



A BUNK FROM CAMPBELLVILLE copped the Milton Motor Sales competitive curling contest at the Milton Curling Club this year. A rink skipped by Ken Moore with Stan Henderson, Bill Capler and Murray Mahon, captured the presentation and from left to right, Mr. Coulter, Mr. Henderson, the award, Mr. Moore and Mr. Mahon.

Robert Kerr, 90, Well-Known Farmer, Exhibitor of Horses

An exhibitor of horses consistently since 1900, Robert Kerr passed away at Georgetown Nursing Home on Friday, April 16. Still alert and fairly active at 90 years of age, he had been ill only a few days and insisted on walking about. He had lived his entire life on the fifth line of Erin township, where he was born in a log cabin. Across the road, his son Archie Kerr and his family carry on the family tradition of raising and showing horses.

Churchill United Church was filled for the funeral service there on Monday afternoon. Mr. Kerr, with honorary pallbearers Arthur Swackhamer and Smith Griffin, was a long-time member of the congregation. He was a deacon before church union and then an elder. He was an honorary elder at his death.

Rev. Fleming, Georgetown, supervising minister of the church.

C.W.F. Returns Most Officers

The Christian Women's Fellowship of Everton Christian church met at the home of Mrs. D. G. Robertson, Orange, for their Easter meeting.

Mrs. Alan Lillie presided and in the absence of the secretary, Mrs. John Alton, read the minutes, thank you notes, and called the roll, which was answered with a Bible verse starting with the letter 'A'.

Mrs. H. Horrip gave the financial report. As April is the end of the C.W.F. year, all were delighted to learn the missionary goal had been reached with an over and above amount.

The worship portion of the program was given by Mrs. A. Fox, who chose as the Scripture, Matthew 5: verse 14, "Ye are the light of the world." The speaker reminded all we are a light in the world to lead and guide others, and stressed the importance of a shining light. In closing, she recited a very familiar children's hymn, "Jesus Bids Us Shine."

The Easter program was in charge of Mrs. Robertson, who used Luke 11, verse 1, "Lord, teach us to pray" as the theme, and stated that Easter was a time for saving apart for prayer. Scripture portions were read by Mrs. J. Alton, Mrs. J. McDougall and Mrs. A. Kingsbury, showing that "Prayer is friendship, prayer is fellowship and prayer demands action."

The question she raised was "What does prayer mean to each of us and what part does it play in our daily lives?"

Mrs. Alton read the report of the nominating committee which was accepted. With few exceptions, last year's officers were returned. Mrs. Clifford McDougall was named secretary.

Mrs. A. Kingsbury reported for the service group. An offer to cater for a late summer wedding was accepted. The ladies are still collecting labels for another coffee urn.

Following the benediction, the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. McDougall, served refreshments.

Easter Sunday

The Easter Sunday service was well attended at Everton Christian Church. Beautiful floral arrangements, spring flowers and ferns enhanced the sanctuary.

Guest speaker was Rev. O. W. McCully of Toronto, who brought a timely Easter message. Mr. McCully has travelled extensively by through the Holy Land and gave a vivid account of one's feelings as they travel the road. Jesus travelled prior to the crucifixion. The Junior choir with Marilyn Kingsbury at the organ sang "In the Garden."

Easter Handicrafts For Brownies, Guides

At the third Acton Brownie Pack handicraft meeting on March 31, the girls made baskets to take home filled with Easter goodies. Packer Cavell Marshall and Ranger Vivian Smith helped the girls with this project.

Irene De Vries brought her father's scout tie with all his badges on it. Mr. De Vries was a scout in Holland. The Brownies made a goodwill stew, putting all imaginary good things into the pot and each Brownie took a spoonful home.

On April 7, the new Brownie law and promise was said. Text work in knots and semaphore was done. Mrs. Newton took the semaphore group and Grey Owl Mrs. Elling the knotting group. The girls all gathered for a sing song and a story by one of the Brownies called "The Chief" from The Acorn magazine.

The first Acton pack held a general meeting the first week in April. The Easter project was the making of eggs. An Easter party will be held for the closing.

There will be no meetings held over Easter holidays. Deborah Streets and Wendy Kowall passed live tests on their Golden Hand and the new Packer for first pack is Barbara Nicolak. Rangers attended Holy Week service at Trinity United church Tuesday.

Guide News

The Guides are underway with an eight week St. John Ambulance course under the supervision of Robert Hart and Mrs. George Hargrave.

As a camp project, the girls are selling key rings. The price is 25 cents each and the girls hope for the parents' support.

Girls who have passed badges and are working on them are Anne Watson working on latin, dry badge, Bienda Henry and Patsy Wheeler working on cook's badge, Barbara Nicolak doing work on first class guide history, Marie Holmes and Caroline Thompson passed Kim's game and local knowledge. Betty Gieger passed Kim's game.

The Guides held a meeting at the home of Commissioner Lowrie on Thursday, March 25. It was decided to hold a rummage sale on October 25 and perhaps a bake sale at the end of May.

Mr. Kerr first exhibited horses at a fair in Guelph in 1900, and used to go regularly to the spring show in Hillsburg, always held on the 24th of May. He was the oldest consistent exhibitor at Acton fair and always enjoyed Erin, Georgetown and other area fairs as well.

His only son Archie, continues the family's keen interest in horses, living on the farm across the road.

Mrs. Kerr died in 1957. They were married at Ingleswood in 1904.

His grandchildren, all interested in horses, are Betty Ann Tyler, now in California, Marie Anderson and Robert Jr. at home. Great-grandsons Donald and David Anderson are introduced to horses already. He has three other great-grandchildren in California, Tommy, Kathy and Beth Tyler.

