

Personal Notes

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

Master Robt. Hopkins is a patient in Guelph Hospital.

Mr. Bruce Gates, No. 7 highway, is a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wiggins, Johnny and Karen of Waterloo visited in Acton, Sunday.

Mrs. Robt. Cannons, Brampton, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fryer.

Mrs. W. T. A. Bell of Toronto, spent a couple of days with her mother, Mrs. R. M. Macdonald, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Simpson is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph. Friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Algie, Bowyer Ave. have been visiting at the home of their son, in Port Credit this week.

Friends were glad to know Mr. Ernie Marks came home from hospital Sunday after treatment for an injured back. He's a popular Mill St. shopkeeper.

Acton Ranger crew were guests of the Milton Rangers on Monday evening of this week. Guest speaker was Miss Parker of Elizabeth Fry Society, Toronto.

Mr. Robert Storey, of St. John's Newfoundland, and his mother, Mrs. R. A. Storey, of Brantford, were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Matthews.

Friends and relatives are sorry to hear that Mr. John Harris of R. R. 4, Acton, is a patient in Guelph General Hospital. All wish him a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Melissa Beirnes has been a patient in Guelph General Hospital and is now convalescing at home. Friends wish her a speedy recovery.

OBITUARY

Guelph Official, Many Years Harold Nicklin Buried Friday

Veteran Guelph official, Harold S. Nicklin died Tuesday at the Guelph General Hospital. Mr. Nicklin spent 42 years in full and outstanding service as city and waterworks engineer.

In 1900, on the eve of his retirement, the veteran official was honored by members of the staff of the waterworks department at a dinner.

A native of Acton, where he attended public and high schools, Mr. Nicklin graduated with a degree of bachelor of science from the University of Toronto in 1915.

Served Overseas
He was an associate member of the Engineering Institute of Canada. In 1922 he was employed as an engineer with Phillips, Stewart and Lee, surveyors and civil engineers in Saskatchewan, and in 1923 was employed with the sewerage department in Saskatoon. The following year saw him move to The Pas, Manitoba, where he was engaged as an engineer with Murphy and Linkwood Ltd. He was later engaged at The Pas in 1915 and 1916.

From 1917 to 1919 Mr. Nicklin served overseas as a sapper with the 12th Battalion Canadian Engineers.

From 1920 to 1922 he was as assistant engineer for the city of Guelph.

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P.S.I. officials are pleased with the response to the P.S.I. enrollment campaign. It is a goal to join the 1,243,000 already enrolled in the medical plan throughout Ontario.

To make sure every potential enrollee does not miss this unique opportunity to enroll in this comprehensive coverage, advertising is appearing in all seven county newspapers, over Hamilton and Oakville radio stations, and Hamilton television. There are billboard displays and posters in store windows and on posts throughout the district.

The plan, sponsored by P.S.I. includes first class home, office and hospital doctors' visits, surgery, ambulance and X-ray coverage will commence April 15.

Fund-Raising Special Programs Reported from Lakeside Chapter

Lakeside Chapter, I.O.D.E., reports another very active and successful year. Secretary Mrs. Jack Dowling has submitted the following report for publication. The following is a summary of records for the 44th year of the Lakeside Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, which I present to you, the members, for approval.

During the year the chapter held ten regular meetings in the Legion Auditorium and two on Friday and as a result is a patient in the Georgetown District Hospital.

Friends of Jackie Dunk will be sorry to learn that he suffered a broken leg while tobogganing with his Sunday School class last Friday and as a result is a patient in the Georgetown District Hospital.

Mrs. B. Mowat attended the Ontario Consumer Trade Crusade Dinner at the Royal York Hotel on Tuesday, February 12, given by the Hon. Robert Macaulay, minister of economics and development and minister of energy resources.

Approximately 60 public school teachers, board members and parents enjoyed a school party in the Robert Little school auditorium Thursday night February 14. Catering for the dinner was the U.C.W. His Honor Judge George Elliott, O.C., was guest speaker.

Rev. M. M. St. Madeline B.V.M. celebrated her silver jubilee Feb. 2 at Loreto Academy, Niagara Falls. Out-Members of the family present for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. George Benton, Helen and Burns of Acton, Mr. Jack Birns, Toronto, Miss Eileen Birns and Mr. Van Enders, Buffalo, N.Y.

Quitting has been the order of the day. Some ladies from the United Church Women are working at Mrs. Nelson Lambert's home, and a group of ladies from Knox Ladies' Aid have been quilting two quilts this week at the home of Mrs. W. J. McLeod. Dublin W.I. ladies also have had quiltings at the home of Mrs. Calvin McIntyre and Mrs. Wm. Frank, Nassagaweya.

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Preceding the March meeting was a St. Patrick's dessert and coffee, with members modeling their own original hats, and a Christmas party was held in December.

The Duke of Devonshire Chapter was invited to join with us for our May meeting when we were privileged to have Mr. Colin Smilie of Milton, an employee of the Bell Telephone Co., speak to us and show slides of the Arctic country and Eskimos who live in the Frohisher Bay area.

Cuban Politics
In October the members were entertained by the Duke of Devonshire Chapter. The guest speaker was Mr. Harold Burns, business manager of Post House Travel Bureau, who had recently returned from Cuba and South America and gave a most interesting and informative first-hand picture of the political scene in those areas. Two dance numbers were given by Debbie and Diane Bousfield and Mrs. George Young gave a humorous recitation.

