner was Mr. George O' Meara of 135 King Street East Hagersville.

Mr. Norman Crawford stated response was extremely good from the boys selling their books of tickets on the stick, which resulted in nearly \$1,000 to further the Minor Hockey Events of the area.

50 - 50 Draw

The monthly winner of the \$100.00 in the 50 - 50 Draw held the last Saturday of January was Mrs. Amy Beever, 8 1/2 Main Street North. Mr. Jack Johnson made the draw at the Legion, Branch 164, on Saturday evening, January 26 at which time a large crowd was in attendance for an evening of dancing.

History Of Hagersville

HAGERSVILLE WAR MEMORIAL

The cenotaph was erected in honour of those who gave their lives in the two World Wars. Erected by the Hagersville Branch of the Legion, the Womens' Institute and the citizens of Hagersville, the War Memorial is located in a peaceful setting in the park.

Charles Harrop, Edward Hewitt, Peter M. Laidlaw, George Myke, George Mortimer, Harry Moss, Albert Paris, Horace Pegg, Walter Radcliffe, Earl Reid, James Richards, Bruce Robertson, Craig Roulston, James Sage, Frank Speller, Mack Tabcoke, Charles Winkworth.

Gordon, Richard Gordon, Joseph Henry, Norman Henry, Maxwell King, Lawrence King, William Mitchell, William Montour, Leonard Mumford, James Rebbetoy, Neil Somerville, Daniel Verri, Bram Watkins, Herbert Wright.

World War One: Lorne Barlow, Alvin Fisher, Percy Giles, David Goosey, Peter Groat, Percy Hall.

World War Two: Ross Bertram, Clare Bowman, Jacob Brant, Frederick Eubank, Theodore Gorak, Bruce

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The income tax help system and how to make it work for you.

As you know by now, we changed a lot of things last year. We gave you a new return, a new Guide, several new deductions and a few new rules. And quite honestly, we were more than a little concerned about your reaction to it all. (And very, very interested in your opinions.)

Well, now that we've had time to really look back at it and assess it honestly, it appears that most taxpayers did not seem to find it too difficult. The error rate did not accelerate greatly or change drastically from former years. Generally, most taxpayers seemed to handle their new returns fairly well.

However, Income Tax will never be the easiest or most enjoyable thing in anyone's life. And it will always present problems in some areas, for some people. That's expected and understandable.

So, What we want to do now is really work on those problem areas. And the best way to do that is to work with you, individually, on whatever part of Income Tax that causes you difficulty.

And that's what April Aid is all about. It's a help system and its primary objective is to ensure that whenever or whatever you need help with, you can get it. And know how to get it.



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Third. Some people prefer to talk things over in person. If you're one of them and have problems, drop by for free help. Anytime. The address of your District Taxation Office is below.

Fourth. Write. To the address below. Explain your problem as clearly as possible and include all information. (And your return address, please.) In return, we'll answer all letters as quickly and clearly as possible. Remember - if you need help, it's there. (And free) And all you have to do is ask.

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Please separate magazines, etc. containing staples, from newspapers in order to enable the scouts to realize a higher return for waste paper. Tie bundles securely and place where the boys can see them by 12:30 P.M.

Anyone wishing paper picked up other than in the Village of Jarvis, please phone Rob Heastont 587-2623 Stewart Blundell 587-2538 Roy Hagan 587-4345

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