

Millers, Hopefuls Head List In District Bowling League

Rockwood — Horion's Millers and Hopefuls had big 7-0 wins over the Alley Cats and Hume's Texaco in Rockwood and District Bowling League. Rick's Confectionery-downed Carney's Plumbing and Heating 5-2, the same score gave a win to Dunc's Big Six over Pink-neys. 4-3 scores gave wins to Jetstones over Stratton's Esso, Root's Rooters over Flintstones and Nichol's Pats took it from the Corner Pins.

SILVERWOOD

Silver Spoons Given To 4-H Club Girls

(Intended for Last Week) Mrs. G. Burt, Mrs. G. Ironside and Mrs. Fred Duffie along with the 4-H leaders, Mrs. H. Marchington and Mrs. G. Henderson-attended Achievement Day, January 15, in St. Paul's United Church, Milton.

Ninety girls from Halton County attended. These consisted of nine clubs. Silverwood had 12 girls and their demonstration was a skit called "Wool, Fibre and Fabric". Three girls received county honor-certificates and pins for completing six projects, Sheila Campbell, Kathleen Tjart and Laura Henderson. All the Silverwood girls received sterling silver spoons.

W.I. Meeting

Mrs. Anne Linauer's in Georgetown was the meeting place for the January meeting of the Silverwood W.I. on Thursday evening, January 13. Ways and means of raising needed cash was discussed at some length and the members finally decided on a bake sale at the Laundromat on January 28, Friday evening.

Athlone Fellowship For Mrs. Ironside

James Ironside, formerly of Acton and now of Clarkson, has been awarded an Athlone Fellowship for 1966. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ironside, he is a senior student in Engineering Physics at McMaster University. He is a graduate of Acton high school and Oakwood Collegiate.

Four McMaster students are among the 43 who have been awarded the fellowships for two years of advanced study in British industry and universities. Friends in Acton join in congratulating the 21-year-old student on his achievement.

He also has naval commitments but has received permission to accept the high honor. Last year, he headed his class in Engineering Physics — although he pointed out, "That wasn't hard since there are only four in the course." (Many others would disagree.)

He had three university scholarships, one from the Society of Professional Engineering and one from a Montreal industrialist. He graduates this year. The Athlone Fellowships are awarded to Canadian engineering students and graduate engineers for two years to pursue their studies in Britain, either for an advanced degree at a university or for specialized training in a British industry. The scheme was inaugurated in 1951 to further the education of Canadian graduate engineers and to broaden understanding between our countries as a base for improved trade and co-operation.

The Fellows are selected not only for academic and technical excellence but for their interest and participation in outside activities and sports and for personal qualities showing potential for leadership. The Fellowship provides travel to and from Britain and a stipend of £678 (\$2,040) per year while in Britain.

James Ironside expects to spend a year working in British industry and then do a year's post-graduate-work in a British university.

County W.I. President Dublin Guest Speaker

Mrs. E. Winfield and Mrs. C. Armstrong were co-hostesses for the monthly meeting of Dublin Women's Institute last Thursday evening at their home, Lake Avenue. A good attendance of members and visitors were present.

Mrs. C. Britton presided over the meeting and for the opening exercises. Mrs. E. Norton, the secretary, read the minutes and correspondence and called the roll. The roll call was responded to by "Bring a Visitor and introduce her, or a suggestion for obtaining new members". Many thank you notes were read in response to remembrance during the Christmas season. Mrs. C. Thompson reported on the disposition of the hampers to different families at that time.

An invitation was received from the Ashgrove Women's Institute to celebrate their 40th anniversary with them in February.

Hat Course A small gift was presented to Mrs. M. Nellis by Mrs. Norton in appreciation of her efforts as leader of the Training School "Hats to You". It had been a very successful course with 10 ladies from Dublin W.I. participating. It was of much interest to see what had been accomplished in the class, when the new hats were modelled at the meeting.

On February 2 and 3, Mrs. F. McCarron and Mrs. G. Thomson will attend the Training School "The Club Girl Entertains" in Milton and will be leaders for the 4-H Girls in this project.

Various money-making methods were discussed and it was decided to have a bake sale in Acton the latter part of February. In the absence of Mrs. James Van Fleet, convener, Mrs. George Robertson gave a splendid talk on Public Relations and urged the ladies to live as good Women's Institute members should, and to advertise our organization more so that newcomers as well as older residents would feel that it was an organization worthwhile in the neighborhood.

County President

A wealth of information regarding future projects of the Women's Institutes was contained in an interesting address by Mrs. Jesse McEnery, president of Halton County Women's Institutes, the guest speaker. In our own province, she mentioned that there were 35,000 members of the Women's Institutes representing 1,400 branches, and that should

be a strong voice and give weight to issues arising. The speaker had recently attended a Provincial Board meeting in Guelph and brought much of interest from it to the ladies.

