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"THE THIRD MEAL" was the theme of a senior leaders' training school for Women's Institute members, held in Milton last week, when 18 ladies from nine Halton institutes received instruction from Miss Mary Porteous of the Home Economics Service, Department of Agriculture. Above Miss Porteous is seen demonstrating to Mrs. Norman Elliott and Mrs. William Frank of Dublin, Mrs. Frank Brown and Mrs. Gilbert English of Limehouse, and Mrs. Mervin Harness and Mrs. Cam Sinclair of Bannockburn WI.

Hunting and Eating

Roasts, Pies, Chops for Hunters

Hunters' Digest spoil your venison when you get it home, Ontario Department of Lands and Forests experts advise. They point out that deer meat can be cooked by the same methods used for beef of a similar grade.

"Some prefer to remove the fat from venison before cooking," they say. "Suet, pork fat or bacon may be mixed with ground venison or strips of bacon or salt may be placed over the outside of roasts to keep meat from becoming too dry.

"Tender cuts of meat are cooked by dry heat and the less tender portions by moist heat. While young bucks and does furnish the more tender meat, the meat from an aged animal can be made appetizing and tender if cooked correctly.

'Wild' Flavor

"Tomatoes, onions, spices and herbs often are added if the venison flavor is objectable to anyone. A tablespoon of vinegar may help destroy the wild flavor.

"Tender cuts, such as rib and loin chops, round steak and leg roasts, can be pan or oven-broiled or roasted. The less tender cuts such as neck, shanks, chuck and breast, should be cooked with moist heat or ground for 'deerburgers' or meat loaf. They make particularly good mincemeat.

Since Christmas is not too far off, here's a tried recipe for venison mincemeat.

Tried Recipe

Use two pounds of lean venison from the neck, one pound of beef suet, six pounds of apples, two pounds of currants, one pound of sultana raisins, two pounds of raisins, ½ pound citron, six cups brown sugar, two teaspoons nutmeg, one tablespoon allspice, one tablespoon cinnamon, one teaspoon ginger, one tablespoon salt, two oranges, eight cups cider or grape juice.

Bake the venison in the oven for 40 minutes using moderate heat, about 350 degrees, then cool and chop. Mix chopped suet, peel cored and chopped apples, currants, raisins, citron. Add sugar, spices, juice of two oranges, finely chopped rind of one orange and the cider or grape juice. Simmer for 30 minutes.

Make Pies

Pack hot into jars, seal and process 60 minutes for a pint jar and 70 minutes for a quart jar at 15 pounds pressure, or three hours in a boiling water bath. The quantity shown makes enough for ten to 12 mince meat pies.

For roast venison the loin or round the experts suggest that it be rubbed with salt and pepper over all sides of the meat. Place on a rack in an uncovered shallow pan and put in a pre-heated slow oven at 300 to 325 degrees. Do not add water and do not cover. That is most important, they say. Allow 20 to 25 minutes to the pound.

Mrs. Robert Turner is Hostess For Auxiliary; Officers Named

The November meeting of the Alert Evening Auxiliary was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Turner, Crescent St.

Mrs. H. L. Bennie, convener presided. Her opening message was the poem, "Who does God's Work?" The worship service included the hymn, "Lord while for all mankind we pray," a scripture lesson read by Miss Laura Wiles and a prayer prepared on the Lord's Prayer and led by several members.

Singing the hymn, "Go Labor on", was a prelude for the study on the work among the French Canadians. This was presented by Mrs. James Inglis, assisted by Mrs. Bennie.

Contest Ends

Mrs. George Young, first vice-president, presided for the business in the absence of the president Mrs. McCullough, who was ill. The copper contest concluded at this meeting. The side of Mrs. Kathleen Dodds won by a very small margin over the side of Miss Florence Elliott and the losers will be responsible for plan the Christmas party.

Members were pleased to learn that Miss Nellie Anderson was home from British Guiana and trust that she will soon be enjoying better health.

As this was the annual meeting Mrs. George Muzzelle presided for the election, which resulted as follows:

Officers Named

Honorary president, Mrs. A. H. McKenzie; president, Mrs. McCullough; second vice-president, Mrs. J. L. Davidson; secretary, Mrs. Fred Anderson; assistant, Mrs. Robert Adams; treasurer, Miss Laura Wiles; assistant, Mrs. Fannie Cole; pianist, Mrs. Clarence Cole.

Committees — Flower fund, Mrs. K. Dodds; life membership, Mrs. H. Turner, Mrs. J. Inglis and Mrs. Bennie; program, Mrs. Fannie Cole, Mrs. E. Masters, Mrs. J. L. Davidson; supply, Mrs. E. Masters, Mrs. George Muzzelle, Mrs. James Van Fleet; welcome and welfare, Mrs. Robert Turner; membership, Miss Marjorie Hall.

Mrs. Young thanked all for their cooperation and asked for their support for the New Year. She closed with a poem, "Are you a Member or do you just Belong?"

All repeated the Mizpah Benediction to conclude the meeting.

The business and committee served lunch and a time of social fellowship was enjoyed.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. Turner and all who had assisted.

I.O.D.E. Enjoy Original Skit

A group of I.O.D.E. ladies enjoyed a good-natured take-off on themselves at their December meeting held at the home of Mrs. H. Manpower on Tuesday evening. The chapter was the Duke of Devonshire and the take-off, an original skit written by Mrs. K. Knox, was presented by seven members in appropriate costumes, who spoofed through an imaginary food-rationing Christmas meeting.

Mrs. B. Mowat, the regent, presided at the regular meeting which preceded. Reports were read and plans for future activities were discussed.

