Ballinafad

# Women tour plant for June meeting of WI

by Mrs. Winifred Smith It was Agriculture and Canadian Industry meeting for the W.I. June meeting. The members met at 1.30 p.m. and boarded cars for Acton as a tour had been arranged to go through the Acton Free Press office.

Ladies were welcomed by Mrs. Dills who escorted all through the different parts of the plant.

She explained fully from beginning to end the business of putting a newspaper together. It was especially interesting to see and hear about the new computer machines which are installed.

hours. Mrs. E. McLean, courtesy convener thanked Mrs. Dills for taking time out from her busy schedule for this most interesting and educational tour.

A picnic had been planned but the showery weather did not co-operate. All returned to the home of the president when the business part of the meeting was dealt with. Mrs. Slessoraitis gave an interesting and detailed report attended Mrs. Plouffe had a report of the District Annual of which she was a delegate, handed around to those attendance.

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members to read who were not able to be present at the District Annual.

Mrs. E. McLean had twenty quilt blocks to hand out for members to work on. She and Mrs. Kirkwood had spent considerable time cutting out the pieces and marking blocks ready for completing.

During the reading of the correspondence a reply was read from the Hon. Ron Basford on the letter written to him about the W.I. protesting about the pornographic material coming into the country. W.I. Grace was sung and all did justice to the bounteous picnic supper The tour took about 112 served buffet style in the

> Wedding Several relatives friends from Ballinafad were guests at the Sinclair-Lasby wedding at Guelph on Saturday. Paul Scwartz was guest soloist at the wedding.

coziness of the home.

Mrs. Sam Cotter and children stopped over to visit relatives in our area on the way to Manitoba to visit her mother. They flew from Jamaica on Friday, Mr. and of the officers conference she Mrs. Mac Sprowl entertained for them at their home in Acton on Saturday, Mr. & Mrs. Marshall attended the but time did not permit the party. The Leitch families reading of it so it was to be and other cousins were also in



My husband sure loves his toys-but I guess most women would say that about their men. Even though Mack is an outand-out-land-roving farmer he can't resist a machine or a gadget. In fact the only reason we bought this ten acre place was to do away with the necessity for expensive farm machinery. At least, that's why I bought it. Somehow, we still have two tractors, a manure spreader, grubbers, harrows, and the usual other additions to improve the quality of life on a farm. But the latest toy really drives me out of my tree. Mack has become a CB nut.

How an intelligent practical man can get a charge out of talking like Cannonball and playing at emergencies is beyond me. That CB is on all the time. If it's not bellowing from the truck dash, Mack has it cosily in his basement radio shack.

I trip happily out to the barn with a bucket of feed and the truck says "Hey, good buddy". I'm still picking oats out of my hood after that one.

He's always hoping for an emergency so he can grin 'I told you so'. Everytime he was able to tell me highway weather conditions this winter you'd have thought his name was Marconi.

As if this isn't enough, he's gone and wired the entire house, barn and shop with intercom systems. The house is a small . three bedroom bungalow. The barn and shop are a hundred feet away. But we can all talk to one another without moving a muscle, no matter where we are. Whoopee!

Even if I'm in the bathroom enjoying some peace and quiet, or juggling fifteen pots and pans at dinner, the kids can call me from the basement to ask the time. The one time I did use it to call Mack in from the shop for

supper, you'd have thought he'd given birth to twins. "See how useful it is", he chortled, "You didn't have to

come out in that nasty weather." I wouldn't have gone out in that nasty weather anyway. If he doesn't know what time supper is by now, he can starve.

Why don't men have sensible hobbies and interests like women do? Useful inexpensive hobbies the whole family can enjoy. I could elaborate further but I have to go practice my belly dancing.

Three day

"The Arts of Family

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#### Limehouse

# Father, son banquet, W.I., visits in news

by Mrs. A. Benton Mr. and Mrs. Ruggiero and family flew to Rome for a month, where they visited relatives a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Burford of Richmond, B.C. have been visiting with their daughter, Mrs. R. Dubuc, her husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guppy of College Park, Maryland have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mileham and her husband. Miss Blanche Brigham has returned from a few weeks visit with friends at Brandon,

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Porter and son Brian to the village. They have purchased the former home of the Randy Banisks, who have bought in Erin township.

W.I. meeting The W.I. met in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Thursday evening, opening with the W.I. Carol and the Collect. Roll call was "A local beef" bringing everything from dusty roads to overzealous officialdom. Conveners read reports, and Mrs. Hannah read current events.

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the Y's Men's auction at the arena Friday night.