Mrs. C. Britton welcomed Mrs. McEnery to the meeting and Mrs. Alex Near thanked her for an inspiring talk and presented her with a small memento. Assisting the co-hostesses, Mrs. Winfield and Mrs. Armstrong, in serving a delicious lunch were Mrs. Edward Wilson and Mrs. J. O'Gorman. Mrs. E. Norton was courtesy convener.

Our Readers Write

LACK OF ACTIVITIES

To whom it may concern: I am writing regarding the lack of activities for the young people of our town. We have the Community Centre, which was paid for by the generosity of industries, businesses and individuals (and many had to sacrifice a lot) in order to have someplace for our young people to go for recreation and still be able to do something constructive, and in order to do this, we need a good qualified recreation director.

When we do get one, we shouldn't quibble about salaries, as it is a specialized field and with the job goes the responsibility of organizing and planning different programs from the youngest to the oldest. But let's not stop there. Surely there are many people who would be only too glad to give a helping hand for a few hours a week to get something going under the supervision of the director (for after all, he is only one man).

I think, too, if the teenagers and young adults were asked if they would like to help, they would respond. Let's give them some responsibility. It's good for them and they need it, and you know, it's surprising the good ideas they have. We would do well to listen. We older ones can learn a lot.

The remuneration you get from helping others is not counted in dollars and cents, but in the feeling you get when you see someone you have helped (even in the smallest way) make a success of life. It makes you glad you were one of the team of helpers. Come on, Acton, make our town so our young people will

Play, Dance, Geography Match Entertain Golden Age Members

A large number of members turned out Thursday night of last week for the regular evening meeting of the Golden Age Club. Two new members were enrolled. The regular reports were duly dealt with. Charles Mason and Mrs. Fred Turner were reported in hospital, and Mrs. Ralston and Mrs. Winn were reported confined to their homes.

A beautiful quilt completed by the quilt committee was on display and tickets were available for the draw on it, which will be held at a later date. The nominating committee for

the election of officers was appointed as follows: Fred Kingsmill chairman, John Hargrave, George Simpson, James Ralston and Mrs. McCutcheon.

Short Play A well received short play was enacted with Mrs. Mason, the lonely grandma, whose daughters (Mrs. Cossar and Mrs. Shoemaker) and maid (Mrs. McIntyre) contrived to make her feel useless and unnecessary, till an ardent church worker (Mrs. Kennedy) came along to show her how her skillful fingers were needed in the church and her valuable knowledge could be put to good use in their new program.

Music for dancing was provided by Mr. Fountain and Mr. Winton and some brave ones who "hadn't danced for years" proved to themselves and others that they hadn't forgotten how to "balance to their partners and promenade the hall."

Geography Match

An old-fashioned geography match, with Mrs. McIntyre and Mrs. Kennedy as captains, showed how easy it was to think of the name of a town, lake or country when it was someone else who had only four seconds to name a place beginning with a certain letter before being eliminated. Mrs. McIntyre's side won the contest.

A nice lunch was served at the close of the enjoyable evening.

Saturday Accident

A two-car accident Saturday afternoon resulted in an estimated \$125 damage when a car driven by Wendy A. Almond, Longfield Road, and a car driven by Harry K. Bannion were involved. Constable Mervin Harness investigated.

Interviews

Attendance at the parent-teacher interviews at the high school Monday was quite good. School prefects assisted in arranging the appointments. The parking lot had been cleared and was edged with a mountain of snow.

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Honor Two Couples Presentations Made

Rockwood — A bridge set was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Ian Cannell of Toronto who were married recently. Mrs. Cannell is the former Carol Nelson of R.R. #1, Rockwood. The presentation was held in the S. & R. Recreation Centre with Ken Duncan as master of ceremonies. Miss Helen Bayne read the address.

Also honored during the evening were Harvey Patterson and Miss Lori Bennett of Acton who are to be married in the near future. Alex McNabb read the address and the couple were presented with a swivel hostess chair and lamp.

Progressive euchre was enjoyed with the prize winners being Mrs. A. Shultz and Mr. O. Buttenham. Lunch was served by the ladies of the community.

St. John's Church Vestry Meeting

Rockwood — The annual vestry meeting of St. John's Anglican Church was held in the Parish Hall with a good attendance. Rev. Sewell presided for the evening. Minutes of previous meetings were read by the Vestry Clerk G. Hudson.

Financial reports of the different organizations were read, discussed and approved, also work to be done for the year on the hall and church were planned. Several appointments were made, including Dr. K. B. Waller as rector's warden, who replaces A. Gould who wishes to devote his time as Sunday school superintendent. G. Hudson was chosen to be people's warden. A good year was reported in the church.

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