

Norwegian flavor for Greenock W.I.

Mrs. C. Allan, Churchill Rd. N. was the hostess for the February meeting of the Greenock W.I. The president Mrs. A. Gates opened the meeting with the ode and collect. Mrs. E. Johnston gave the meditation, along with a poem and followed by the Lord's Prayer. The roll call was Norwegian recipe, and bring a sample. Several pastries, apple pudding, fish casserole and a

dessert made from Norwegian recipes were passed around by the members to have a look at. A delegate will be sent to the officers' conference at Guelph in May. A euchre is planned to be held at a member, Mrs. R. McKeown's home Feb. 25. Mrs. A. Gates and Mrs. G. Wallace gave an interesting account of the area convention they attended at Guelph last fall.

The topic for the program was Associated Country Women of the World, and as the 13th triennial conference of the A.C.W.W. was held in Oslo Norway 1971, the program and roll call had a Norwegian flavor. Miss Margaret Sinclair of St. Catharines a visitor in the community showed slides of Norway, Sweden and a few of Denmark.

Several of the pictures were taken from the train as she was travelling from Oslo to Bergen and it gave everyone an idea of how isolated homes at the foot of the mountains and miles away from everyone are. The pictures showed the beauty of the lakes, mountains, snow covered land and ponds. She had several souvenirs of coins and spoons which she showed to everyone. Miss Sinclair was thanked and presented with a gift by Mrs. G. Leslie.

Everyone enjoyed the lunch made from the Norwegian recipes and prepared by the members. Mrs. A. Winter, Courtesy convener, thanked the hostess for use of her home and all she had made the program and lunch so interesting. Mrs. A. Winter will be hostess for the March 14 meeting.

Study Circle topic Africa

The United Church study circle met at the home of Mrs. Ian McGillivray, Tyler Ave., on Wed. Feb. 16. Mrs. G. Usher opened the meeting with a scripture and meditation.

Mrs. Ian McGillivray read a few questions on Africa, with members writing answers. She then introduced the study of Africa and with discussion and maps the members became more aware of the problems of that vast continent. As they proceeded with the study they should have a better understanding of the gigantic task of Africa to reshape their country to meet the demands of the 20th century, without losing their cultures.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Wm. Coats, 31 Young St., on the third Wednesday of March. Anyone interested in coming will be welcome.

Personals

Mrs. Carl Clarke of Tweed visited his mother and sister Lois Faulkner last week.

Mrs. Art Gordon is making favorable progress in Guelph General Hospital. She fell in the kitchen of her home and broke her hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reed Jr., Teeswater, Ont., visited on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Reed St. Tides Ave. They were enroute to Florida for a short holiday. Though delayed at the airport for a few hours they reached their destination to find cooler temperatures than had been prevailing.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Herrington, Homesway Place, have had severe attacks of the flu, but are feeling some better.

Dr. Brian Moore, Cons. Nick Farion, Julian Zajac, and Harry Moon have returned from a golfing holiday in the sunny south.

Mrs. Earl Beerman has a leg in a cast following a fall. She won't be out and around for quite a few weeks.



MARRIED FEB. 5 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Milton were Judith Anne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Dwyer of Acton and Donald W. Merkle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merkle of Milton.

4-H girls display for Dublin W.I.

The February monthly meeting of the Dublin W.I. was held at the home of Mrs. M. Nellis.

The meeting was brought to order by president Mrs. H. Blyth. Mrs. N. Douglas was secretary as Mrs. M. Hunter is in the hospital. Roll was answered by 24 members and eight visitors including the 4-H Jr. girls. Mrs. C. Armstrong was elected to attend the Officers' Conference at the University of Guelph May 3 and 4. Fair displays were discussed. A euchre committee was chosen Mrs. E. Norton, Mrs. F. Pierce, Mrs. F. Kirton and Mrs. J. Vanfleter for the next euchre to be held at Mrs. Pierce's on March 7.

Quilt blocks
Quilt blocks were handed out to all members by the quilt convener Mrs. W. Frank. These were to be sewn at home and returned in a week's time.

