

### Plans, donation, service Teenagers on CVCA ? on Auxiliary agenda

by Fern Shultis  
The Legion Ladies Auxiliary held their last meeting for the summer on Thursday.

On the sick list was Kathy Jensen, who is now on the road to recovery. The meeting was short due to the service at the funeral home, where the girls went in a body.

It was saddened by the loss of two comrades, Maude Chisholm who was a charter member and Doris Angell, a member for over 25 years. Both were good workers during the years. Doris held the office of standard bearer for many years and Maude was kitchen convener.

Two new members were voted in and President Fowler wished everyone a happy and safe holiday during the summer.

A drop-in centre for young people is being planned for the summer, possibly in the scout hall.

Plans for the bus trip were made. All members must pay before August 13. A donation was made to the branch. Two bug lights for the patios were donated by the women.

### Teenagers on CVCA ?

Teenagers on the Credit Valley Conservation Authority advisory boards? At a recent CVCA meeting, Gail Malby, a Halton Hills member questioned the recommendation made by the Information and Education Advisory Board to include two or three school students as lay members on each board.

The suggestion came about as a result of the advisory boards wish to involve young people in the workings of the Authority and get some fresh input.

## Festival held at museum

With the objective of raising enough money to build a fountain in front of the main building at the Halton Region Museum this year, the "Friends of the Museum" held a Festival Day Sunday which covered every facet of turn-of-the-century craft.

By holding an afternoon tea, selling some of the crafts and holding a rummage sale the "Friends of the Museum" are headed towards their goal. However, the amount reached has not yet been determined.

The Halton Region

Museum, the Main Building (originally an old barn), the Craft House, the Blacksmith Shop and the Log Cabin each displayed a different facet of Canada's heritage.

The Festival Day is an annual event but this year the fountain is the main objective.

Marianne Adams of Milton spun wool by the log cabin and answered questions from visitors, as did caner of chairs John Girban.

Corn brooms were also being made at the main

building beside the rummage sale.

Halton Region Museum and some of the buildings within it are originally part of the Adam Alexander homestead. The Alexander home, the main building, the Craft House, the Blacksmith Shop and the Alexander homestead make up the original plot of land settled in the 1860's.

The museum is open year round. It is open between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday to Friday. Between April and October it is open on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays between 1 p.m. and 6 p.m.

## Rain fails to dampen Manor's Lawn Party

Despite the harsh but intermittent rains Saturday, Halton Centennial Manor's annual Lawn Party went on, although most of the events took place inside the complex.

The annual event is the kickoff for Senior Citizen's Week which is being celebrated this week, June 19 to 26.

The bake sale, games for the children and the flea market were carried on inside the Manor without too many inconveniences to the visitors.

Several bands took advantage of the poor weather by using the better acoustics of the auditorium to play. Among the groups were the Lions Club Pipe Band, White-oaks Barbershoppers, Scotch Block Square Dancers, Chiquacousy Band, Georgetown Legion Pipe Band, Georgetown Y Choir, Ralph Urself and Group, Oakville Harmonicas, and the Ray Osborne Duo.

The clowns were inside and outside whenever possible, keeping the visitors and residents amused.

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**CONFIRMATION SERVICE** was held in the Church of St. Alban the Martyr on Sunday. Front row, left to right; David George Gilbert Hargrave, Matthew Kenneth Stanbury and David Laurance Fuller. Second row, Kimberly Michelle Fitzgerald, Jacqueline Christine Dawson, Nicola Louise Dawson, Gillian Margaret Fuller, Beverley Vera Dawson, Meredith Anne Caissie. Third row, James Stuart Hunter, Victor James Dawson, Terrance Robert Masales, Frances Patricia Dawson, Janette Shirley Trotter (nee Waites) and Kelly Lee Fitzgerald. Back row, Alex Pitt, chief server, the Rev. Leonard Ewing, The Rt. Rev. Bishop Kent Clarke, and Les Duby, the bishop's chaplain.

## Dublin W.I. meeting touches many topics

by Mrs. L. Dennis  
"Public Relations" was the theme of the June meeting of Dublin Women's Institute held last Thursday evening. The hostess was Mrs. Brian Alder, No. 25 Sideroad, Halton Hills (Esquering), and a fine crowd of members and two visitors were present on this nice summer evening. Mrs. M. Hunter presided

over the opening exercises and Mrs. D. Hunter called the roll. Roll call was answered by "How I publicize our branch," and it gave each member an opportunity to express their special way of telling the merits of belonging to a Branch of the Women's Institute.

Considerable business was discussed and agreed upon including a donation of \$25 to the Red Cross Society and \$10 toward the baby show at Acton Fall Fair, and a further \$5 for a special prize in the name of the branch. Cheques will be forwarded to the respective treasurers.

A family in the neighborhood who suffered a partial loss to their home by fire will be remembered.

For the enjoyment of the members, it was decided to purchase a book of poems by a neighboring poetess.

Members were reminded of the baking required for June 25 for a local trossseau tea. Neighboring Fall Fair exhibits were discussed and Mrs. C. Armstrong, Mrs. M. Nellis, Mrs. J. McLean and Mrs. M. Hunter will look after their arrangements.

Mrs. B. Alder as Family and Consumer Affairs convener gave a short report. Mrs. C. Armstrong as bus convener, outlined the full itinerary of the annual bus trip to Toronto, on Tuesday, June 21, which promises to be a very interesting day.

Co-operating with the Acton Business Men's Association in celebrating their Back-to-Acton days on June 30, July 1 and 2, it was decided that the Branch would have a booth there.

The guest speaker of the evening was Mrs. Glen Campbell, of Milton, District President of Halton Women's Institutes, and she was introduced by Mrs. M. Nellis, Public Relations convener. Mrs. Campbell in a very pleasant manner outlined special things that were expected of Institute members, one of which was to have enthusiasm and loyalty to your Branch. She mentioned about house logs and emphasized the importance of making a log with as much information

about the construction of the home, etc. as possible for the future owners; it is to remain on the property for additions and changes as they are made.

Of interest was a Women's Institute china cake plate, complete with the W.I. Crest, which the speaker displayed. Mrs. Campbell's talk was full of interest and helpful advice to Institute members which was enjoyed by all. She was thanked by Mrs. E. Norton for her enthusiastic and enjoyable address.

A seasonal lunch of strawberries, ice cream and cake were enjoyed by everyone when Mrs. G. McMillan, Mrs. H. Besley and Mrs. W. Britton from the social committee served, assisted by Mrs. Alder, the hostess.

Mrs. E. Norton was courtesy convener.

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### Personals

Clive Mansell, a policeman on the Birmingham, England police force is visiting for three weeks with his aunt Mrs. Thomas Lazenby and family in Acton.

The 19-year-old officer arrived just last Friday and has already seen Niagara Falls and Crystal Beach. His cousin John plans to take him camping in Algonquin Park next week.

The annual zone picnic of the United Senior Citizens of Ontario will be at Bronte Creek provincial park on Wednesday, June 29. Bert Davidson of Acton is president of the zone.

Alan A. Spanton, who is with Cooper Canada Limited, has received an important promotion. Formerly vice president of the company's leather division, he is now corporate vice-president, leather operations.

Mr. Spanton lived in Acton for a while, and was employed at Beardmore company. He lived with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Salt while he was here.

Acton residents attended the annual Post family reunion picnic held at Churchill Park, Galt, Sunday. There were 102 in all. Attending from Acton were Mr. and Mrs. John Post, Shirley and Brydon Hunter, Stacy and Cheryl, John McMullen, Cathy and Hugh Forbes.

### Wedding writeups

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