



OFFICIALS AT TOURNEY

ZONE OFFICIALS attended a large crabs tournament at Legion Branch 120 on March 19 which drew a capacity entry. Left to right, Jim Hall, Water Region, district sports chairman, A. Y. Reynolds, Port Credit, zone sports chairman, 'Gob' Collier, branch sports chairman, and Alex Waldron, Port Credit, zone sports secretary. — Photo by Jay's Studio, Georgetown

LEGION NOTES



The regular monthly meeting was held last Thursday evening, President Dave Capperaud in the chair, and secretary, Charlie Day and Treasurer Wallace Thompson present.

Reports of committees were given, and sick convener Mrs. T. F. Grieve gave her report, bingo chairman Alex Taylor gave his and Gob Collier, the sports chairman gave a lengthy report, including the results of the previous Saturday's crabs tournament. He also announced coming sports events.

Correspondence was read and adopted minutes of previous executive meetings as well as the last general meeting were read and confirmed.

Under general business a recommendation was brought in that any of the older members who for sickness, or other reason, cannot keep up their dues, same may be paid by branch, and Command given their per capita tax, at the discretion of the executive. Jack Crichton was again named as honorary president for 1960.

It was reported that the Hospital Fund was growing nicely. There was some discussion about holding a Friday night dance, possibly once a month, and it was hoped by the meeting that this be tried.

A district convention will be held in the near future, and it was left to the executive to appoint delegates.

After a number of other business items were dealt with the journal was moved and the 'Queen' brought the meeting to a close.

Readers of Echoes of 25 years ago will be surprised to see that our present treasurer, Wallace Thompson was also treasurer in 1935. Other officers included a long time president and executive member, Lt. Col. Gordon Brown, and also vice presidents Dr. C. V. Williams and the late Dr. R. Learmonth; secretary, the late A. B. Parr and an executive consisting of two past presidents, Lt. Col. Gordon Cousins and John D. Kelly and Jack Smith (who recently moved to England to live after his retirement), and the late S. Groat.

Last Friday's Globe and Mail featured a front page photo of two men well known locally. We refer to the picture of the VC's and the famous French underground heroine, 'Odetta', who won the George Cross in World War II. The men known to local vets are of course, Lt. Col. Charlie Rutherford, a cousin of the late Tom Grieve, and holder of a unique set of decorations, ranging from the Victoria Cross to the Military Medal, won as an enlisted man. Unique we believe, because we have heard that he is the only man in the British Empire to have won the entire group that he holds. In bygone years, a well known local visitor, he still will be remembered by many. Major Handley Geary has also visited in town many times, and we recall was present at the funeral of his good friend Gordon Cousins a few years back. He is the sergeant at arms in Ontario's legislature. It was interesting to see him at a recent opening of parliament, carry the mace up the aisle of the chambers, and place it on the table, before the Lieutenant Governor, the Hon. Keiller MacKay, another great old Legionnaire and past provincial president. Interesting, because to watch him do it, few would realize that his eyesight was such that he could barely see.

Orval Rayner was the lucky man this week, and will be the richer by \$138. Congratulations, Orv, can't think of anyone we'd sooner see win it (except the writer, of course).

We regret to hear, rather belatedly, of the serious illness of our business friend, Henry Shepher. At present he is in Sunnyside Hospital, and is under-

going treatment. While Henry has been quite ill, he is resting comfortably now, although he is naturally, feeling weak. He is able to have visitors and is cheerful about the whole affair. It will be five or six weeks before he will actually start to show signs of recovery.

To the writer, Henry is more than a fellow member of the Legion. He's been a good friend for many years and a man whom we have admired as a soldier. We recall our first real connection with him was at the beginning of World War II, when he acted as battalion sergeant major for the Lorne Scots in a summer camp, that included as its recruits practically all of the able bodied Manx St. business section. We hope that you will make a speedy recovery and be back home soon, and until then 'God Bless'.

Johnnie Walsh tells us of a new way of finding out how to control the heat. Seems he was visiting at a friend's home in the Glen recently, when it evidently became too warm for one of the guests, a chap by the name of Howard. The next thing he sees is Harry, with a hot air register in his hand, outside enquiring 'Hey, Merle, how do you turn this off?'

With Stanley Cup playoffs on, the treasurer, Gord King, et al. still insist that 'de Rockett' is the greatest. Evidently they still can't believe what Bob Goldham told them at a hockey banquet a few years ago that he 'couldn't even carry Gordie Howe's skates.' But we do like your loyalty, boys, especially since he seems to be mellowing in his old age. By that we mean that Rockett isn't attempting to cripple anyone in a long time.