Mrs. B. Rennie read a letter from Mrs. K. Hilliker of the Mental Health Assoc. The topic for the evening was "Historical Research". Mrs. W. McIntyre read about the history of Badenoch in Puslinch Township.

Donna Milton heads Greenock "Sweets"

New officers were elected at the first meeting of the Greenock 4-H Homemakers Club. The new president is Donna Milton, vice president Janice Upshall, Secretary Barb Gates, press reporter Leah Leslie and telephone convener Barbara Johnston.

The meeting, which was turned over to the president proceeded to discuss a new name for the club. The discussion was left for the following week as nobody had any ideas. They have decided to hold their meetings on Monday nights, and to stick with their present bookcovers, and to retain their present color.

Color harmony
Mrs. A. Gates, club leader, turned the discussion to color harmony, which involves tints, hues, pastels and types of color harmony which includes monochromatic, analogous, complementary, split complementary and triad. Mrs. Milton showed two types of designs for dresses and scarves and Mrs. Gates displayed a pillow she had made.

Other members are Doreen Johnston, Cecilia Milton, Janice

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Reserve work told to U.C.W.

Miss Dorothy Simmons read a letter from Mrs. Allan Lauder at a Feb. 8 meeting of the Unit 2 United Church Women telling about their interesting work among the Indians on a reserve near Winnipeg.

At the meeting, Mrs. Cleave read Psalm 122 and took as her theme Rest and Peace.

The treasurer's report indicates January as being a healthy month financially for the United Church Women.

Birthdays
Two ladies at the Kelly Nursing Home, one 90 years old, the other 103 years old were wished a happy birthday. Mrs. Shoemaker gave her report on visits.

A pot luck supper to be held Feb. 16 at 5:30 p.m. was arranged at the meeting.

World's Day of Prayer to be held on March 3 was announced. Twenty-eight members attended the meeting.

Mrs. H.R. Force U.C.W. president

A general meeting of members of the United Church Women was held Wednesday of last week with a pot luck supper in the church. A new slate of officers was elected, president Mrs. H. R. Force, secretary Mrs. Wynan Little and treasurer Mrs. Ralph Denny.

The group will continue to sponsor its Korean child. About 35 attended the meeting.

A small report was given by four members Mrs. M. Nellis, Mrs. D. Moffat, Mrs. A. Near and Mrs. C. Armstrong on the 75th anniversary luncheon of the Women's Institute in Ontario which they attended at the Royal York in Toronto.

Gift presented
Mrs. H. Blyth presented Laurene Rennie with a gift of a silver cream and sugar and tray from the Institute for receiving her Provincial Honours in 4-H clubs.

The meeting closed with The Queen and Institute Grace. Lunch was served by Mrs. B. Rennie, Mrs. F. McCarron and Mrs. N. Douglas assisted by hostess Mrs. Nellis. Courtesies were given by Mrs. W. Britton.

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"Fun" bingo for Golden Age Club

Lower than usual attendance at the Golden Age Club on Tuesday evening could be blamed on winter conditions, and many ailments including the current flu bug which has taken its toll among the older folk.

Sincere sympathy was expressed for Mrs. Clarke on the tragic loss of a beloved grandson. Mrs. Clarke had prepared an interesting program for the evening and in her absence a "fun bingo" was quickly arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Davidson. The Legion Auxiliary loaned the equipment and the L.G.A. store kindly and generously donated prizes. The club had a "clicking" good time as practically everyone was a winner and they were kidded and joshed over their winnings.

Birthdays
February birthdays include, Mrs. Jean Smith, Jack Hargrave, Donald Reed, Mrs. Pearl Kennedy and Mrs. Finamore. A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Hargrave and her helpers. March lunch committee will be

Mrs. Chas. Mason, Mrs. Mary Graham, Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. Jack Lambert. For next meeting, March 7 at 2 p.m., we hope all members will be on tap, fit and ready for an afternoon of fun and fellowship.

Ivy-Ann Stull is president

The first meeting of the Ashgrove 4-H club was held Saturday Feb. 19. Leaders Mrs. Mills and Mrs. Cuttingham introduced the next club, "Being Well Dressed and Well Groomed". The main article to be made in this club is a duster.

