

Highway improved W.I. tour in report

By Mrs. George Burt
Silver-Wood W. I. had a very interesting tour to the Sara Lee Foods in Bramalea on Tuesday morning, June 8. Then we went to Cedarvale park in Georgetown for a noon lunch and business meeting. The meeting opened with the W. I. Ode and Mary Stewart Collected with Mrs. Griffin presiding. The annual picnic in July was talked over and the social committee will arrange for this. The meeting closed and we were home in the early afternoon.

Rain needed
Silver-Wood area received .65"

much needed rain on Monday evening. The top on highway 7 is finished and smooth again and the ditches are being sodded. Silver-Wood should soon be green and attractive again.

Mr. G. Burgess spent a few days visiting relatives in Orono recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Scott and sons Bruce and Peter of Lafayette, Indiana, visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. Scott on Sunday.

Recent visitors
Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. Scott was a cousin from Reading, England. This was Mr. W. Potter's first visit to Canada and he spent a month visiting relatives and stayed with Mrs. C. Michelis of London, Ontario, another cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mulhall and daughters, Margaret and Dorothy of Mount Forest visited with Mrs. W. R. Norton recently.

Limehouse W. I.
A number of ladies from our W. I. branch attended the 50th anniversary of Limehouse W. I. on Wednesday evening. We congratulate them on the very nicely planned dinner and program.



DEBBIE HAMILTON received the Citizenship Award from Mrs. Gordon Foster, president of Coningsby W.I., at the Brisbane School Grade 8 banquet. —(Staff Photo)

Ebenezer

Memorial service picnics in report

Ebenezer's biennial cemetery memorial service is planned for next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. B. Warren of Bezece Centre is the special speaker. Lunch will be served after the service. This is a chance for the newer residents of the community to meet some of the former members and their families.

The Anderson family picnic was held in Rockwood park with about 75 in attendance.

The Junior Choir sang "I would be True".

Newer translation
Mr. Finley's sermon topic was "Sincerely Happy". The newer translation of the sixth beatitude is "Happy are the utterly sincere." Seeing God means an awareness of God.

Charles Laughton was coaxed into reciting the 23rd Psalm, which he declaimed very musically. Then an old local preacher also repeated it; Mr. Laughton said, "I know the Psalm, but he knows the shepherd."

See God
D. Bonheuffer was one of few men to whom his God was real and close.

The ability to see God is limited. God is around us and in us. God's purpose in us is often missed. We see what we're interested in. A lady had been touring one of Europe's beautiful cathedrals. The guide asked if there were any questions. She asked, "What brand of polish do they use?"

We are all familiar with a couple of whom their acquaintances say, "What did she ever see in him? (or he in her?)"

The ability to see good in people is a habit worth cultivating.

Meet Tuesday reclamation group

"From Waste to Resource" is the title of a meeting to be held at Brookville Hall Tuesday evening, to "find a solution to pollution; and organize an active group to combat the problem in the Township of Nassagaweya."

"We're certainly hoping to get this thing off the ground," said Mrs. Len Andrews, a member of the Campbellville Women's Institute responsible for organizing the meeting. "We've invited two executive members from every organization in the township and an invitation is extended to any residents concerned about combatting or finding a solution to pollution," she added.

Panel of experts
A panel including representatives from George Kerr's office, Pollution Probe in Kitchener and the Burlington Citizens for Action Committee will answer questions and present facts to the audience. Discussions commence at 8 p.m. sharp.

The Halton County Board of Education
The Committee to Review Priorities and Expenditures invites interested parties to submit briefs and to appear before the committee in support of these briefs. The Board has established this Committee to review its priorities, programs, and to evaluate its educational spending. The Committee will meet throughout the summer and fall with the objective of reporting to the Board before the end of 1971. The areas to be studied include Board policies, finance, programs, structure and organization, and buildings and equipment.

Any citizen or organization of Halton County may make presentations to the Committee in the form of letters or briefs. All communications must be in writing. Anyone who wishes to make a presentation in person to the Committee must first submit the communication in writing indicating their wish to attend personally.

Communications will be received up to November 15. These communications or questions for further information should be directed to:

The Secretary,
Committee to Review Priorities and Expenditures,
Halton County Board of Education,
166 South Service Road East,
Oakville, Ontario.

ESQUESING COUNCIL BRIEFS

At the regular meeting Monday, June 14, Esquensing Council:

—Read and passed by-law 17-71 amending land separation fees in the township from \$300 to \$500. Money from the separations goes into the Capital Reserve Fund of the township.

—Agreed to a request from Henry Lorrman's solicitor to use the corporation's name on an application before the courts to close part of Glen St. in Glen Williams so a house can be built on an adjoining lot. If the street is not closed, part of the house would stand on the road allowance. Mr. Lorrman's solicitor said Section 91 of the Act had been repealed in July 1970, stopping all previous action on the application and the corporation's name was now necessary so they could proceed. There is no expense to the township.

—Approved payment of \$7 for a fox shot by Bruce Michie. Also approved payment of \$28 to Mrs. Jessie Stark for one lamb destroyed by dogs.

—Approved the township's share of the Halton Region Authority's proposed development of the Flint property for the Bronte Conservation Authority as well as any loan for the Glen Eden Ski area. Reeve Hill and Councillor Leslie were both adamantly opposed.