Miss M. Z. Bennett gave a Christmas feeling to the meeting by her reading of The Other Wise Man by Henry Van Dyke.

Lodge Master Is Alan Green

I.O.L. No. 687 Acton, held its election of officers at the hall at Crewson's Corners Tuesday of last week.

The new officers are: Worshipful Master, Alan Green; deputy Master, James Higgins; recording secretary, Ross Morton; financial secretary, H. E. Gordon; treasurer, H. Turner.

First lecturer, Sam Hubbell; second lecturer, James Vickery; marshall, Alvin Gordon; first committeeman, William Cassidy; second committeeman, Fergus Quee; third committeeman, Ken McDonald; fourth committeeman, George Holmes; fifth committeeman, William Forrest; first auditor, Alan Gordon; second auditor, Ray Andrews; entertainment committee, Bill Ingles, Alan Green, J. Higgins, James Vickery; band committee, Ken McDonald, Fergus Quee.

Plans are being made for the Christmas party for the children of members and the youngsters who play in the fife and drum band. The event will be held at the hall later this month.

The band, with about 17 members, is practising regularly at the hall.

Y's Men Have Galt Visitors

Informational aspects of Yodom were pointed out to members of the local Y's Men's club at their meeting in the Y last Thursday. Al Fallis of Brantford was the speaker, and members of the Galt club were special guests.

Harry Arbee introduced Mr. Fallis and the thanks of the club were expressed by Mansell Nellis.

Plans were outlined for the annual sale of Christmas trees. The schedule of times for the various members to be on duty has been drawn up.

Another turkey shoot is under consideration.

Members were urged to continue collecting used foreign stamps for the Bishop fund to bring delegates from foreign countries to international meetings.

The stormy weather cut down attendance at many events on the weekend.

ROCKWOOD

Local Postmaster Receives Cash Award

George Day has received a cash award for a suggestion to revise a Post Office form dealing with statutory holidays.

This award is made under the Suggestion Award Plan for the Public Service employees of Canada and is set up by the Treasury Board. In 1957 1,647 suggestions were received and 113 were approved, a percentage of 6.8.

Postmaster General William Hamilton, in company with W. F. Pearson, Regional Director for Ontario, called at the Rockwood post office last week for a short visit.

Layman's Service

Sunday morning, a Layman's Service was held in the United church which was well attended. Following the usual order of service, with George Day as organist, two hymns were sung. Lesson readings were from Exodus 20, 1-17 and St. Luke 15, 11-32.

Guest speaker was Fred Day, vice principal of Hill Park Secondary school, Hamilton. Gordon Ostrander, past president of the United church Men's Club, and Robert Leslie, Sunday school superintendent, had charge of the service. Mr. Day's subject was, Honor Your Father and Mother.

In the evening service, a missionary rally was held when Rev. Harold Steed of Mosterfield was guest speaker. Mr. Steed was recently connected with a church mission in Angola, Africa.

Successful Bazaar

The W.A. of St. John's Church held a successful bazaar and afternoon tea in the parish hall last Wednesday afternoon. Despite inclement weather, there was a good attendance.

At St. John's church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. B. Stokreef conducted a brief devotional service, followed by the congregation adjourning to the parish hall to see a film in color and sound in connection with the recent Lambeth Conference in London, England, which was very interesting to those present.

By present indications, it looks as if winter has set in following a blustery weekend, accompanied by frosty weather. The new highway bridge is a big improvement over the old bridge with lots of room for traffic conditions.

Personal Notes...

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes

Mr. John Graff formerly of Acton, will celebrate his 96th birthday on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith of Brownlee, Saskatchewan are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McKenzie.

Mrs. C. Brown is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dowding and family of Rosedale Terrace.

Mrs. Helen Ragnvaldson and Miss June Lindsay of Hamilton Teachers' College have been student teachers at Burlington this week.

Friends will regret that Mr. George Murray of Halton Centennial Manor, formerly of Acton, is a patient at the Hamilton General Hospital.

Mrs. Annie Rolston and daughter Lorrie of Guelph, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Rolston and left by plane for Regina on Sunday where they will spend Christmas.

Attending the annual banquet and dance of the North Halton Urban Board at Hilltop Lodge Erin on Friday of last week were Mayor and Mrs. Walter Cook, Reeve and Mrs. Bill Wilson, Deputy-Reeve and Mrs. J. M. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. J. Goy, Mr. and Mrs. George Barbeau and Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGeachie.

Friends from Acton United church gathered for tea Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Victoria Hawkins, 38 Agnes St. The occasion was Mrs. Dawkins' birthday. Among the guests enjoying the pleasant visit was Mrs. Dawkin's daughter, Mrs. Bruce Williamson of Port Credit.

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. Maplesden and family of Ithaca, N.Y., visited in Acton during the weekend with Dr. Maplesden's mother, Mrs. Cecil Maplesden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Denny and their two daughters, Brenda and Sandra, moved to 116 Elizabeth Drive, Acton, on November 29th from Toronto. Harold will be joining his father, William Denny, in the insurance business in the near future.

LIMEHOUSE

Cub Leaders Sponsor Euchre

The cub pack leaders sponsored a euchre in Limehouse Memorial hall on Thursday evening. Ladies' prizes went to Mrs. B. Spack and Mrs. Geo. Somerville. A gallon of Prestone, donated by Jack Noble, was won by Ron Latimer and second prize went to Charles James. Lunch was served by the committee.

The W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Jack Crichton last week.

Mrs. Douglas Scott and Jodie motored to Windsor the end of the week.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lindsay on the occasion of their 67th wedding anniversary.

Little Peggy McDonald returned home from Sick Children's Hospital on Sunday after a couple of weeks' treatment.

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