

Seek \$35,500 in Halton For Blind Campaign

Local Women's Council Discusses Resolutions

A number of resolutions from the National Council of Women which will be discussed at the world convention in June in Helsinki, Finland, were discussed at the last meeting of the Local Council of Women recently.

Resolutions from different ladies groups in the world include:

AUSTRALIA: "That the National Councils of Women in the countries of emigration should endeavor to take some responsibility for the preparation for migration of women intending to settle in other countries in order that women migrants may have the best possible knowledge of the countries to which they intend going and that the NCWs in the countries of immigration should be prepared to supply such information as is not available in the countries of emigration."

GREAT BRITAIN: This resolution dealt largely with moral standards, reaffirmed its belief in the unity of moral law and called upon the NCWs to be vigilant in safeguarding this principle at all times.

It urged the need for international consultation and action to introduce some form of affiliation order for the maintenance of an illegitimate child which will be internationally valid.

It stressed the insufficiency of bringing material and cultural benefits only to the receiving countries without fully taking into account the spiritual needs of their people and called upon National Councils of Women to supplement governmental action in this vital aspect of the work.

Regarding cinema Great Britain asks its NCs to impress upon the production distribution and exhibition sections of their national film industry the importance of providing good family entertainment films, portraying sound moral standards and no undue violence.

BELGIUM: This resolution reaffirms that the right of women, married or unmarried, to work must be recognized and respected in times of unemployment as well as in times of full employment, declares that measures taken in favor of the unemployed must be the same for both sexes.

SWEDEN: As the family is the important foundation of all social life and development, we consider it necessary that every possible effort be made to strengthen the family bonds through information of an instruction in what may be called family knowledge.

UNITED STATES: This resolution is lengthy but in the main speaks of peaceful and friendly relations between countries, higher standards of living, full employment — and further technical assistance.

From the W.A. United Church of Canada: In support of the protest made by the parliamentary committee of NCW at their meeting with the Prime Minister:

"The Dominion Council of the Women's Association of the United Church of Canada, with a membership of 200,000 women protests the proposed increase in postage rates which will seriously affect voluntary organizations such as ours. We earnestly request your government to reconsider the proposed increase."

Halton county will seek to raise \$35,500 as its share of the \$375,000 Building Fund of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, county chairman L. D. Maxwell of Oakville announced this week.

Communities in which local appeals are being conducted are: Burlington, Oakville, Milton, Georgetown and Acton.

The chairman for the county reported that individual goals for each community would be set before the public phase of the appeal, April 20. Currently Mr. Maxwell is completing his enlistment of chairmen for each community. Community team captains also will be enlisted before mid-April.

Vice chairman for the county is F. Bruce Harrison, of Oakville. Community chairmen enlisted to date are: E. Manson Milne, of Burlington, and Herbert T. Roden, of Oakville.

In announcing the subscription goal for Halton County, Mr. Maxwell said, "This will give us a major stake in the Canadian National Institute for the Blind's new rehabilitation centre. It is an important step toward seeing that our blind neighbours in Halton County will have every opportunity to live happy and useful lives."

Elect Year's Officers At Cheltenham Meeting

Members of the Cheltenham Farmers Club held their St. Patrick's meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLeod, when the executive were elected as follows:

Arthur Hutchinson, president; Andrew Henderson, vice president; Elmer Newhouse, secretary treasurer; Thomas Davidson, assistant secretary; Hugo Lyons, Fred McDonald, George Wilkinson, directors.

Mrs. George Wilkinson presided for the ladies program. The creed was given by Mrs. Stafford McCulloch. For the roll call each lady had an Irish joke. A solo "Galway Bay" was given by Mrs. Clare Hutchinson accompanied by Mrs. Fred McDonald. A paper of interest on "St. Patrick's Day" was given by Mrs. J. J. Campbell who concluded with a short article on "Old Times' Spring Impressions". The program closed with a solo by Mrs. Norman Mountain "Bluebird of Happiness" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Norman Hutchinson.

Progressive euchre was played and the high lady was Mrs. Fred McDonald and Arthur MacDonald was the high gentleman. The highest lone hand prize was won by Mrs. George Harris, and other prize winners were Mrs. Mary Henderson and William Hutchinson and the carrying prizes were won by Mrs. Ellen McPherson and Walter Cook.

The members of the Terra Cotta Farmers Club are entertaining at Snelgrove Community Hall, Monday evening, April 5th, when the members of the Cheltenham Farmers club will be their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilkinson will entertain for the Cheltenham Farmers' Club meeting April 13.

Imperial Oil Employee Was Native of Hornby

Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George R. Anderson, Hornby, Charles W. Anderson, 64, of Mimico died suddenly on March 15th.

Born in Toronto, he was raised on the family farm at Hornby now owned by his brother William and after his marriage he was employed for some years at the Fred Wrigglesworth farm. He later farmed at Britannia, then joined Imperial Oil Ltd. where he was working in the service department at the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude Readman, two children Harvey of Streetsville and Mrs. Edna White, New York, and brothers and sisters Mrs. Fred Huffman (Mabel) William and Alvin, Hornby, Mrs. A. Clark (Dolly) of Toronto and Joe of Flint, Michigan. A brother Stanley predeceased him five years ago.

Funeral services at the funeral service in Britannia United Church included two district men, George Currie and Fred Wrigglesworth. Interment was in Britannia Cemetery.

Rebekahs Are Hosts at Annual Birthday Euchre

An enjoyable evening was spent Wednesday with 23 tables playing euchre in the Oddfellows Hall at Verdun Rebekah Lodge's annual birthday party.

The Noble Grand, Mrs. Dick Riddell introduced Mrs. Florence Kaiser, district deputy president of Toronto who welcomed everyone to the party. Mrs. Marion Hudson, Toronto, played God Save the Queen before the opening.

Prize-winners at euchre were Mrs. Frank Robinson, Mrs. Fred Sinclair, Mr. Garvin Chappell and Mr. T. H. Allen. The birthday prize was won by Mrs. S. Robin and the door prize by Mrs. George Walters. The winners of the lucky draw were Mrs. Charlotte Bradley, Toronto and George Riddell, Jr.

Lunch was served downstairs afterwards, including a delicious birthday cake.

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