Ms. Stella Adamson of Galt, one of our out-of-town members, was guest speaker at our April meeting. The theme of her talk was "What the aims of our chapter should be."

Special Services
In June the members of the Lakeside Chapter assisted at the Citizenship Court in Milton welcoming the new Canadians and presenting cards. On Decoration Day in June and Remembrance Day in November members paraded and attended services, and placed a wreath at the Cenotaph and plants on the graves of veterans.

Concessors assisted during the C.N.E.B. campaign and Cancer drive. The Honorary Regent and Standard Bearer attended the Provincial Convention in Hamilton in April.

Raising Funds
Our money-making projects throughout the year included the annual dance in April, a bake sale, articles entered in competition at the Fall Fair, our annual fall bazaar, the sale of cards throughout the year, and an auction sale and talent table held at two meetings.

This year a fine has been levied each meeting on members not wearing their I.O.D.E. badge — an effort to have all badges worn at all meetings. The fees for the coming year will be raised from \$3 to \$5, to assist the cost of materials required for the work of the annual bazaar.

Many Commitments
The Lakeside Chapter attempted to fulfil many obligations generously during the past year, both as a national organization and as a part of our own community. Nationally we donated to the following funds: Commonwealth Relations, Wilhelmina Gordon Scholarship, British and European Relief, National Ship-

ping, Lucy Morrison Memorial, Provincial Special Representative Fund, Canadian Scene, Canadian Eskimo Fund, Provincial Workroom Maintenance and Renovation.

Locally we contributed to the Decoration Day Committee, Canadian Legion, Poppy Fund, Halton Music Festival and Community Centre. The stek were remembered with flowers and cards and flowers were sent to the bereaved.

More Projects
The World Affairs Committee during the year kept the members well informed on the political happenings throughout the world. Services at Home and Abroad were busy throughout the year. 83 articles were collected for Save the Children Fund. Pocket editions were received for the Canadian Army in Germany.

Jointly with the Rotary Club, Acton, hampers were prepared at Christmas for needy families in Acton. A basket of food was sent to one needy family during the year. Hospital gowns were made from men's worn shirts by chapter members.

I.S.B. Awards
In educational work the Chapter again awarded rings to the boy and girl with the highest standing in Middle and Upper school, a \$25 scholarship and 24 never-late never-absent certificates. A picture was donated to the Community Centre.

We wish to thank our Regent and our executive for their untiring efforts on behalf of the Chapter during the year, and also all those who willingly assisted in projects, programs and helped in any way.

Inspiring Motto
As loyal members of the Lakeside Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire may we begin the new year stimulated with renewed interest in the ideals of the order, and work for the betterment of our Chapter, and may our motto "For Queen and Country" inspire us to accept our obligations with zeal and enthusiasm.

Jean Sproston Regent, Elizabeth Dowling Secretary.

Central School in Eramosa Close Seven "One-Roomers"

Tentative plans for the construction of a new six-room central school with multi-purpose room were discussed by Eramosa school board February 5 and authorization was granted to engage an architect. When complete the new school will replace seven one-room schools.

Trustees learned tentative approval for debenture issue was received from council and the Department of Education and they plan visits to several central schools in the area.

Pupil Transportation
Members discussed at some length problems entailed in transportation of pupils when the central school is erected. Inspector Whitfield pointed out the advantages of the new central system.

During the business session, the board reviewed teacher supervision and decided to retain the present teacher salary schedule. A tentative budget was presented by secretary George Day and will be considered at the next meeting.

Six to Start
According to board policy adopted during the meeting he appointees must show proof of age before starting school. It was agreed a child must be six years of age before starting school.

Prior to the meeting, members and wives enjoyed their annual board staff dinner in Rockwood Parish hall. Present to enjoy the dinner was Inspector Whitfield and his wife, Mrs. Jean Watson, secretary Ontario school trustees and caterers' association.

Commanded Regiment Lt. Col. A. Noble 96
Lt. Col. Alex Noble, the oldest living ex-commanding officer of the Burne Scouts, will celebrate his 96th birthday on February 18 at his home in Norval. Mr. Noble was a Lt. Col. with the former 20th Halton Rifles, during World War I.

Mr. Noble has lived at his present home, the "Elms" farm, Norval for most of his 96 years. He was a former president and director of the Millers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. of Hamilton.

Opera dates are set for the first week in March.

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H. and S. Fun Fair Plans Announced

The executive of the M. Z. Bennett Home and School Association convened at the school on Thursday, February 7 at 8:00 p.m. Minutes were read by Mrs. W. J. Jernery and adopted. Program convener Claire Lynch suggested a St. John Ambulance demonstration for the February meeting, and the proposal was well received. Mrs. G. Hargrave recommended that some trees be placed upon artificial respiration, and that a handbagging skill be included.

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Read Annual Reports At Chapter Meeting

Annual reports from each of the chapters were read at the meeting of Lakeside chapter I.O.D.E. Tuesday in the Legion. Honorary regent Mrs. Rudolph Spiedvogel presided for the annual meeting. For the business, regent Mrs. W. J. Sproston was in the chair.

Discussed were a chapter dinner, the bazaar and dance. A pantomime provoked plenty of laughter. Taking part were Mrs. E. M. Galloway, Mrs. Gordon Currie and Mrs. C. Wallis with Mrs. Leticia and Mrs. P. Watson cast as the curtains.

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