

Reaches Centennial Goal '120' In Top Third Legion Branches

by Ralph Hawes
Although we have never attempted to give a laudatory picture of the Legion Centennial Fund, which is without a doubt a most ambitious project, we feel that the Branch Centennial Fund chairman, John Elliott has completed a praiseworthy job.

John launched the Branch Centennial Fund Campaign last May. The campaign got underway with a circular letter which was received by each member of the Branch. Since then, John has handled the project with purpose and energy and in consequence, it has functioned most efficiently.

Many members have subscribed to the fund as can be seen on the Centennial Fund Roll of Honour at the Branch. This, along with the generosity of several organizations closely linked with the Branch, has been most conclusive in the speed with which the Branch target of \$1,000 has been reached.

Branch 120 can feel proud indeed to be included in the more 500 Branches that have reached their target, while approximately 1500 Branches are still to be heard from.

It was a smiling and happy chairman who on Tuesday announced "Target Reached." John had good cause to be happy for he has achieved something that three quarters of the Branches across the Dominion have yet to accomplish.

Friday evening saw eleven lucky people win themselves a Christmas turkey at the Branch Dart Shoot which was run most successfully by Bruce McCartney, ably assisted by friends Doris, Frank Bryant, Perc and Joyce Markham, and Mike Lorusso.

The turnout for the Shoot was extremely good, considering the many other important

things folk have to do so near Christmas. The winners were John Walsh, Len Hinds, Bob Mackenzie, Jim McPherson, Rocco Lorusso, Jim Johnson, Ralph Purvis, Carman Malby. The two lady winners were Maude Norris and Barb Malby.

Saturday evening during the intermission of the entertainment provided by Maryanne Rae and her group, the Imperial Section of the Branch drew the names of the winners of their Christmas draw. Harry Bottoms conducted the draw. The Section President was unable to be present. Winners were G. Hanson, H. Mann, J. Falton, A. Hornby, W. Ewles, W. Chaplin and R. Follett.

We sampled the "Pot Luck Supper" the Branch Ladies Auxiliary held on Thursday evening.

Ottawa Airforceman William Curley Dies

Warrant Officer William Curley, 51, an RCAF veteran with 25 years' service died suddenly in Ottawa on December 5.

Mr. Curley, who was married to the former Mary Beoney of Georgetown, was an Ottawa native. He was with the airforce during the war and served at various airforce bases in Canada, and had been stationed in Ottawa for several years.

He died in hospital, soon after suffering a stroke at his home.

He leaves his wife and four children, Patricia, Gail, Susan and Billy; and two sisters and two brothers, Rita, Betty, Desmond and Jack all of Ottawa.

ening. It was exquisitely delicious and too bad there were not more guests; but those that were there certainly enjoyed themselves with darts, cards and sociability.

At this time, we would wish Branch and Auxiliary members and their families a Merry Christmas and may all of you find presents galore beneath your trees on Christmas morning.



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A PRE-CHRISTMAS "MUST" FOR MANY Georgetown and District people is the annual visit to the Georgetown District High School's festive bazaar. A huge Christmas tree centred the busy booths and exhibits this year one of which was this well patronized bazaar table set up by the school's French Club. In the photo are Susan Landry, Deve Long, Lorraine Hawes, and Phil Honsinger.



CANDLES ARE THE WARE BEING SOLD BY members of the Latin Club at their booth at a high school bazaar. Here Jane Ellison, Cathy Holotuk, Cathy Beer and Pat Kirkwood work for a sale.

Kooks are People And Vice Versa

Come the holiday season and certain types will get behind the wheel of an automobile when they shouldn't.

They've had too much to drink. They're excited at the prospect of a party, or they've just come from a zinging party at the office. They're late for an appointment. They've forgotten to buy someone a gift and must rush to get it before the store closes.

In their excitement or haste they forget there's snow on the street, or ice on the pavement, or many more people than us-

ual crossing the street. They forget the windshield fogs up with several people in a cold car, or they simply haven't the time to clear the snow off all the windshield and rear window so they can see properly. They forget, too, that slush has coated headlights and turn signals. Often they will drive the wintry street or road with only parking lights on, and slush or snow practically blocking the lenses.

Any number of reasons can account for their neglect of care and responsibility when driving. They don't give much thought to their own safety, let alone anybody else's.

What can be done with these menaces?

Drive around them. Get out of their way. Watch for them and anticipate them. Never try to educate them on the spot. No use arguing right there in traffic. Give them lots of room and look out for your own welfare. While you're at it, look out for the other people, too.

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