

Ospringle

# Celebrate anniversary of Women's Institute

Former members of Ospringle Women's Institute, as well as members of neighboring branches, gathered in the school auditorium Saturday afternoon to celebrate the 70th anniversary of Ospringle W.I.

The tea table was quite pretty, with blue candles, and blue and gold decorated anniversary cake. The cake was made by Mrs. D.G. Robertson, and decorated by Mrs. George Young of Acton, a former member.

Guests were invited to sign the guest book as they arrived, and given an opportunity to view the Tweedsmuir History book.

Week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bruce, Brenda and Bradley, were Norman Jorganson and son Robert from Whitewood, Sask., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilkins of Woodstock, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce of Hamilton.

Also visiting on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bruce and family, was Byron's nephew Dr. Garth Bruce, Mrs. Bruce, and sons Tim and Dean of Toronto. Dr. Bruce is studying internal medicine at Toronto Western Hospital.

Mrs. Edward S. Butkewitz of Naperville, Illinois spent a week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson and Donnie of Douglas Point, spent the week-end with Don's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ferguson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aitken visited on Sunday with Gordon's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aitken at Lake Dalrymple.

several former friends. They report lovely weather throughout, with only one rainy day in ten. They took the ferry to Vancouver Island, spending a day in Victoria, and also visited at Birch Bay, U.S.A.

On Friday, grade 6 pupils of the school, under the guidance of Mrs. Mary Nellis, travelled to Eden Mills for an Outdoor Education session. Orienting and an initiative test was thoroughly enjoyed.

Pictures were taken at the school on Monday. These should be back in time for Christmas giving.

Hallowe'en

The Hallowe'en party to be held at the school Thursday evening, will be between the hours of 7 and 9 p.m. There will be a small admission of 25c to help cover expenses. If there are any questions concerning it, contact Lydia Dudnik. There will be games and prizes and lots of goodies, and contests for the best costumes for mothers and fathers. There will be refreshments for all. Sounds like fun.

Well-nigh to 325 people were served at the hot beet supper Saturday night at Knox Presbyterian church. I presume the large turnout was due jointly to the beautiful evening and the good reputation of former repasts.



OSPRINGE WOMEN'S Institute held their anniversary tea Saturday afternoon at the school. Pictured with the special cake are Doris Fines, Ann Aitken, Albie Fisher, Rima Dudnik, Alberta Howard, Phyllis Robertson and Mary Archibald.

Limehouse

# Meeting topics concern guests

By Mrs. Ari Henton

Miss Gwen Kirkwood reported the third and fourth 4H meetings. All members repeated the pledge to open the third meeting Oct. 12, at the home of Gwen Kirkwood. They discussed entertaining a guest, being a guest, packing for travel and introductions. Sheila Anderson and Elizabeth Moulden demonstrated the packing of a week-end bag.

Topic of meeting

Entertaining at tea was the topic at the fourth meeting on Oct. 26. The girls all participated in making rolled sandwiches, closed and open sandwiches, pinwheels, ribbon and checkerboard

sandwiches. The tea table was set to serve an informal tea. Mrs. N. Anderson was a guest and quizzed the group on food afterwards. She showed a silk ribbon rose corsage which she had made. Home assignment is practicing sandwich making.

The W. J. Crichtons visited with his brothers at Harriston a week ago.

Sympathy

We extend sympathy to Mrs. G. B. Fisher and family in the passing of her husband last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Bos moved into their new home on the fourth line at Thanksgiving. We welcome them to the community.

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## GARBAGE DUMP

A public meeting will be held at  
Stewarttown Public School on  
Wednesday, November 6th 1974 at 8 pm.

You are urged to attend to obtain information and to express your opinion on the desirability of a new very large garbage dump in your neighborhood.

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# Contact Centre topic; wedding

By Mrs. R. Shortill Sr.

A quiet, but pretty wedding took place in the Anglican Church at Stewarttown on Friday evening, Oct. 11. Canon Maxwell performed the marriage of Alice Briggs and James Sanderson. Alice is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Briggs and James, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Sanderson, all of Ballinafad.

