



COOKING AND SEWING interest almost every young-girl, and pupils from Brookville school in Nassagaweya are no exception. The girls are taking Home Economics at the Robert Little school this year and three of the pupils are pictured above with teacher Miss Helen Baker. Left to right are Marion Wild, Eleanor Wild, Linda Storey and Miss Baker of the Robert Little school staff.

"Education" Topic at W.I. Meeting Miss Isobel Anderson is Speaker

Members of the Acton Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Fred Kingsmill for their October meeting, Thursday afternoon, October 5.

The highlight of the program with "Education" as the theme, was presented by Miss Isobel Anderson, a well known, retired school teacher who spoke on the motto, "Living to learn, we learn how to live."

Miss Anderson emphasized the need for education in this push button age we are living in. With machinery replacing unskilled labor, children find, often too late, that they have lost educational opportunities which they badly needed. Often, they blame their parents for not making them stay at school.

Many phases covered many phases of education in people's lives, not only for people but for nations. Miss Anderson concluded her talk by breaking down the word "Education" with emphasis on the following points:

- E is for eating properly.
- D is to dedicate our lives.
- U is to uncover dark spots in our lives.
- C is for care of the unfortunate.
- A is for action.
- T is to trust yourself.
- I is to invite confidence.
- O is to own up to our mistakes.
- N is nothing is too hard to try.

Round Table Discussion
Miss Anderson was introduced by Miss Marjorie Hall, convener of the program, who also led a round table discussion on two questions.

The first question was, "Are you in favor of teaching religion in the schools?" Several took part in giving their opinion. Miss Anderson spoke of her experience while teaching in Acton public school, saying it had been very successful when she taught there. She, personally, had looked forward to the day the ministers had their visit to the school.

The second question was, "Do you think the children of today are more educated than those of former years?" Members decided the children of former years worked harder for their education and therefore appreciated

it more than the children of today, who more or less get education handed to them on a silver platter. They have everything modern to work with and even have a bus to drive them to school.

Roll Call
The roll-call was also in keeping with the theme, "A change that could be made in the school curriculum." The one outstanding reply was the suggestion to have children attend school on Remembrance Day instead of them attending the cenotaph service, where there is no discipline, with the result the solemnity of the occasion is disturbed.

Members did not feel the teachers were responsible for this. The responsibility rested on the parents, who often did not attend the service themselves, so were unable to see how some of the children conducted themselves.

Mrs. George Hargrave, president, presided for the business, which included a report from the directors' meeting in Milton, attended by Mrs. Sam Holmes.

Mrs. Earl Lambert reported on the resolutions dealt with at the recent convention. Mrs. Garnet Rose gave some helpful hints on the care of house plants.

Resignation Accepted
Owing to ill health, Mrs. George Fryer, secretary-treasurer, asked to be relieved of her office. Mrs. William Maddox, who formerly had the position,

was appointed to act until the end of the term. The auditors were asked to check the books before Mrs. Maddox took over. The members regret that Mrs. Fryer has been ill and wish her the very best in the future.

Mrs. J. Buckland read some thank you letters from friends in Halton Manor in reply to their birthday gifts. Two dates were suggested for the annual visit to the Manor, subject to the approval of the superintendent.

Mrs. M. McAuley expressed the members' appreciation to Miss Anderson for her splendid message, and also to the hostess, program convener and lunch committee. Following the singing of The Queen, a social time was enjoyed over a cup of tea.

Correction
In the report of the Acton District High School board meeting published last week it was noted that vote in favor of opening up school facilities to the public was approved by a 3-1 vote.

Present for the meeting were chairman E. S. Force and Trustees William Coon, Rev. Dwight Engel and Wallace Swackhamer. The resolution was sponsored by Rev. Engel and seconded by Trustee Swackhamer, who both voted in the affirmative. With only three trustees present and two voting in the affirmative, the chairman declared the resolution carried.

LIMEHOUSE

300 Served Turkey Dinner At Church Anniversary

When the ladies served turkey dinners to some 300 in the new Limehouse Presbyterian church basement on Tuesday evening last week, the crowd exceeded expectations, but all report a good meal.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Herb Arnold in the sudden death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Al Henry in Milton on Monday of last week.

We regret that Mrs. S. Woloshyn is confined to Wellesley Hospital, Toronto.

