

Walk from Lowville to Rockwood raise \$900 for mission work

Neither rain, sleet, snow or hail could stop the 41 walkers who hiked all 20 miles from Lowville to Rockwood on Sunday, March 29.

Despite a blizzard, blisters, lack of food, angry dogs, lack of facilities and cold weather, 41 walkers finished the course from the 69 who started.

The Erasmus Young Peoples' Group conceived the project to raise money for the Missions but as others heard about it enthusiasm spread to the community and before long it became an ecumenical community effort. Nearly \$900 has been pledged to mission projects as a result.

Two Canadian missions, Summer of Service and Young Life will benefit.

Walkers from Toronto, Galt, Guelph, Eden Mills and Rockwood took part in the project, youngest of whom was five year-old Kenny Death. Oldest walker to finish the 20 gruelling miles was Kenny's father, Ray Death of Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnston of Rockwood were the only couple to complete the 20 miles. Rockwood Presbyterian Church marked the end of the journey where members of the

Twilight Auxiliary served a very welcome hot lunch. June Thomson, one of the walk organizers, was full of

praise for those who took part and especially those who walked. "I hope your blisters are all healed," she said.



THEY TRUDGED 20 miles from Lowville to Rockwood and raised \$900 for two Canadian missions. (Photo by Don Hillis)

Boost claims up to \$50,000

Legislation to increase the maximum payable from the Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund, has been introduced by Hon. Irwin Haskett, Ontario's Minister of Transport. The new legislation, which becomes effective on September 1, 1969, will permit payments out of the fund up to a total of \$50,000 for damages caused by any one collision in Ontario, involving an uninsured motor vehicle. The present maximum is \$35,000.

The Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Fund is a special financial reserve established by the Ontario Government to make payments within specified limits to victims of uninsured motorists and hit and run drivers.

"The increase to \$50,000 recognizes the general rise in costs since the \$35,000 limit was set in 1962," Mr. Haskett said.

"It is in keeping with our policy of maintaining the position of the Fund as a thoroughly effective method of providing compensation for the innocent victims of collisions that are caused by an uninsured vehicle."

The Fund is self-sustaining. Owners of motor vehicles unable to provide proof of valid insurance coverage must pay a \$25 uninsured motor vehicle fee. These fees plus one dollar paid by each driver in the Province go into the special reserve. It does not provide any insurance and the uninsured motorist must repay all sums paid out on his behalf. Until he has filed proof of financial responsibility and made arrangements for repayment in full or by installments, his vehicle permit and driver's licence are suspended.

Re-elect W.I. officers welcome new members

By Mrs. A. Benton

Limehouse Women's Institute annual meeting was held in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Wednesday evening, preceded by a delicious pot luck supper including hot dishes, buns, muffins, salads, pickles, jellies and cookies.

Annual reports of conveners were read and mailed to county conveners. The District Director Mrs. Gishy reported on a recent meeting in Milton. A number plan to attend Mountain Union's anniversary.

An invitation was received from Silverwood to attend their May meeting and members were urged to attend. Not enough interest was shown in a trip to the St. Lawrence Starch Co. and had to be turned down. Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. N. Anderson, is being sponsored to attend a conference in Guelph soon.

Mr. E. Sanford was asked to chair the election of officers. A motion was moved and seconded to re-constitute the previous year's officers.

Past president Mrs. S. Gishy, President Mrs. Frank Brown, Vice-president Mrs. James Noble.

Secretary-treasurer Mrs. Neil Anderson.

Assistant secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Jno. Noble.

District Director Mrs. Gishy, Alternate district director Mrs. Jas. Noble.

Branch Directors Mrs. James Noble and Mrs. J. Roughley.

Pianist Mrs. Roughley.

Press Reporter, Mrs. A. W. Benton.

Conveners of standing committees were appointed as follows:

Agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. James Noble.

Citizenship and Education, Mrs. A. W. Benton.

Historical Research and Current Events, Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

Home Economics and Health, Mrs. J. Roughley.

Resolutions, Mrs. E. Sanford.

Public Relations, Mrs. E. Brown.

Auditors, Mrs. Jno. Noble and Mrs. Roughley.

Flower and Fruit, Mrs. Gishy.

A former valued member, Mrs. Elberly, now of Erin, was a welcome visitor at supper and the meeting.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Paul Spitzer and family and to Mr. August Spitzer in the passing of Mr. Paul Spitzer on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lister, Stephanie, Jeanne and Jonathan, spent several days over the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lister and family at Springfield, New Jersey.

