

Reports Presented at Local Council of Women Annual Meeting

The Local Council of Women held their annual meeting in the Municipal building, Friday, Jan. 19th at 8 p.m.

The President, Mrs. Ralph Ross, presided. After opening with silent prayer, Mrs. Ross welcomed the members and friends, then read the New Year's Message to Local Councils by Mrs. E. Hardy, O.B.E., President of the National Council of Women.

"As we enter this year of our Lord, the hundred and forty-fifth, and reflect on the course which we wish to follow, let us realize that while to us of us will be given the privilege of shaping the lofty policies of state, yet to everyone of us is given the opportunity of removing misunderstandings between classes, creeds and races in our own community—may every member of our great organization fully exemplify the principle upon which this organization was founded: Let us stand together without distinction of race, creed or politics.

"And now abideth faith, hope and love." These words in the five awful years of humanity's present Gethsemane has kept man from slipping backward in the domain of bestiality. Our brave men are shedding their blood for our salvation just as truly as did Christ upon the Cross. Greater love hath no man than this. Let us prove worthy of their supreme sacrifice by a renewed consecration of ourselves to the task of helping to make this world a better place to live in.

"True are the words 'there can be no new world after this war except through a rebirth of human character.' God grant to each of us the recognition of our need to accept such a challenge."

The minutes of last year's annual meeting were read and affirmed. The treasurer gave a report in full of the financial work of the Council, leaving a nice balance.

The following reports were given by the representatives of Affiliated Societies.

Mrs. B. Francis read the report of the Leper Mission. Their only meeting of the year was not as well attended as it could have been. God commanded us to "cleanse and heal the leper" and said "I ye love me keep my commandments." Archbishop Thompson said in part: "It was most difficult to elicit help for the lepers because they are so far away. Yet we must let our sympathies be wide, and our succour generous, so that we may be a weak echo of the love of Jesus."

The report of the W.A. to the Canadian Legion was read by Mrs. B. Francis. This Society is very busy making their funds by dances, bingo and raffles. Every two months each boy overseas receives 300 cigarettes. The Veterans' Guard and boys in Canada are remembered. Non-smokers received chocolates. Donations this year were sent to Poppy Fund, Navy League, Red Cross, Christmas Tree (men's branch); a bale of clothing to Britain and donation to Lord Mayors' Fund.

Miss M. Campbell read the report of the W.M.S. of the United Church in the absence of Mrs. Nielsen. It is a very active Society. Held eleven meetings, two of which were thanksgiving with special speakers from Toronto, and one outdoor Life Members' Meeting. A bale of clothing was sent to school in Manitoba.

The I.O.D.E. report was given by Mrs. R. Paul due to the absence of the representative, Mrs. Sam. Mackenzie. During the year the Chapter made

donations to Soldiers' Comforts, Poppy Fund, High School prize, High School Bursary, Red Cross, British Blanket Fund, the Adopted School, Personal Comfort Bags, and the Miners' Welfare; also gave knitted goods to the Lorne Scots. They made their funds by Opportunity Sale, cut glass raffle, bridge, theatre night, mile-of-ponies, and skating carnival.

The Soldiers' Comforts Committee had a very successful year. Miss M. Lawson read a very interesting report. This committee held a tag day at the Georgetown Fair. In part: "We also had more special donations and while we do very little advertising we seem to be remembered by the people. We are deeply grateful to the Board of Trade, Mr. Ben. Young and other friends. We feel by our works we are known." Over 300 men and women on our lists. In November cigarettes reached many of our boys in time for Xmas. In April 1944 cigarettes were sent and chocolates to non-smokers. Miss Lawson also sends letters to parents of wounded or missing."

Miss A. Ryan our Red Cross Representative submitted the following report. During 1944 five shipments of 1340 articles were made to head-quarters, consisting of hospital supplies, seaman's comforts, army and airforce comforts, and British civilian clothing. Four blood donor clinics were held. All credit is due Miss Ryan, secretary of clinic.

The Baptist Mission report was read by Mrs. A. Reeve. Their membership is small, but active. They met their allocation and made and donated a few quilts for British war victims.

Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie read the report of the Wedding Pool. Late in the season the pool was repaired by Mr. Campbell Sinclair. A plan was given to have the pool ready for use next year.

Miss Hettie Lawson moved a vote of appreciation to the representatives for their splendid reports, seconded by Mrs. Wm. Nodwell.

