

Free Press Women's Page

4-H girls visit

# Greenock W.I. finds film on flower arranging helpful

Greenock W.I. met at the home of the President, Mrs. Gordon Leslie for the March meeting, last Wednesday evening.

Vice-president, Mrs. G. Wallace, opened the meeting with a reading on Spring Rain followed by the Odds and Evens. There was a good attendance of 13 members and 16 visitors including the girls of the local 4-H club.

Roll call of Little Courtesans worth knowing and observing, received excellent responses.

As program co-ordinator, Mrs. Ralph Sinclair very ably presented the Movie - The most important thing you wear is your expression, so smile. She said, the search for happiness is often unending but many times it comes unbidden, stealing over the shoulder of those whose chief aim is in providing happiness for others. She closed her remarks with a smile provoking news-clipping of scrambled reports of a wedding and an auction sale.

Melodies played on the piano according to Misses Leah and Sharon Leslie were much enjoyed by all.

Most are looking forward to the coming of the spring flowers so found the film on flower arranging very colorful and with many helpful hints. Plain containers and use of oasis or needle holders are useful in making interesting arrangements.

One must keep in mind the placement of the bouquet when choosing and arranging the flowers, as a table centre must be low and attractive all around.

while a taller, one sided grouping can be more interesting against a living room wall. The 4-H girls are studying this art in their current project.

Following the film shown by Mrs. Sinclair, she conducted a flower quiz, the winner being Mrs. D. Jansen.

The entries of Mrs. Chester Allan and Mrs. E. Patterson were declared first and second winners in contest for whole wheat buns. Mrs. Allan will bake buns to enter in the contest at Centre Wellington District Annual in May. Mrs. W. Milton and Mrs. D. Milton judged the baking contest.

On behalf of the W.I. members who have enjoyed and profited from the Baking with Yeast Project, Mrs. C. Aitken thanked the leaders Mrs. A. Gares and Mrs. G. Wallace for the capable manner in which they had conducted their meeting, and thus promoted enthusiastic participation in the project. Pretty glass cake plates were presented to those two ladies in appreciation.

Mrs. G. Wallace conducted a lengthy business period concerning many coming events. Four ladies will be attending the 50th Anniversary of Bannockburn W.I. and others hope to accompany members of Ospringe W.I. on a visit to the St. Lawrence Starch Company.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. G. Wallace and will include annual reports and a contest for a lemon cheese cake.

At the close of the meeting

the whole wheat rolls were served with a cheese and relish tray, followed by delicious desserts. The hostess was assisted in preparation and serving by the convener, Mrs. E. Johnston and Mrs. William Johnston.

Mrs. T. Hensley, thanked the hostess and convener for a very pleasant meeting.

Free Press Personals

Town assessor Bill Erskine is in hospital after being taken ill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wilhelm, Paul and Brenda of Waterloo, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hawes of R. R. 1, Limehouse, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemon and family on Sunday.

Laurie Moore, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore, R. R. 1, Limehouse, is spending her winter vacation in Nassau, Bahamas, with her grandmother.

Two grade four classes from the M.Z. Bennett school toured The Free Press Friday afternoon as part of their studies of a newspaper. Teachers shepherding the groups were Miss Fern Small and Mrs. Rourke.

A busload of United Church Sunday School Students, teacher Mrs. A. Long, Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Turner and other friends travelled to Toronto Saturday afternoon for the matinee performance of "You're a Good Man Charlie Brown." Fifty-five cents of each ticket went as a donation to the Northern Corps of teachers.

3-1/2 tons of used stamps had been collected the past year and \$4,200 was received for same, making a wonderful contribution to the work. These stamps otherwise would be thrown away, so save your stamps and turn them in to Miss Annie Atkins.

Mrs. Force and Mrs. Eaton showed slides on India for the remainder of the business period. Lunch was served by the group of the month. A lovely birthday cake was made by Mrs. Taylor for the birthday ladies of the month, four in all.

