



CHOOSING THEIR CUTS of turkey as the hostess carves the fowl are two members of the Duke of Devonshire Chapter I.O.D.E. The Christmas dinner was held at the gaily-decorated home of Mrs. W. J. Beatty Tuesday evening. Left to right are Regent Miss Mamie Mainprize, member of long standing Mrs. R. M. McDonald and Mrs. Beatty.

Scottish Dance Club's Christmas Party Raises Over \$100 for Sunshine School

Nearly 200 enjoyed a delightful pre-Christmas evening and raised just over \$100 for the Sunshine school for Retarded Children at Hornby at the Scottish Dance Club's annual Christmas party Saturday evening in the Robert Little school auditorium. An excellent program was arranged by Mrs. Robert Buckner.

With young baller teacher Gwen Lander were her pupils Gindy and Debbie Barr, Betty De Vries, Judy Engel, Janis Franklin, Bonnie McKenzie, Barbara Reed and Lynn Simion; with Mrs. Joyce Carpenter were her pupils Karen and Kathy Ashley, Deane Bousfield, Bonnie Bristow, Marianne Coles, Jo Anne and Peggy Laverty, Mary Frances Marcoux and Carol Masale; in Carol Wharton's group were Bonnie Garvin, Joanne Heatley, Sharon Jerome, Sherrie Johnston, Susan McGilloway and Joanne Wasowicz.

Surprise Party For Dance Class

When Joyce Carpenter's nine dance pupils arrived, tap shoes in their hands, for their regular lesson at her home Tuesday, they were greeted with shouts of "Surprise" and a practice room gay with balloons, Christmas lights and decorations. There was no practice; instead, games directed by Jack Carpenter, late and equally unexpected arrival of the mothers and a lively half for lunch.

Mrs. Carpenter's pupils are Diane Bousfield, Bonnie Bristow, Jo Ann Laverty, Peggy Laverty, Karen and Kathy Ashley, Carol Masale, Mary Frances Marcoux and Marianne Coles. A former pupil who had left dancing for piano lessons, Debbie Bousfield, came to the party and played the piano.

Denzil Lawrence President

Farmers Should Band Together, Speak Out Future Lies in Organization — — Speaker

Denzil Lawrence of R.R. 1, Milton was elected president of the Halton Federation of Agriculture, at the Federation's annual meeting in Stewarttown Hall on Friday afternoon. About 50 attended the meeting and heard Bob Carbet, secretary-manager of O.F.A., speak on why farmers need a farm organization.

hand together when they are in trouble, but when things are going their way, they tend to forget each other. Farm people should realize that their future lies in organized action, he warned.

and an obligation to deal with the top six inches of the farm. Rural Ontario's greatest product is its young people and we must be sure they are properly educated. Today in Ontario, he said, eight out of 10 young people raised on a farm must find off-farm jobs. Due to the technical advances in agriculture, young farm people must have better training. Today farming is becoming more a business and less a way of life.

is open for public use. Mr. Rand noted, "I'd like to see a farm forum in each of the four corners of this county" and in closing hoped for "a revival of farm forums in the county and in Ontario."

Mrs. E. Lidkea Heads U.C.W.

New officers were named at the general meeting of the United Church Women in the church Wednesday of last week. Honorary presidents are Miss M. Z. Bennett and Mrs. D. I. Engel, past-president Mrs. H. R. Force, president Mrs. E. Lidkea, vice-president Mrs. E. Liddell, secretary Mrs. William Waterhouse, treasurer Mrs. Jim Ledger, program convener Mrs. S. Reed, flowers Mrs. Marguerite Taylor, social Mrs. Ross Swackhamer, supply and social assistance Mrs. Ab Teplin, community friendship secretary Mrs. Lorne Youngblut.

Mr. Carbet suggested, "the farm organization has a right to participate as interested partners in farm organizations and stand by their husbands in the serious business of building a stronger rural society."

Pointing out the women's role today, Mr. Carbet said, "all women have a stake in our rural society, there is much more they could do that they are not doing now. It is their job to participate as interested partners in farm organizations and stand by their husbands in the serious business of building a stronger rural society."



BOB CARBET, secretary-manager of the Ontario Federation of Agriculture, was the guest speaker at the Halton County Federation of Agriculture annual meeting in the Stewarttown Hall on Friday. Mr. Carbet is shown chatting with Federation workers Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Brown of R.R. 1, Norval, who recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have been active in H.C.F.A. work for many years.

Institute to Send 40 Christmas Gifts

"It is more blessed to give than to receive." This is part of the Institute. One of 100 to W.I. members and two to users of Acton W.I. Mrs. William Madgass and Mrs. George Fryer, were busy over the weekend wrapping parcels for 40 Acton sick and shut-ins at Hamilton General Hospital and Hamilton St. Joseph's Chronic hospitals in Quebec and the Manor in Milton.

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Collection of Christmas Trees Only will be Made on Thursday, January 2nd

Clerk Administrator, J. McGeachie