Election
The meeting followed the regular pattern, starting with the 4-H pledge and then to the election of the officers with: Ivy-Ann Stull as president, Veron Fisher as vice-president, Margaret Robinson as secretary and treasurer, Joanne Wilson and Marlene Hume as press reporters. The business consisted of a demonstration on good posture

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By Wendy Thomson

Lately, every time the rest of the family goes out for the evening and leaves me to struggle along by myself, I roll up my sleeves, drag out a box full of film and a splicer, and set to work editing. I've got everything down to a system by now. If I clear away the supper dishes, move the breadbox, sit our projector on the counter and aim it at the frig, I can whiz through pile of film in no time.

It was much to my surprise that everything went so well, because I often have the same problem with cameras and such, that I do with things around the house—they go wrong as soon as I pick them up.

"Family Camera"
For example, our "Family camera" was great for taking posed shots, but the fact that I had to hold it down at arms length made candid pictures a little awkward sometimes—like when I was standing in tall weeds or short bushes. I've got beautiful pictures of horses completely covered by one Queen Anne's Lace flower.

So the first time I went up in the Rockies, a friend lent me his camera, knowing that I wanted to take pictures for the paper. However, it was a little on the old side and pieces kept falling off. And it had to be opened with a bobby pin and the film changed with a nail file. It came as no surprise, to hear someone say "She's taking pictures for a NEWSPAPER?"

After a few more problems developed, and few more screws fell out (I never could figure out where they kept coming from) I decided to invest in a good second hand camera, found exactly what I wanted last summer, and went around taking pictures like mad.

Photographer's dream
But things still didn't go that smoothly. The camera worked fine, but circumstances went wrong. I had my eye on a beautiful field of stoked osts that looked like a photographer's dream when the sun was setting (and I didn't have my camera with me.)

Mrs. Alex Mann Auxilliary hostess

The members of Knox Church Evening Auxilliary were entertained at the home of Mrs. Alex Mann on Wednesday evening, Feb. 16.

Mrs. Mann, convener of the program committee, opened the meeting, and hymn Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us was sung. The story of the composer's life was given by Mrs. Mann.

Miss Marjorie Hall read the Scripture lesson, and Mrs. Mary Graham offered prayer. Miss Hall gave a Valentine reading. Hymn Lead Kindly Light was sung and again the story of the

Jane Munro heads 4-Hers

The Acton 4-H club met on Monday, February 14, at the Sayers home to begin work on the spring club "Being Well Dressed and Well Groomed".

The meeting was called to order by former president Shirley Jocque who lead in the 4-H Pledge.

New officers are president Jane Munro; vice-president Lorna Sayers; treasurer Shirley Sayers; press reporter Lynda Sayers; phone caller Shirley Jocque.

They decided to have a rotating secretary once again to be sure notes were completed weekly.

Leader Mrs. MacNaughton told some of the requirements needed to complete this club. They have a choice of a type of loungewear to make. They also have to write a story of a Personal Goal that we are going to try and achieve during this club. Some examples are to try and stop biting your nails or to try and lose a certain amount of weight.

Mrs. MacNaughton read notes

Euchre winners
Last Saturday's euchre winners: ladies' high Mae Swackhamer 115; low Sylvia Williamson; men's high Cliff Storey 122; low Dave Swackhamer; lone hands Mary Van Dam 6, door prize Mrs. Storey.

Report on Presbytery

The February meeting of Nassagaweya Presbyterian W.M.S. was held at the home of Mrs. Wilfrid Kennedy with a good attendance. Mrs. Kennedy, the president, opened the meeting with a poem.

Mrs. D. C. Nicholson installed the officers for the coming year. Report of the Presbytery meeting held at Norval church was given by Mrs. Velma Norris. Dr. Flora Little of Guelph played her bells. Mrs. McLaren, in charge of the study, gave a paper on "Prayer, the Pathway to Power" which was enjoyed by all. Ladies Aid meeting was presided over by Mrs. D. Henderson, president.