Delegates read reports of the recent District Annual. Ladles were requested to bring lunches to a quilting in the hall on June 13 at 9.30 a.m. Mrs. Deverenux read a phase of the collect 'Pretense.' After singing 'Have Thine own way Lord,' Mrs. Devereaux served a nice lunch for the ten members present.

Banquet Members of the W.I. served a hot roast beef dinner to thirty-seven mothers and daughters of the Brownies last Tuesday evening. (from Mrs. Hannah)

At the end of May the Cubs and Scouts in Limehouse had their annual Father and Son banquet in Limehouse Memorial Hall. The mothers supplied a beautiful pot luck supper with plenty of home made ples for dessert. Special guests in addition to the fathers were Murray Har-District Commissioner; Terry Colter, Assistant District Commissioner for Cubs and Mr. and Mrs. Patterson from Limehouse who entertained everyone with their slides from their various trips across Canada. Cyclist badges were pre-

sented to the Cubs who had taken part in the bike hike the Sunday previously and a special award was presented to Cub John Vadelka who has earned his fifth star-the star itself will be received at a special awards night for the District being held at the Grodon Alcott Arena on June 14.

Six Cubs attended the Distirct Cub Camp held for those Cubs who are completing Cubs and will be entering Scouts in the fall. It was held this year at Glen Haffey Conservation Area.

rain in the middle of the campfire Sunday night, the weather was beautiful. The boys went fishing, had a night hike, learned about knife and axe handling as well as fire Winter, Dwayne Maltby and

tending from Limehouse were Brian Walton, Tom Ruggle, Ian Brown, Ron Rock, Christian Brook, and Eddie Galliford. Leaders Elaine and Dave Hannah and Steve Thompson had the questionable pleasure of supplying the food for the 77 people there and also cooking

for the 17 leaders. This past weekend the Scouts had their District Camporee again at the Flaherty's farm on Highway 24. This gave them further practice with their light-Except for some pouring weight no trace camping. They also used their new three man tents. I wasn't told their program, but attending from Limehouse were Doug Hannah, Ron Rock, Hugo De-

#### M.O. to retire after 25 years

Dr. B.T. Dale, who has been Medical Officer of Health for 25 years in Wellington-Duf-

fering-Guelph will retire in September. Dr. Dale's replacement is Dr. John Desmond Burns,

Health announcement. Dr. Burns graduated from Queen's University Belfast, Northern Ireland, served in the British Army, and has done health work in Ontario.

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The Ukrainian camp had its first large gathering of the season on the weekend.



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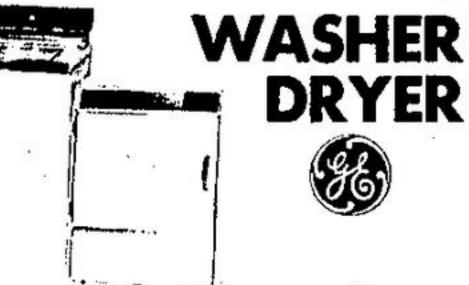
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children and four greatgrandchildren were present. Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown,

enjoy the festivities. Mrs. Reta Shortill is home from hospital feeling much Mrs. Lille Given is also recovering nicely from her

Mr. & Mrs. Dick Shortill

entertained for her father Alf

Thompson on Sunday. The

occasion being his 78th bir-

thday. All his family, grand-

distant relatives from

Orangeville as well as Mrs.

Thompson were there to help

recent illness. Sorry to have to report that Mrs. Ada Kirkwood has undergone surgery at Guelph General Hospital. We wish

her a speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Eric Bramley from Long Eaton, Nottingham, England are spending a holiday with Uncle and Aunt Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and other relatives in the nearby community.

# Troop Colors

Among the more than 100 advance registrants who have signified their intention to be present at the Lorne Scots Reunion are: Sgt. Tommy Warnes from England; Lt. Crawford Douglas, Bruce County M.P.; Maj. H. G. Peacock, Cape Coral, Fla.; Sgt. Warren "Duke" Tait, Newcastle, Ont.; Lt. George Egan, St. Catharines, Ont.; C.S.M. Art Nokes, Peterborough, Ont.; Maj. H. W. A. "Mick" Ward, Burling-

ton, Ont. The reunion is being held in Brampton June 10, 11, 12, Lorne's . Allied Regiment in England will be

represented by Col. T. David Lloyd-Jones and Mrs. Lloyd-Jones from headquarters at the Tower of London. L. Col. F. E. Ching.

Commanding Officer extends a cordial invitation to the public to view the colorful Trooping the Color" ceremony at Century Gardens, Vodden St., at 2.30 p.m., Saturday, June 11. Ontario Premier Bill Davis will take the salute at the "Trooping of the Color" ceremony. Those attending are asked to take

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