This week begins a new feature of Legion Notes. We have been asked by the Women's Auxiliary to include Auxiliary items of interest and naturally, are quite willing to do so. The lady who will be responsible for getting us the material is Mrs. J. A. Henley, of 40 Bar-tow Crescent, who is secretary of the W.A. Mrs. Henley is providing us with the Auxiliary copy on Friday of the week before issue to allow for our Monday deadline for 'Notes.' If any Auxiliary member has anything of interest, we recommend they contact her, and we are sure she will be glad to help. To avoid confusion and possible duplication, we repeat, all correspondence for Legion Notes concerning the Auxiliary should be channelled to Mrs. J. A. Henley, TR. 7-9701. We hope that members of the Auxiliary will like the addition to 'Legion Notes', and from time to time we will endeavour to have pictures of the various phases of their activities as we are presently doing with Branch 120.

'WITH THE AUXILIARY' The Women's Auxiliary of the Branch held their regular monthly meeting Thursday, March 17th, with 30 members present. The presidents and officers are hoping that they will see many more of their members present at the April meeting.

Branch 120 president David Capperaud attended the meeting to thank the ladies for the \$500 donation they gave to the branch in February. Mr. Capperaud expressed the thanks of all the members for this fine gift.

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Twenty members of the Sunshine Club of First Baptist Church met in the church basement last Tuesday evening for a supper meeting in honour of their eighth birthday.

A delicious turkey dinner was served by the girls in charge, Mrs. S. Pallett, Mrs. W. Leese, Mrs. J. Emmerson, Mrs. J. Stopper, Mrs. D. Peck and Miss H. Holmes.

Mrs. Peck presided at the meeting and roll call and minutes of the previous meeting were given by Mrs. G. Porter. The devotion was given by Mrs. D. Peck. Hon. voyage greetings were expressed to one of our members, Mrs. W. Leese, who is planning a trip to England next month. Several games conducted by Mrs. N. Pallett and Mrs. W. Leese concluded the evening.

James T. Brown of Newcastle Ontario, a prominent figure in Canadian agricultural circles died March 19th. Jim Brown was best known as a Holstein breeder, having served as president of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada in 1958 following twelve years of service as a director. Last fall his Brown herd was dispersed for the exceptional average of \$381 each on 89 head.

Jim Brown was a former vice president of the Toronto Milk Producers and a director of the Ontario Whole Milk Producers League, past president of the Durham Crop Improvement Association and Central Ontario Seed Show. For 14 years he served on Clarke Township Council and has had several terms as reeve.

His counsel will be missed. The funeral service was held March 21 at Bowmanville with interment at Orono.

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Says Canada Delinquent In World Refugee Aid

Six members of the Georgetown Business & Professional Women's Club attended a one-day United Nations Seminar held in the Royal York Hotel, Ontario Room, on March 16th. This was the first time the Seminar had been held in Toronto. The seminar was held in New York at the United Nations Miss Jean Mackenzie, Mrs. Walter Rigg, Mrs. W. Gwizdala, Mrs. Jean Arnold Torj, national chairman of the USA committee for UNICEF and Muriel Jacobson, National Director, Canadian committee for World Refugee Year also spoke during the day.

Members from St. Ontario office and house attended the session. Montreal and New York were also represented. Mrs. William Tucker, Port Credit, member of the National United Nations Children's Fund was the first speaker. Lewis Penhamb, associate secretary of the Canadian National Committee of UNICEF of Ottawa, said it is the duty of the United Nations to help to interpret the United Nations spirit to Canadians. Educational, scientific and cultural activities of the UNESCO program were outlined by Mr. Penhamb. He said in education the major program is free compulsory elementary education in Latin American countries. It is the major 1957-67 project is the reclamation of arid countries.

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10,000,000 women on the side. Mrs. Hynes' talk was so full of so many vitally important things concerning peace and its problems of the world it is difficult to report on any one part of it. In part she said: To understand global policies, it is necessary to glance back at the growth of nationalism in the 17th and 18th centuries. The advance of the non-white nations with their different religions and cultures; their lack of education and overpopulation have created a great problem. During 1920 five more nations will gain independence. This means that one-quarter of the world's population has achieved independence all at once. They have had no experience of the responsibilities of citizenship or how to fit into the family of nations. What is this going to mean to the United Nations and our governments? How are we going to cope with it? Since the war, this great number of the world's peoples has gained the vote, but the citizens do not know how to use it. It is our responsibility to help them use it wisely, and the UN offers a way. Perhaps looking back some day, it will be said that the UN prevented world revolution.

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Tanhardt Pup is Dog Show Winner

Tanhardt Kennel's Hakim was the Best of Opposite Sex to Best Canadian Bred Shepherd puppy at the German Shepherd Hooper Show held last Saturday in conjunction with the Canadian National Sportsman's Show in the CNE Coliseum, Hakim is just 8 months old. His mother, Tanhardt's Black Satin, also won a blue ribbon at the show. Both dogs are owned by Tanhardt Kennels on No. 7 Highway at Silvercreek operated by Miss Laura Trohle.

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Dated at Georgetown, this 14th day of March, 1960.

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