Mrs. Eaton thanked Mrs. Taylor for the use of her home and was delighted to see so many out in such inclement weather. The collection was taken and the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

Getting out a paper is no picnic. If we print jokes people say we're silly. If we don't, they say we're too serious. If we use stories from other publications, we're too lazy to write 'em ourselves. If we don't, we're stuck on our own stuff. If we make changes in the other fellow's write-up, we're too critical. If we don't we are blamed for poor editing. Now, like as not, some guy will say we swiped this from another sheet. We did!

happy couple and everyone had a most enjoyable evening. The bride and groom are spending this week in Hamilton.

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"TEXAS TOM" - Cartoon

# Special projects highlight Lakeside's program

The annual report of the 49th year of the Lakeside Chapter I.O.O.F. Acton.

During the 1967 year the chapter held 10 regular meetings in the Legion auditorium and two executive meetings with a total membership of 46, including four out-of-town members. The average attendance was 22. Four new members were welcomed into the chapter during the year.

Membership was divided into six groups, each being responsible for programming and lunch for meetings.

We enjoyed three guest speakers, a demonstration, two pot luck suppers, slides, talent table and a Remembrance Day and Christmas program.

Mr. Maurice Grimes, executive director of the Ontario Division of Cancer Society, showed slides and spoke on his trip to

Tokyo for the International Cancer Congress. Mrs. Lobb of West Pakistan now teaching in Georgetown spoke on her native land and its customs. Miss Jean Little of Guelph, a writer of children's books spoke about reading and its influence. She autographed two of her books which the chapter presented to our local library.

Throughout the year the chapter was busy locally - aiding the Centennial Committee by sending out letters re the town's centennial plans. At the Fall Fair members convened a Hospitality Corner, serving tea and cookies as a Centennial gesture. Members in Centennial costume took part in the Fair parade.

With assistance from the Rotarians of Acton, Christmas hampers were prepared for the needy families in the vicinity. A bazaar was held in February. In

April a very successful Centennial Tea was held at the home of Mrs. Marguerite Taylor with over 175 attending. Family heirlooms, antique dolls and china and many interesting articles were on display.

The members assisted at the Blood Clinic, the Cancer Drive and the C. N. L. B. Canvass. Throughout the year we had a most successful sale of Centennial and Canadian spoons. Again we had many entries in the local fall fair which helped boost our funds. Our annual November bazaar was the most successful in a number of years.

A Canadian flag and framed picture of the Queen were presented to our new library and two flags were donated to Robert Little School. Rings were awarded to the high school boys

and girl with the highest standing in middle and upper school and a \$25.00 scholarship was also presented. Twenty-six never-late never-absent certificates were also presented.

Donations were given to Acton Community Services, the Choraller Fund, Halton Music Festival, Decoration Day Committee, Canadian Legion, Poppy Fund and a Remembrance Day wreath.

The sick were remembered with cards and flowers were sent to bereaved.

During the Christmas season members attended a Christmas tea at Halton Museum for a most enjoyable afternoon. Our Regent attended the annual meeting in Ottawa.

Of the national scene we donated to the following funds: X-ray for Korea Common-wealth Hospitals, Overseas Relief Fund Peace Garden Fund, National Shipping, Korean Projects, Wilhelmina Gordon Foundation.

Provincially, our donations went to Lucy Morrison Memorial Fund, Special Representative Fund, Canadian Scene, Services at Home and Abroad shipping.

Under the very able leadership of our Services at Home and Abroad convener the chapter had a most successful year. A total of 148 articles, including 14 quilts was shipped. Hospital gowns were also made. Pocket books were shipped to armed services overseas and eye glasses were collected for the Lions Club.

The members express sincere thanks to their Regent, Mrs. C. E. Nellis for the leadership which made 1967 such a successful and rewarding year for "Lakeside." As members of Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire may we begin our new year, our 50th anniversary, with interest and enthusiasm and a desire to work for the aims of the Order and the betterment of our Chapter.