Alice and her sister Phyllis, as bridesmaid, were gowned in white and yellow respectively. They had made their own lovely dresses. Calvin Sanderson, brother of the groom, was best man. Only the immediate family and a couple of dear friends were present.

A reception was held at the home of the bride and a lovely dinner was enjoyed following the ceremony. Mrs. Maxwell played the wedding music.

Alice and Jimmie took a short motor trip. They are living on the Sanderson farm on Ballinafad town line.

Our congratulations go to this young couple who have always lived in the vicinity, Jimmie all his life and Alice in her later years, formerly at Stewarttown.

U.C.W.

Mrs. Floyd Shortill was hostess for the October meeting on Tuesday evening Oct. 15. There was a good attendance and it was a very interesting meeting.

Eileen McEnery, president, opened with a suitable reading and called on Eve-

lynne Snow, the secretary, for the minutes and the roll call which was answered by a household hint. Business concerning different commitments were discussed. Sheila Stiles had the devotion which was based on the Thanksgiving Psalm 100 (Enter into His gates with Thanksgiving and into His courts with praise).

Mrs. Elaine Sales had charge of the topic and gave a short run-down on the work of the Contact Centre. She then introduced the guest speaker who is a member of the executive of the Contact Centre. We were all very interested in her talk with us. We were made fully aware of the wonderful help being

given by receptive phone calls - 877-1211.

Not in all centres is the name of such a service the same but always they have the identical facilities. Volunteer workers answer phone calls for four hour shifts. Lonely people, disturbed ones, distress calls all receive concerned conversations.

The work originated in Australia and now is known around the world. The calls are confidential and anonymous so anyone may "spell out" their troubles and loneliness to a concerned person with the assurance that it is in confidence - the caller and the receiver all remain anonymous.

The ones who serve give their services on a free basis, the most expense being costs of phones and rent of building.

The meeting closed with the benediction and lunch was served by Viola Shortill and Helga Schwarz.

Articles of food, towels and blankets had been brought in. These were packed by the supply committee on Thursday and mailed to Salvage, Nfld. to the U.C.W. there, to be distributed to those most desperately in need. Other boxes of warm clothing have been also sent by individuals concerned, and still more could be sent, as for these people on Bonavista Bay a cold, meagre winter is ahead, with little income to carry them through.

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# Eileen McEnery comes to rescue

By Mrs. R. Shortill Sr.

Mark Shortill was able to return home from Guelph hospital on Sunday where he had an emergency appendix operation.

I received a phone call from Mrs. Isobel McDonald to tell me about a happy occasion at Halton Manor last week. Isobel is helping with the recreation facilities there. She had gathered together the Centennial dresses (which by the way she had helped make). She had pressed and made them all beautiful again and fitted them on the guests at the Manor all in preparation for an old time reception with dancing etc.

No musicians

Unfortunately in the morning the musicians phoned, that they couldn't come. In a flash, Isobel thought of Ballinafad and Mrs. Eileen McEnery. She phoned Eileen but she had no transportation. Mrs. McEnery got in touch with Mrs. Elsie Swindlehurst and away they went down to the Manor.

How very grateful they were for Eileen's music and what a happy afternoon was spent - one that will bring back pleasant memories to the people of Halton Manor, and a thankfulness to Eileen who is always ready with her nimble fingers on the piano keyboard.

Mrs. Isobel McDonald is a willing worker down there and is always helping to plan some unique event to the people who reside at Halton Manor. Everyone does not have the same talent, but all of us in various walks of life have talents, of which we should make use, to enrich our own life and also those around us.

Church on Sunday was well attended. Plans are buzzing

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# Consider modular schools

Halton Board of Education will investigate the possibility of using modular schools in the region. Trustee Don Venus reported on a trip to Regina and noted he had been impressed with the concept.

He noted the people there were about ready to take part of a school off the main structure and move it to another area of the city where the need was greater.

He noted the school looked a little "boxy" at first appearance but claimed that could be overcome with a little cosmetics.

Verify costs

The board agreed to send a representative to Regina to verify the construction costs and see if the concept could be applied in Halton.

Staff was instructed to see if federal winter works funds can be made available for school additions and on-site work.

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