

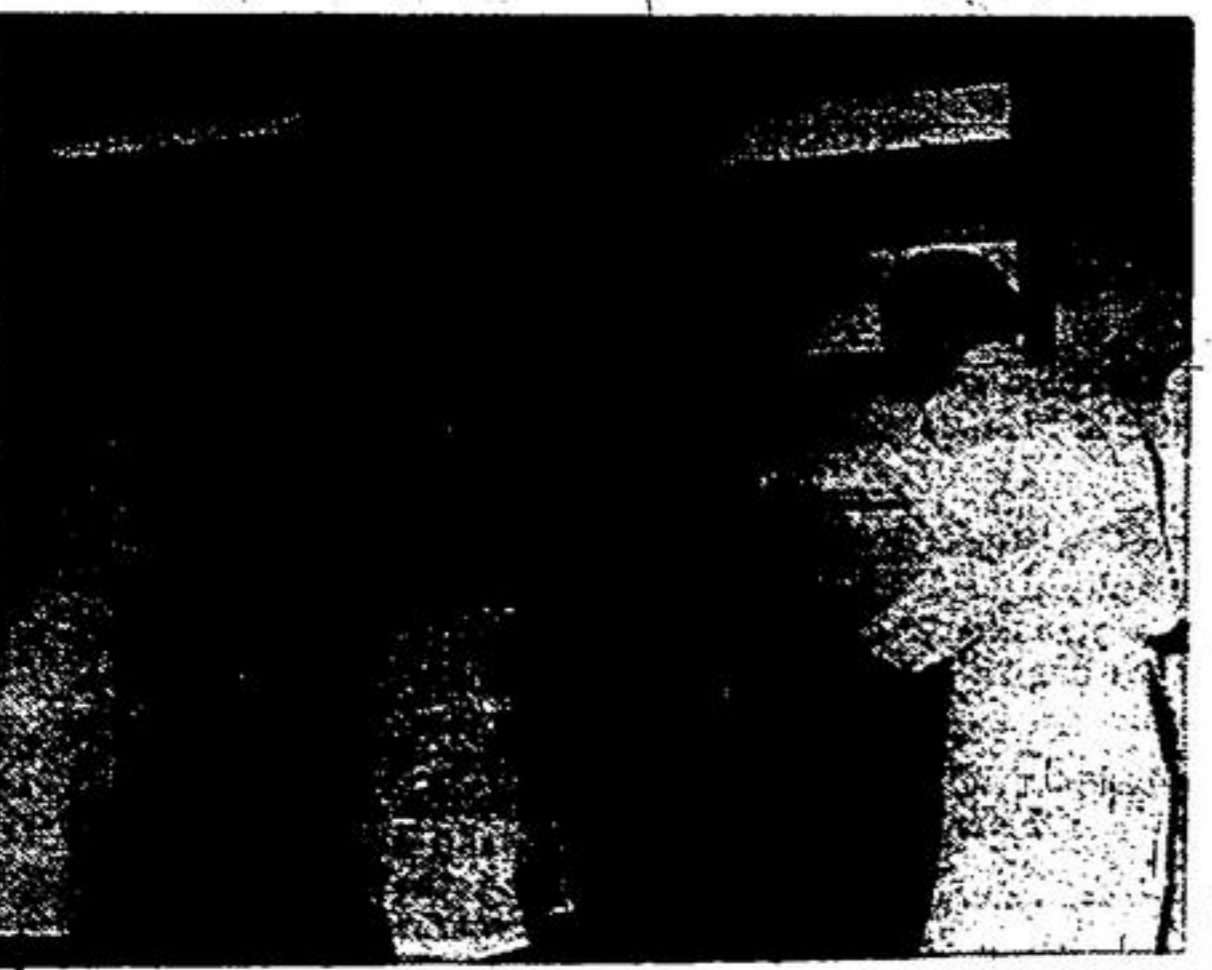
# Branch - Sponsored Oxfam Walker Completed Route

by Ralph Hewes

Next Monday evening the town park will doubtlessly be crowded as other years with many hundreds of people watching the Georgetown Legion and town's sponsored firework display. Over the years, David Bowman has taken charge of this joint project and this year will be no exception. Dave will be there to set 'em off.



Branch 120 hosted Branch 31, Mount Dennis recently to a day of darts, euchre, cribbage and afterwards a dinner and dance. Above, Bruce Collins presents one of the dart prizes to one of the visitors, Mrs. Rowe.



The galley slaves were busy most of the day preparing the roast beef dinner and all the trimmings which was served at the end of competitions with Mount Dennis guests. Here, chief cook Dave Bowman keeps a watchful eye on Art Roberts and Ron Lincoln as they make ready for the hungry horde.

Each year, since this evening became an annual event, the display seems to be shorter than the previous year and this is true. For like everything else, the cost of firework displays is rising. Actually what happens is a certain display cost X number of dollars fifteen or twenty years ago. Each year the cost of this display remains the same but the size of the display

diminishes and in consequence a display that would last an hour now only lasts about twenty minutes.

### Lot of Speculation

At the completion of the General Meeting on Thursday, May 22, nomination of officers and executive for 1969-70 will take place. Out of the people who will run for office, the president, 1st and 2nd vice, also four executive members will be elected. There will be a lot of speculation among the members as to who will run for office while those nominated will have ten days in which to make up their minds whether or not they wish to stand. Some will withdraw their names at once, while others will wait until the election day to declare themselves.