Mrs. Ross spoke in a few well-chosen words of her appreciation for having been honored as president and thanks to the executive. Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie spoke with great regret that Mrs. Ross does not see her way clear to continue as president.

Miss Ryan took the chair and the convenors were as follows:

League of Nations—Mrs. H. L. Hutz.
Recreation—Mrs. J. B. Mackenzie.
Citizenship—Mrs. Ballantine.
Laws, Women and Children—Miss M. Lawson.
Education—Mrs. A. M. Nielsen.
Mental Hygiene—Miss G. Young.
Cinema—Miss E. Barber.

Mrs. Ross gave a splendid report of the Provincial meeting held in Toronto. The meeting adjourned.

"IN OUR MAIL BAG"

Georgetown, Ont.

Dear Sir:

We note that there is a rumor around town about drinking going on at the Curling Club. The members are very indignant about this as there is no truth in it.

The Curling Club is enjoying a very successful year, with plenty of good clean sport and the members resent this kind of humor. They are asking the parties responsible for same to retract the statement at once.

There has been a real effort made by the Parks Management to clean up the arena and we feel that a fairly good job has been done.

W. G. BELL.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. A. H. Feller, of Owen Sound, spent the week end at his home in town.

Mrs. Gordon Brown has returned to town from a month's visit in New Brunswick, N.J., with her sister, Mrs. M. G. Bell.

Mr. Jack Foulis, Toronto, and Mr. Hugh Weid, of Ottawa, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Foulis.

Mrs. W. C. Anthony of Brampton attended the funeral of the late Mrs. P. F. Blackburn on Tuesday, and remained in town for a few days.

P.J.O. and Mrs. Norman Herbert, R.O.N.V.R., Halifax, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herbert last week end.

Mrs. William Bullivant and Miss Ethel Wood were guests at the Bullivant-Constable wedding in Hamilton on Saturday.

Mrs. L. J. Bell received a cable last week from her husband, P.J.O. "Bus" Bell upon his safe arrival in Britain.

Mr. and Mrs. Bickell and daughter are living at the Smith & Stone Staff House on Maple Avenue, while waiting for their new home on Edith Street to be finished. Mr. Bickell is the new office manager at Smith & Stone, Ltd.

Mrs. Ray Salter and Bobby moved to town last week from Toronto, and the family have taken up residence in the former McKay home near the park. Mr. Salter has been employed at Smith & Stone, Ltd., for the past few months and had been boarding in town until accommodation could be secured for his wife and son.

The Rebekah war services meeting was held on Monday night at the home of Mrs. S. Groat. A collection of \$5 was taken for the I.O.D.E. book fund. A cup of tea was served by the refreshments committee—Mrs. E. Dron, Mrs. Jack McGibbon and Mrs. Howard Lallico. At ten p.m. the forty members present adjourned to the home of a departed member, Mrs. Mrs. P. F. Blackburn, where a Rebekah service was conducted by Mrs. E. Dron, Noble Grand, Mrs. Lillian Ritchie, Vice-Grand, and Mrs. Walter Mendham, chaplain.

RECEIVED OFFICIAL WORD

Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy received official word from Ottawa that their son P.J.O. William Murphy lost his life over Karlsruhe on April 26th—nine months since he was shot down in a Halifax bomber. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and family in their sad loss.

Stroke Fatal to William J. Allen of Glen

A stroke suffered a week ago was fatal to a life-long district resident, William James Allen, who passed away in Guelph General Hospital on Saturday, January 20th. The late Mr. Allen was planning to attend the wedding in London of a grandson when the fatal seizure occurred.

In his 68th year, he was born in Norval on April 21st, 1877, and was a son of the late Samuel and Catherine Allen. He moved to Glen Williams with his parents when he was a small boy, attended Glen Williams, later working in the Barraclough Woolen Mill. He was an employee of the Canadian National Railways for some years. In politics he was a supporter of the Conservative party.

In 1897 he was married to Mary Melinda Moore, who survives to mourn his loss. Also surviving are two sons, William J. Allen, Jr. and Victor G. Allen, both of London, Ontario; four grandchildren, Lillian Hammond, Walter, Marilyn and Leslie Allen, of London; three brothers, Thomas Allen, Georgetown, George W. Allen, Glen Williams, and Alfred W. Allen, Rockwood; and two sisters, Eliza Jane Dennis, Wellandport, and Lily May Halliday, Niagara Falls.