He was a member of the Hackney Association of which he was a founder and early president. This fall he attended their annual banquet in Preston, was there till 2 a.m. and was all ready to attend the Acton Agricultural Society banquet the next night.

He has been a director of Acton and Erin Agricultural Societies. He exhibited at the Royal Winter Fair in its third year.

He was the first president of the United Farmers Association of Ontario in 1921, son Archie was the first president of the Junior Farmers here.

His carriage horses, general purpose horses, saddle horses and ponies have been widely sold, some to the U.S. and some to the R.C.M.P.

Over the years he has won countless medals and trophies. He was inquiring about horses not long before he passed away, and had left directions when and where to sow oats on his farm.

The family had held a 90th birthday party for Mr. Kerr last October.



V. E. CLEMENTS

The appointment of J. E. Clements as Branch Manager of its new office at 74 Main Street N., Brampton, has been announced by C. R. Romkema, District Manager, Canadian Acceptance Corporation Limited.

In his new position, Mr. Clements will be responsible for the Corporation's consumer sales financing, personal loan and mortgage activities. Prior to this appointment he was Assistant Branch Manager of one of C.A.C.'s Toronto branches.

Greenock Institute Officers Elected at Pot Luck Dinner

Members of Greenock Women's Institute and several visitors enjoyed a bounteous pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Chester Allan before their annual meeting last Wednesday afternoon.

Also enjoyed at the dinner were the sweet tea biscuits and pumpkin pies which were entered in the baking contest. Miss E. Pearson was winner in tea biscuits and Mrs. T. Hemsley for the pumpkin pie. They were each presented with a pair of quilted oven mitts and will take entries of baking for the contest at the District Annual.

President Mrs. L. Tryssenaar opened the meeting and presided over the business. Mrs. J. McCulloch read the Crucifixion story and this was followed by the Lord's Prayer. Roll call was answered by "A good thing I have learned from experience" and the payment of fees. Secretary Mrs. E. Patterson read the minutes reported on the recent safe heath at the Decker's farm, which was quite successful. The report of the executive meeting of the district directors was also given by Mrs. E. Patterson. The area convention in Guelph will be October 12 and 13 this year.

Excellent reports were presented by all conveners on the past year's work. The sale of the meeting, at which the public health nurse spoke on poisons,

Fair Board Ladies Give Skit for Club

The regular meeting of the Golden Age Club was held in the Y.M.C.A. on Thursday, April 15, with Mr. Davidson presiding. With Mrs. Bradshaw at the piano, the meeting was opened with The Queen. After the usual business was disposed of, a discussion followed re joining the United Senior Citizens Incorporated, and later it was decided to do so. An executive meeting was to be held on Monday, April 19, to arrange for entertaining the Guelph club.

After adjournment, the following program was put on a duet by Mrs. Fryer and Mrs. Shultz; parade of Easter bonnets, prizes going to Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Wood; readings by Mrs. McCulloch and Mrs. Reid; sing song with Mrs. Bradshaw at the piano. A skit was put on by the Fair Board Ladies about an old fashioned board meeting. Those taking part were Mrs. W. Swackhamer, Mrs. R. Denny, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. D. Matthews, Mrs. W. McDonald, Mrs. S. Morrison, Mrs. Archibald, Mrs. C. Aitken and Mrs. R. Lanhart.

A delightful lunch was served to about 40 members and guests.

Mrs. J. McCulloch, Tweedsmuir curator, Miss E. Pearson, Tweedsmuir committee, Mrs. C. Allan, Mrs. E. Johnston, Mrs. E. Patterson.

HARLEY...to HALTON

The House of Commons has recessed for the Easter holidays. During the past week debate has taken place on the Throne Speech which means that the topics discussed can cover any subject. We have, therefore, seen the debate range from the situation in Viet Nam to discussion of the St. Lawrence Seaway and almost everything and anything imaginable. I had hoped to participate in the debate but unfortunately time ran out before my turn came up.

The Throne Speech must go down in history as being one of the farthest reaching policy declarations in our history. There are many matters which will involve and touch every Canadian. All of these matters, of course, will be fully debated later and I will discuss these in detail as these matters come before Parliament.

The Special Committee on Food and Drugs is to be reconstituted to consider the measures necessary to reduce the cost of drugs. The Committee is to be assisted by the Government which I have interpreted to mean that the Committee will be able to hire personnel to conduct research and will probably as well hire legal counsel.

I am sure that all of the residents of Halton will be pleased with the Honorable Walter Gordon's Budget Paper. The 1964 books have been officially added up and show a deficit of \$83 million dollars rather than the formerly anticipated \$400 million deficit. The 1963 deficit was \$619 million. As a matter of fact, if we were to take off the surplus in the Old Age Pension Fund then the practical deficit in only \$19 million dollars for 1964. In addition, of course, our Gross National Product rose almost 9% — the biggest gain since 1956. Revenues rose 14%, while expenditures rose 9%, which explains the improvement in our deficit picture.

The prospects for 1965 are good. It is hoped that in keeping with our prosperity the Budget which will be brought down on 26th April, on our return to Ottawa, will reveal tax cuts in both personal and corporate income tax. The Budget is always introduced at 8:00 p.m. after the close of the stock market so that any changes in the Budget are known at a time when market trading and activity is nil.

High Circulation

Following a holiday on Good Friday, the library was unusually crowded Monday night. There was a new record circulation Monday. Chief Librarian Mrs. P. Watson was back after several weeks' absence.

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