Submitted by

Regent

Grace Nellis

Secretary

Elizabeth Dowling

MARCH FIELD  
F.R. Scott

Now the old folded snow  
Shrinks from black earth  
Now is thrust forth  
Heavy and still  
The field's dark furrow,  
Not yet the flowing,  
The mould-stirring  
Nor yet the inevitable flow,  
There is a warm wind, stealing  
From blunt brown hills, loosening  
Sod and cold loam  
Round rigid root and stem.

But no seed stirs  
In this bare prison  
Under the hollow sky  
The stone is not yet rolled away  
Nor the body risen.

# Stamps, sheets, pins put to use by U.C.W.

Unit 2 of the U.C.W. of Trinity United Church was invited to the lovely home of Mrs. Marguerite Taylor for the monthly meeting and to spend the afternoon with Mrs. Mabel Symon, it being her birthday.

Mrs. Eaton, president, was in the chair and opened the meeting with a prayer of Faith and all repeated the U.C.W. creed.

Mrs. Shoemaker was in charge of the devotional. Mrs. Warne and Mrs. Herrington had the scripture readings and Mrs. Shoemaker took as her topic, Who is my Neighbor? Miss Simmons sang a lovely solo. A short prayer ended this part of the meeting.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report was also read and approved. Roll call was answered

ed by 25 members, one new member and one visitor. Thirty-five visits were made during the past month. Mrs. Shoemaker's report on sick and shut-ins was very thorough as usual.

An invitation was read from St. Andrews United Church, Georgetown, to a hat show on March 18.

All members were asked to save their old cotton sheets to be made into bandages for the Lepers, and safety pins to be attached. The bale is to be packed in April, the date to be set later.

A bake sale will be held at Simpson-Sears March 29 from 10 a.m. and all members are asked to supply baking.

They have been asked to cater for a wedding in July, plans to be made later.

A card was received from the mission on Lepers, stating that

# Bethel Tabernacle, Bracebridge scene Hancher-MacNaughton vows

Bethel Tabernacle, Bracebridge was the setting of a very pretty wedding Saturday, March 16 at 3 p.m. of Ann Elizabeth, daughter of Mrs. Freda Hancher of Orillia and Douglas Leighton

MacNaughtan son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan MacNaughtan of Bracebridge.

Rev. A. Gallagher of Mactier officiated. Given in marriage by Rev. Austin Godcko, the bride looked charming in a street length gown of silver brocade with white accessories, and carried white and yellow mums. Her matron of honor was Mrs. Ken Redman, dressed in a pretty green crepe with sequins and white accessories. She carried red roses and white mums.

The groom's attendant was Ken Redman. Wedding music was played by Mrs. Austin Godcko. The wedding reception was at the groom's home, a dinner prepared by Mrs. Gladys Griffith, Mrs. Gertrude Oliver and Cathy MacNaughtan.

The groom's parents were unable to attend the wedding at the church, the father having had two serious operations at Western Hospital, Toronto, and had been allowed home the day before the wedding. The mother has not been well for the last couple of years.

Wayne Jackson, nephew of the groom, a C.B.C. photographer from Kingston, took the wedding pictures.

Neighbors and friends came with gifts to congratulate the

## W.I. celebrates

Bannockburn W. I. celebrates its 50th anniversary today (Wednesday) with a luncheon at Limehouse Presbyterian Church and program. Story and pictures next week.

## Bronze medal U. of G. student

A special University of Guelph award of merit was presented to Miss Janet Rogvaldson from the students' union council at the Major Societies banquet at the university Friday, March 15.

The bronze award is given to individuals who have "given freely of their time and energy to student affairs during their undergraduate years."

Janet is in her final year of arts at Wellington College.

She was chairman of the course evaluation, secretary of the union council and active in various campus activities.

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The old photograph of Miss Mable Masalos, in this "Photos from the Past" two weeks ago was given to Ivan Harris by Mrs. J. M. Harris, Mr. Harris informs us, Miss Masalos lived in the house pictured the same week.

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