A belated welcome to Mr. Gordon Loader, formerly of Georgetown who owns the home built by the Janssen family.

Also welcome to Mrs. Morris formerly of Toronto.

Also to Mr. and Mrs. Knoespel and family who purchased the former Swinkles home when they built their new house at the east of the village.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. William Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs.

SILVERWOOD

W.I. anniversary marked at euchre

By Mrs. F. Scott

Fifteen tables of euchre were enjoyed by enthusiastic players on Tuesday evening, March 25, at Stewarttown. It was the annual party of Silverwood Women's Institute and it was their 18th anniversary.

Mr. F. Robinson was high and Mr. E. Miller low score; Mrs. M. Murray high and Mrs. E. Miller low. Mr. Thompson won the birthday gift. Mr. Dave Williamson had the lucky chair.

Lunch was served at the close of a very happy evening at cards.

Free Press Personal

Miss Margaret McMillan of Streetville and Miss Suzanne Cross of Hamilton visited Good Friday with Miss Kathy McKenzie.

Miss Dianne Rohr visited on the weekend with her sister Mrs. William Coats and family.

Miss Elsie K. Stewart, Miss Bertha Brown and Mr. Ian Brown of Toronto visited in town on the weekend.

Mrs. Waudby Hilton and Mrs. Edna Tapp of Iron Bridge, Ontario, visited on Saturday with their uncle Mr. Donald Keel.

Lt. Sandra Young (N.E.S.) of the Canadian Forces Station, Holberg, B.C. was a weekend visitor at the home of Mrs. Elsie Johnson and Helen Vatemann.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Park and Cathy spent the Easter weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landsborough, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landsborough of Toronto visited with them on Good Friday.

Campbell Sinclair and Carl in the sudden passing of Mr. Sinclair whose funeral was held on Monday.

The choir directed by Mrs. Roughley and Mrs. Bert Benton, sang two anthems at Easter services at Limehouse Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Floral arrangements there were in memory of Paul Spitzer, who will be greatly missed in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lindsay and children visited their parents near Montreal over the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McEnery, Stanley and Beryl, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brown, Betty Anne, Mary Lou and Ted, and William Kain were all guests at the McLean-Fisher wedding and reception at Boston Presbyterian Church on Saturday evening.

Intended for last week

Our sudden return of winter has been a bad welcome for our summer birds. Robins have been numerous here for several weeks and a week ago even the killdeers were crying.

Communion was observed last Sunday at Limehouse Presbyterian Church.

M.P. Rud Whiting, home during the Easter recess, was in Acton Monday calling on constituents.

Easter visitors from Powassan at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moore were the latter's sister Mrs. Agnes Rose and children Debbie, Lisa and Randy and her mother, Mrs. Gertrude Hodgins.

A happy family reunion took place at the Edgar Lidkeas on Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Lidkeas had daughter Jean and her husband, Mike Middleton, grandchildren Scott and Susan home from Summerside, P.E.I., son Randy from Owen Sound with his fiancée Miss Heather Cairns of Queenston, Ontario, son David and his wife Gail. Celebrating with them were Heather's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cairns and her sister Yvonne, all of Queenston.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. McEnery died March 17

Funeral services were held Wednesday, March 19 for Annie June McEnery, Ballinafad. Rev. K. Johnston conducted the service at the Rumley-Shoemaker funeral home and interment was in Fairview cemetery, Acton.

Palibearers were Jim Kirkwood, Elwood Snow, Frank Smith, Lloyd Marshall, Garnet Sinclair and Don Early. Flower bearers were Norm Sinclair, Don Van Fleet, Vic Masters, Don Evans, Jesse McEnery and Stewart Russell.

Mrs. McEnery is survived by her husband Joseph Cameron; son: Ernest, Ballinafad, grandchildren Carolyn, Acton and Bill, Georgetown; and a brother George Evans, Wingham.

She was predeceased by a brother William Evans of Acton.

She was born in Toronto June 12, 1891, daughter of the late Mary Ann Robson and Charles Evans and attended school in Acton. She was married in Acton December 27, 1917, and moved from Acton to Ballinafad 33 years ago. She was a glove maker for many years.

She attended Ballinafad United Church and was active in the former Ballinafad W.A. and Ballinafad U.C.W. Knitting, croquet work and sewing were her hobbies she worked for the Red Cross during the War.

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