

**MISS STRANG, GUESTS HOME ECONOMISTS,  
PARENTS AND FELLOW MEMBERS**

Quoted the following poem:

Because we have three minutes time  
I thought I'd do my talk in rhyme.  
We have prepared for you today  
This tasty cheese and fruit display.  
I'll try to tell you what we used  
and Hope to keep you all amused.  
We have a farm scene here on view  
Whose orchard gives its fruit to you  
The cows in clover to their knees  
Reminds us all, of course, of cheese.  
Our fruit shaped signs explain to you  
The answers — What? — Why? — and Who?  
What is it? do I hear you say?  
A tasty fruit and cheese display.  
Why? did I hear somebody ask?  
It is our clubs achievement task.  
And who — is very plain to see  
The TOOTY-FRUITIES — and that's me.  
And now I'll tell you in a minute  
About our tray and what went in it.  
The grapefruit, first we cut in two  
So we could poke the toothpicks through.  
The cherries will not win us stars  
We had to get them out of jars  
Marshmallows not a fruit, we know  
We thought we'd add them, just for show.  
The apples here should catch your eye  
From McIntosh, Delicious, Spy,  
Melba, Greening, Cortland, Wealthy,  
We chose the Mac to keep you healthy.  
It's sad to say their vitamin poor  
Juice has "C" added to the store.  
In Oxford Counties famous cheese  
The nutrients you'll find are these  
It's high in protein you should know  
A chemical that helps you grow  
Pineapple chunks are tasty treats  
And better snacks than chips and sweets.  
For VITAMIN "C" the best fruit source  
Is found in strawberries, of course  
We use them not — and here's the reason  
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The orange was not hard to plan  
We simply opened up a can.  
They're not as good as fresh you say?  
But handier to use to-day.  
We hope the colours please the eyes  
We tried to make them harmonize.  
The crackers added, just to please  
And go with our imported cheese.  
I'm sure there's lots I did not mention  
We thank you for your kind attention.

Given at a 4 H Homemaking Club Achievement Day  
May 1972

Miss Janet Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hughes graduated Sunday from the Lutheran College, Waterloo and received her M.S.W. Degree in Social Work. Janet has accepted a position with the Children's Aid Society in Barrie.

Congratulations go out to Miss Lynne Cohoe who graduated on Sunday from the Waterloo Lutheran College and Gerald Buckrell who graduated from Waterloo University.

A number of ladies of the Women's Institute attended the District Annual Meeting which was held at Cornell on May 17th.

Dalton French, Wally Orth and Ed McFarland, the trustees of the village held a display of fireworks in honor of Victoria Day in the park, much to the delight of the children.

May 25, 1972

**FRANCIS J. LONGWORTH**

Mr. Francis Joseph (Frank) Longworth of Norfolk St. Otterville, formerly of North Norwich Township passed away on Monday, April 17th in Tillsonburg District Memorial Hospital.

Born in West Oxford Township, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Longworth. Mr. Longworth farmed in the Burgessville and Zenda areas, prior to retiring to Otterville 3 years ago. He was an adherent of the United Church and a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters, Court Salem No. 340 Zenda.

Surviving are his wife, the former Emily Mary Lainer; one son, Robert, R.R. 1, Burgessville; a daughter, Mrs. John (Doreen) Hanson, R.R. 1, Otterville; two sisters, Mrs. Maurice (Lila) Hart and Mrs. Reginald (Gertrude) Hart, both of Woodstock; two brothers, Wallace, Burgessville and Douglas of Brantford. Nine grandchildren and one great grandson also survive.

Resting at the Arn and Son Funeral Residence, Norwich, where the funeral will be held Thursday, April 20th at 2 p.m. with Rev. E. S. Stephens of the Burgessville United Church officiating.

**GROUP 3 OF THE BURGESSVILLE U.C.W.**

Mrs. W. Morley was hostess for the May meeting of Group 3, of Burgessville U.C.W. In the absence of the leader, Mrs. E. Stoakley, the assistant, Mrs. W. Morley presided, opening the meeting with a scripture lesson by Mrs. L. Sackrider and she, Mrs. Morley, giving the comment.

An article by Padre Young, entitled "An Apple Tree is a Parable of Life," followed by Prayer. Mrs. C. Parkhill presided at the piano and led in a period of hymns singing.

A number of Thank You God was given by Mrs. W. McMillen and "The Touch of the Master's Hand" by Mrs. F. Sullivan. A crib quilt and a layette were

**March 1972 Celebrate 90th Birthday**

Mrs. Charles Ferris of Norwich, presently a patient in Maple Manor Nursing Home, Tillsonburg, celebrated her 90th birthday on Saturday, March 18th, when numerous relatives and friends called to offer best wishes. Mrs. Ferris received a shower of birthday cards, floral arrangements, gifts and messages of congratulation, including a plaque from the Ontario Government and messages from Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Prime Minister of Canada; Robert Stanfield, leader of the Opposition; Wally Nesbitt, M.P. for Oxford and Dr. Harry Parrott, M.P.P. for Oxford.

The former Ella May Lonsbary, she was born March 18th, 1882 in Cayuga County, New York State, and at the age of six weeks moved with her parents, Fred and Sarah Lonsbary to Mabees Corners in Norfolk County.

In 1909, she married Charles Ferris and moved to Norwich, where Mr. Ferris operated a livery stable. They later resided in Courtland, Tillsonburg, Curries and Beaconsfield prior to retiring to Norwich in 1946.

Mrs. Ferris is a member of the New Durham United Church and over the years has taken an active part in the Church.

**Honor Married Couple**

Friends, neighbours and relatives gathered at the Burgessville Area Library Hall on Thursday night to honor Mr. and Mrs. Bob McFarland (nee Peggy Hughes) who were recently married. Cards and games were played.

**Evangelistic Convention**

Mr. and Mrs. Merville Hughes of Burgessville, celebrated their 40th Wedding Anniversary, at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ede Hughes, Woodstock with dinner given in their honor by their family.

20 years ago

ONTARIO, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 1972

**South Oxford W.I. will Display Books at Tea**

When Lord Tweedsmuir was Governor General of Canada, his wife displayed a keen interest in the early history of country communities and farms. Lady Tweedsmuir felt that in many cases valuable history would be lost beyond recall if no records were kept of the past century. She appealed to the Historical Research Conveners of the Women's Institute to concern themselves with this need.

Institutes everywhere accepted this challenge and in South Oxford nineteen books are being compiled. These will be displayed at a Tweedsmuir Tea, sponsored by the South Oxford District Women's Institute to be held at the home of Mrs. Leonard Caffyn, R.R. 5, Ingersoll, on June 21st from two to four o'clock. Not only Historical Research Conveners but the general public will be welcome.

**OPEN HOUSE**

The family of Weldon and Edna Burrill cordially invite relatives, friends and neighbors to an "Open House" in honour of their Fortieth Wedding Anniversary at their home, R.R. 6, Woodstock (Hickson), on Sunday, May 7, 1972 from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. Gifts gratefully declined. A19-C

Approximately sixty friends, neighbours and relatives met at the Burgessville library Hall recently to honor Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bertrand who were recently married.

Tom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wray Bertrand and Mrs. Bertrand was the former Diane Hanmer of Woodstock.

Euchre was played during the evening. Mrs. Al Blackmore

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family of the late Cameron Topham

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