—Was advised by letter that labor rates in the township must adhere to the minimum set in the Toronto zone.

—Was advised by the Credit Valley Conservation Authority that unauthorized construction was taking place on property along the Credit River in Norval owned by E. Zuber. The

"Personal" reasons Gillies resigns

Bill Gillies, who was earlier nominated to run in the next provincial election as an NDP candidate in Halton East, has withdrawn from the race.

In making the announcement Gillies said, "during the past month I have suffered certain personal set-backs and I now find myself in a most difficult position." He told the party at a recent meeting.

"While I am withdrawing from active political participation, you may rest assured my hopes and aspiration are still with the NDP and they may count on my continued support," he said.

A committee was selected at a recent meeting of the NDP to find a new candidate in the coming election. There is some speculation that either Ken Gelok of Oakville or Albert Tichel of Georgetown will succeed Gillies as the NDP candidate. Both Gelok and Tichel ran for the nomination at the winter meeting. Neither Gelok or Tichel have publicly said they will seek the nomination.

Gillies said the decision to withdraw from political endeavors was a personal one. Gillies recently changed jobs and his decision was partly due to the change in jobs.

Acquire Ortona Barracks

Halton County Council will move to acquire all or part of the 18-acre Ortona Barracks property in Oakville, members agreed Tuesday, but they balked at formally approving it as a site for a future home for the aged.

The original resolution, which was subsequently amended, indicated it would be acquired as a site for a future Manor. Burlington Reeve James Swanborough maintained the site had not been adequately studied for that use. "This site is not especially suitable for Burlington," he maintained.

Good location
Oakville Deputy Reeve Harry Barrett told council the Federal Government had declared the site surplus. He foresaw the site as ideal for a Manor, being within walking distance of all downtown Oakville facilities.

Mr. Swanborough noted he had read where Mr. Barrett was suggesting the site would be ideal for a regional government centre. He said, however, he didn't like to pin down the future Manor site.

Deputy Reeve Barrett replied he was attempting to pin down the desirable site for institutional use. "It could be the Manor, Regional Government or Board of Education," he suggested.

Waiting list
Reeve Tom Hill emphasized there was currently a waiting list of 25 at the present Manor and most were coming from the south of Burlington and Oakville. He emphasized the need for action on a southern site for a future home.

Members approved an amendment that would have the county acquire the site without deeming that it was definitely for a home for the aged.

QUICK LIE
A banker's son was an inveterate liar, and the family was trying every expedient to reform him.

"Son," the banker proposed one evening, "if you can tell me a lie without a second's thought, I'll give you fifty cents."

"Fifty cents nothing," declared the boy "You just said a dollar."

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Acton Lions

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BLITZ DAY

15

Monday, June 28th

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You can help the Canadian National Institute for the Blind provide services by giving generously to our appeal.

Free Press District Page

"Lots to live, give" Senior Citizens Week

The first province-wide Senior Citizens' Week in Ontario will be held June 20 to June 26, 1971.

"Primary planning for this special week would be at the local community level where municipal governments and voluntary associations are most involved with senior citizens' groups and elderly people in the area," said Thomas Wells, Minister of Social and Family Services. "I encourage all organizations and individuals to get involved in the planning and carrying out of this first province-wide Senior Citizens' Week. During this week we want to make as many people as possible aware of the contributions of the elderly, and the services for the elderly, and what it means to grow older."

Lot to live, and give
"Lot to live; lot to give" — that's the way I see Senior Citizens' Week," said Mr. Wells. "Ontario's senior citizens have a lot to live for. They also have a lot to give to other members of the community. That's why the Ontario Department of Social and Family Services is officially recognizing Ontario Senior Citizens' Week, June 20 to 26, 1971."

"I hope that each community will fulfill the aims of Ontario Senior Citizens' Week by recognizing the contributions over the years of elderly men and women to the life of Ontario."

"As a result of this special week, I see the development of special programs and projects by and with senior citizens in communities throughout Ontario and not just services for senior citizens. We want to stimulate

general interest in and knowledge of aging, the elderly, and all existing programs for senior citizens in Ontario."

Not new idea
Although the promotion of a province-wide Senior Citizens' Week is new, the idea of such a week is not. Many groups of senior citizens' clubs across Ontario have been endorsing the week beginning with the third Sunday in June each year as Senior Citizens' Week. Alex Carruthers, M.P.P. for Durham, has in previous years introduced in the Ontario Legislature a bill to proclaim such a week, and the idea was endorsed by members of all political parties in the Legislature. Mr. Wells has set up an advisory committee for Ontario Senior Citizens' Week. It will be chaired by Mr. Carruthers and will include representatives of senior citizens' associations. "The cities of Kitchener, London and North Bay have already planned Senior Citizens' Weeks for their communities," Mr. Wells noted.

The Ontario Department of Social and Family Services will promote active participation of independent groups or associations of retired persons; residents' councils from homes for the aged; the elderly in housing projects for senior citizens or nursing homes; members of elderly persons' centres, public health units, local social service and planning councils, service clubs, public libraries, specialists in adult education; recreation centres working with the elderly; churches of all faiths and all other interested organizations throughout the province.

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