Our own personal opinion is that with the building situation as it is right now, there should be little change made. Comrades Hale, Collins, and Boyd have been handling the extensions and it seems doubtful that they will be finalized for a while. For at the building meeting on Wednesday when the tenders were opened, all tenders were over budget and in consequence, the Branch Building Committee and the architect will have to negotiate further.

Comrade Henry Hale has certainly had an eventful year for his first year. The extensions to Branch must have been a full time job for him and most time taking. Disappointments and setbacks with the extensions have been many.

### Wined and Dined

It seems that if the president wishes, he may have the Branch PRO attend the general meetings of the Ladies Auxiliary, so we may be visiting with the ladies this Thursday. At the June general meeting of the ladies, they will finish the evening being guests of the branch executive and will be wined and dined.

Iris Rannachan, friend and daughter of Bill, completed the thirty mile Oxfam walk. Congratulations to Iris who was sponsored by Branch 120.

With Mr. Roberts opening the Ontario Provincial Convention later this month, it is hoped by many of the powers that be that perhaps he will make an announcement which will have a profound effect on Branches in Ontario. It could certainly have much on Branch 120.

Each week when we begin to write about the dart shoot, and list the winners, we hesitate to write 'another successful night', yet try as we may, we cannot find any other way to describe these nights for they continue to increase in popularity. We note that more and more club members come to the Branch to enjoy this evening and to take in the car club draw.

Winners this week for the shoot were — H. Bottoms, J. Gilchrist, K. Ronald, M. Hale, N. MacDonald, B. Lowen, B. Collins, B. Reece, D. Bell and L. McKellar.

Car Club winners were — D. Bryden, H. Eagles, S. Emmerson, C. Davies and M. Smith. The music played by John Kelly on Saturday night was good to dance to and listen to. His tempo is strictly for dancing.

Prize winners were Mrs. Ada 'Friend' Ward and Cecil Martin.

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### NORVAL

## Church Couples' Club Visits Concord House

Norval United Church Couples Club and several from Glen Williams visited the House of Concord a Salvation Army home for boys on probation, on Thursday evening, May 8. While touring the building and grounds they were told of the work done with the boys. They study various courses both academic and vocational to prepare them for jobs when they leave. Some of the vocational subjects are dairy and market gardening, farming, poultry, greenhouses, carpentry etc. For recreation there is a swimming pool, a gym, movies and time for watching TV programs. About 85 boys are there at the present time. Following the visit lunch was served to the group in the dining room.

Union WMS held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon May 7 at the home of Mrs. R. Dunconson, Norval. A dessert luncheon with Mrs. Wilfrid Leslie and Mrs. Clifford Cook assisting the hostesses was followed by the meeting with Mrs. Clarence Anderson in the chair. She opened with a poem 'Did you Give Him a Lift'. The roll call was answered with a suggestion for a practical missionary service. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Percy Raines and Mrs. Joe Eason led in prayer. Mrs. Lee Campbell gave the dedicatory prayer and Mrs. Owens MacDonald gave the chapter from the study book on New Forms of Missions. Mrs. C.G. Bishop closed the meeting with prayer.

During the business, members were reminded that old flannelette blankets are always in demand for diapers at the Scott Mission, Toronto, and good used clothing is needed by the Salvation Army in Brampton. Also that the money for 'Supply' is to be brought to the June meeting.

Miss Janet Wey was a guest of honour at a miscellaneous shower given by the UCW of Norval United Church in the church hall on Friday evening, May 9th. Mrs. McLean was chairman for the evening and opened the program with a song led by Mrs. Garnet Laidlaw with Mrs. Gordon Laidlaw as pianist.

Unit One were in charge of the program and Unit Two decorated with pink and white bells, umbrellas and streamers. Mrs. Wilbert Cleave conducted a couple of interesting contests, and Heather Hyatt sang two solos after which Janet was assisted by Miss Carolyn McLaughlin and Miss Anne Doane in opening her gifts. Lunch was served by the social committee and a social time was enjoyed.

Mother's Day which is Christian Family Day in the United Church was observed in Norval United Church with the Baptism of four babies by Rev. R.W. Ridley. Joane Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fishburn; Lynda Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Fishburn; Kent William Marino, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Burke; and Jeanette Lee Ferguson.

During the service Beth Laidlaw and Barrie Dunlop read the scripture lessons and the Jr. choir sang 3 selections. For one selection Sam Lagerquist read the words before the choir sang 'The Place Where I Worship Is The Wide Open Spaces.' Bibles were presented by Rev. Ridley assisted by Mr. Wm. Graham, clerk of session, to the 11 young people who were confirmed recently.

Congratulations to Kimberley Bright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bright, and her pony 'Misty' for their excellent performance at the EB-HO Riding club horse show held at Erin Fair grounds on Sunday, May 11. This is the first competition that 10 year old Kimmy and her pony have entered and she brought home four lovely ribbons, 1st for showmanship, and halter, 2nd for equestrianism, 2nd for trail and 3rd for games.

Kimmy has had her pony for nearly a year and looks forward all week to the weekends at their cottage near Erin when she can have fun with 'Misty'.

A few more names of local young folk who finished the Oxfam walk have come in. Congratulations to Mary Lynn and Heather Hyatt, Jean Wilson, Aileen Brander and Wayne Hyatt.

Congratulations to Kenneth Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Miller who graduated from Centralia College of Agriculture Technology at Huron Park. The graduation ceremony was held on Wednesday, May 7.

Get well wishes are extended to Dick McLaughlin who is in hospital following a heart attack.

— Mrs. Ed McLean

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