Derek Flanagan is recuperating at home following a tonsillectomy in Georgetown and District Hospital last week.

Mrs. Newton Ruddle attended the funeral of her uncle, James Schriber, at Elara on Saturday.

Change Services
Services at Limehouse Presbyterian church have changed to the afternoons with Sunday School at 1:30 and regular worship at 2:30. However, on October 15, services will be withdrawn because of Georgetown's anniversary.

Mrs. K. Gathof and Rosy have just returned from a trip to their homeland, Germany.

Many attended Limehouse Presbyterian church' centennial services and visited local homes. Some of these included Mrs. R. B. Storey and Miss Helen Mills of Toronto and Miss Winnifred Ivens of Brantford with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Mills.

Mrs. Ted Morrow and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lane of Toronto with Mrs. Robert Lane.

Centennial Visitors
Mr. and Mrs. Alf Marshall and Miss Eileen Marshall of Toronto with Mrs. Osburn and Mr. McDowell.

Heather Clarke of Georgetown, Mrs. S. Smith of Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sinclair of Welland and Mr. and Mrs. Her-

bert Sinclair and Mr. Dan Sinclair of Hamilton with the A. C. Patterson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Price and family of Tillington with Mr. Price and the F. J. Shortill's.

Miss Pearl Scott of Georgetown, Mrs. J. Sanford of Stewarstown, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Brethour and Mr. Don Woodrow of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. David Arch of Ottawa and Mrs. C. Sanger of Mimico with the W. Mitchell's.

Mrs. Edward Lerch of Guelph and Mrs. Donald Firth and children of King with Mrs. Appleward.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Davidson of Guelph with Mr. and Mrs. K. Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Greenlees of Campbellville with the A. W. Benton's.

Out-of-Town Visitors
Others attending from a distance included: Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Sharp and Miss Colena Sharp; W. A. Marshall; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Darragh; Miss Olive Marshall; Mrs. Edwena Finn; Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Kennedy; Susan and Paul Kennedy; Mrs. Ada Bommer; Mrs. John Wood and Misses Barbara and Jo Ann Wood of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Young and Richard, Cameron, Ontario.

Mrs. Gertrude Darragh McCullough, New Liskeard.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McMillan, Miss Bella Wheeler, Hamilton.

Mrs. Roy Choate of Brampton, Mr. W. W. Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. Reid Matheson and family, Hillsburgh.

Mrs. Mann; Prapat, Saskatchewan.

Mrs. Joseph McGowan; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smethurst and family; Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Newton and Margaret, Barrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Dartmouth and Norma, Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Massey, Mapleton, Miss Colena R. Nickell; Miss Minnie E. Nickell of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dobbie, Newmarket; Mrs. Leslie Jean, Terra Cotta; Mr. and Mrs. Staley Price of Hornby.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Powell and family; Mrs. Fred Shelbourne; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Muddle and Sheila; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peacock, Ames and David of Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Greig and Lois Ann of Brantford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Patterson and Douglas of Guelph.

Many others from Acton, Georgetown, Ballinacraig and Glen Williams as well as Limehouse attended.

GIRL GUIDE NEWS

The meeting opened with God Save the Queen, roll-call and inspection with Mrs. Watson in charge for the first time this year. Immediately after, the company was dismissed to patrol corners. Here each girl worked on badges and tests with help from Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Hurst and Jean Hart. Next we held camp-fire where we learned a new song and sang several old favorites. We closed with softly

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Platt announce the engagement of their daughter Marilyn, to Charles Calmen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calmen Sr., of Milton.

Falls the Light of Day and Taps. Several guides with their leaders will visit a Ranger Company in Georgetown on Monday evening to learn about the organization of a Ranger Company for Acton.

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ACTON HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Notice of Dissolvement

Take note that the executive body do hereby intend to turn over to the Guelph Regional Council our charter and such funds as are in the treasury, thus dissolving the Acton Home and School Association.

If the parents of Acton do not wish to see the Home and School dissolved, they are invited to come forth on Thursday Oct. 19th, as a show of support.

If there is, as in the past, a very poor turn-out of parents, it will be considered as a decision of the majority in favour of dissolvement.

Open Meeting to be held in Robert Little School Auditorium
8 p.m. Sharp

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