

### Education is Theme Ballinafad Institute

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell Mac Donald and family of Glensanfield visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Snow and family over the weekend.

Mrs. Dampier has been quite ill with pneumonia at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jesse McEnery, and we all wish her a speedy recovery.

The Institute held their regular meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. McEnery with 17 members and two visitors present.

The theme of the meeting was Education and the roll call was answered by "something

learned from the handbook. The motto, prepared by Mrs. J. McEnery and given by Mrs. L. McLean was "A person who does not read is worse than a person who cannot read" and Mr. Smith gave a paper on "What if your trial falls" most suitable for examination time.

Current events were given by Mrs. Anne Sinclair. During the business period reports were given by Mrs. J. W. Snow on the school reunion on June 30th and Mrs. L. McLean on the 75 Banquet and the District Annual at Boston Church. Mrs. E. McEnery also gave a report on the plans for the new hall. Plans were made for the display at Milton Fair and Mrs. Jamieson and Mrs. McEnery were thanked for their splendid work in the 4th House Making Club. The social committee served a delicious lunch to conclude the meeting.

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### DR. AND MRS. HARRY FARRAR

DR. and MRS. HARRY FARRAR leave the church following their marriage in St. Denis Church in St. Catharines. The bride is the former Sharon Marie Mitchelmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchelmore, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farrar who own and operate Terra Cotta Inn.

### Pioneer Village Tour Interests Farm Group

By Mrs. M. J. Brown

"Were the good old days really so good?" and "remember when?" are two questions often in the minds of visitors to Pioneer Village. This historical spot is a unique feature of the Black Creek Conservation Area. Here one finds some of the buildings erected by the earliest settlers. That they built firm and strong is evidenced by the condition of the buildings today.

The Esqueping Federation of Agriculture sponsored a bus trip May 30th and our first stop was at this site so rich in historical background and lore. Very efficient guides conducted the groups to some of the most interesting exhibits. Among these was the old grain barn built about 1825, and now used as a museum.

Here we saw some of the tools and equipment used in the early days. Also a display of more than three hundred 19th century toys, the finest collection in Canada.

The first home — a log cabin followed by a two story log house with clapboard siding, and later a gentleman's home (so called) show the gradual development as circumstances improved. Compared with modern day appliances, many of their facilities seem crude and inadequate, but one can not but admire and appreciate the vision and fortitude of our ancestors.

In the afternoon we paid a visit to General Motors, Oshawa. Here again we were taken on a very interesting conducted tour of the plant. The precision and accuracy of each operation in the assembling of General Motors products was quite apparent.

### ASHGROVE

### Mrs. James Carney Hosts Church Ladies

The United Church Women held their meeting on Tuesday evening, June 5th at the lovely farm home of Mrs. James Carney with President Mrs. C. E. Dick presiding and opening with the hymn "Jesus stands among us; in Thy risen power; Let this time of worship; Be a hallowed hour," and prayer.

Mrs. W. Bird had charge of the devotional, the theme being Inspiration of Life, with scripture from Psalm 139, verses 1 to 12. Secretary Mrs. Bob Cunningham read the minutes of last meeting and called the roll which was answered with a verse or thought on International Life.

During the business period Mrs. Frank Wilson presented the financial budget and it was accepted by the ladies. Plans were made and a committee appointed to procure a speaker for U.C.W. Sunday service in August. It was also agreed to send in the registration for the C.B.C. Real World of Women Conference in Toronto early in September.

Mrs. Marshall McLaughlin then favored with a beautiful musical number on the piano entitled "To the Rising Sun," after which Mrs. Ford-Wickson gave the chapter from the study book, "The Strength of the Nation," which left us much to think about. Mrs. Vern Pickett thanked the hostess and any who had taken part, and the meeting closed followed by a social hour.

On Friday evening at the Charles Weston home a group of friends and neighbours surprised Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hunter with a party and presentation in honor of their 25th wedding anniversary. Everyone wishes this fine couple many more years together.

### Chapel Grade Eight Takes Niagara Tour

By Nell Hande, Grade 8  
Windsor Public School  
Our trip to the Niagara peninsula started at seven a.m. on May thirtieth. As the bus pulled away from the school parking grounds we were all looking forward to a wonderful day.

As we moved down the highway we sang and talked and laughed. Our first stop was at the Botanical Gardens near Hamilton. Here we saw many beautiful flowers and shrubbery. There were paths winding among the flowers making a really beautiful picture.

After the Rock Gardens, we went to Stony Creek where we saw the high tower and cannon. From Stony Creek we went to the Jordan museum and we saw examples of the pioneer tools, the houses where they lived, their furniture and many other things of interest to us. From Jordan museum we went to the twin locks at Thorold where we stopped to watch ships and look at the locks. While there we had our lunch.

We hurried on as we had to be at Port George at a

certain time. When we reached Port George we stopped to buy some postcards and souvenirs. Then a guide took us around the fort. Here we saw the buildings and some of the old guns and uniforms of the soldiers.

From Port George we went to Niagara Falls where we saw the Sir Adam Beck Power Station and of course the Falls. While at Niagara Falls some of us took a ride on the Maid-of-the-Mist. The ride was very smooth and enjoyable with a wonderful view of the falls. We also went to the wax museum where we saw the Chamber of Horrors and wax models of many famous people.

Our next stop was Brock's Monument where we climbed to the top and thought that the steps would never end. Once we were up at the top, however, there was a wonderful view. On the way home we stopped at Burlington for dinner and arrived home at nine p.m. The fourteen hours on the trip were most enjoyable and interesting.

Youngsters are unpredictable. Keep a close eye on them wherever they're near the water. Be water-wise.

### Social & Personal

Mrs. Vickie Lay, member of the National Ballet Guild and Mrs. Ralph Ursel were among a group of approximately 70 guests to attend the end of year demonstration of the National Ballet School. An interesting and highly professional performance was given, including a display of modern dance, a recently added subject to the curriculum of the School. Miss Lois Smith, Miss Celia Franco and other leading soloists of the company were among the guests.

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