Rev. A. O. W. Foreman conducted the funeral services from the home yesterday afternoon. Pall-bearers were Alex. Warren, William Davison, Bert Hill, James Hill, Robert Blyth and John Crawford. Interment was in Glen Williams Cemetery.

E.D. McWHIRTER TELLS LIONS ABOUT PAPER INDUSTRY

At the regular meeting of Georgetown Lions Club held Monday evening in the McGibbon House, members enjoyed a talk by a member of the club, Lion Ed. McWhirter, who spoke on the paper industry. Describing the process by which wood is converted into the finished product, Lion McWhirter extended an invitation to all the members to visit the "lower mill" of Provincial Paper Ltd., of which he is supervisor, and view the plant in operation. He was introduced by Lion Ralph Ross and a vote of thanks was extended by Lion Dick Licata at the conclusion of his talk.

2nd Vice-president, Rev. C. C. Cochrane, presided at a short business meeting which followed the talk. A donation of \$100 was voted to the Lions British Child War Victims Fund—the second such donation in recent months. Secretary Walter Carpenter introduced a visitor, Angus Phillips, who is a member of the Chippewa Club.

SMITH & STONE NEWS

A social evening for the employees was held in the Legion Rooms on Friday evening, January 19th. The purpose of this gathering was to say farewell to Mr. Barnett Stone, who had left the Company as General Manager, as at January 1st, 1945, after being connected with the business for over 25 years. Quite a large number of employees were present, some of many years standing, and some of lesser number of years, as well as Mr. and Mrs. Stone, who came out from Toronto for the occasion.

The early part of the evening was occupied by a program, mainly put on by the employees. Harry Hale sang the usual capable master-of-ceremonies and kept things rolling along in an interesting manner. There were numbers by the popular Rhythm Rubes, Harry Hale sang, Andy Dewhurst's comic songs were enjoyed by all, as well as Jean Harley's solo, and instrumental numbers by E. Lemon, E. Wilson, and D. Williams, with their guitars and harmonica. The Gang sang a couple of numbers, accompanied by Mrs. J. Emmerson, and Harvey Dewhurst accompanied his father, and played also for community singing which is very popular.

Then William McDonald, as chairman of the gathering, called on Mr. and Mrs. Stone to come to the platform, where Clarence Spence of the Pottery Dept. presented Mr. Stone with a gold wrist watch, engraved from the employees. Elsie Whilmsmith of the Assembly Dept. presented Mrs. Stone with a bouquet expressing the employee's regard, and Mrs. Hazel Arnold presented Mr. Stone with a Waterman fountain pen and pencil set from the Office Staff. All expressed their regret at Mr. Stone leaving after so many years with the Company, and wished both him and Mrs. Stone many long years of health and happiness ahead.

Mr. Stone in turn called Fred Gilmer of the Punch Press Dept. and Bernard Armstrong of the Clay Press Dept., who had both been with the Company since the beginning in 1919, and presented to them waterproof wrist watches, engraved with the number of years of service, in token of his appreciation of their remaining with the Company from its beginning.

A lunch of sandwiches, cake, and coffee followed, and after that the floor was cleared for dancing to the music of the Rhythm Rubes, with Jack Cain as floor manager for old-time dancing. The gathering broke up at one o'clock, with the singing of the National Anthem. When Mr. and Mrs. Stone left a little earlier in the evening, all joined hands and sang in farewell, "Auld Lang Syne."

The Social Committee wishes to thank the officers and members of Local 528 U.E.W. for their very generous donation, covering the total expenses for the evening, also all those who so willingly gave their time, talent and sandwiches that made the night a great success.

United Church Choir Holds Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the United Church Choir was held Thursday evening, January 18th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Clarke. The choir practised for a short time after which the minutes of the last annual meeting were read and adopted. President of the choir, Mr. S. T. Faram, then conducted the election of officers, the results being as follows:

President—Mr. S. T. Faram.
Vice-President—Mrs. R. H. Wright.
Secretary-Treasurer—Betty Snyder.
Librarians—Marjorie Kentner, Eleanor Milliere, Jack MacLaren.
Gown Matron—Mrs. A. R. Vannatter.

Social Committee—Mrs. W. H. Kentner and Mrs. B. Swackhamer.

Several items of business were discussed and plans made for 1945. Mr. Faram stressed the need for more men in the choir to substitute for those who are on Active Service. An invitation is extended to men who can read music and who like to sing, to join with them. With a good male section some real fine work could be undertaken.

At the close of the meeting a delightful lunch was served and a vote of thanks tendered the hostess.

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