5,650 miles round trip correspondent is home

by Doris Fines "If I lived in Ontario I'd be in Ontario right now," was the greeting I received when I stopped to refuel in Phoenix, Arizona, recently. But the temperature wasn't so hot that day according to my Aunt, it was only 100 degrees

Perhaps some people thought we were crazy going to Arizona this time of year, but holidays have to be taken when you can get them, and we wanted to go to Arizona. So, my mother Mrs. Thomas Fines, my sister Mrs. Ross Ferguson, and my

cousin Mrs. Harry Armstrong, and I, set out on the round trip which proved to be 5.650 miles.

and Norma were navigators.

City, Arizona.

I piloted the car, and Orma Population is 70,000. Recrea-

tion Centres, golf courses,

Churchill McFaddens back

by Mrs. J. Turner Church services resumed at Churchill last Sunday with a good attendance. The time of meeting will now be 11 a.m. Mrs. Eleanor McFadden was back in the pulpit looking fit and relaxed after a restful summer at the cottage at Matheson. Her theme was

"Effective Prayer." There are two Sunday School classes, one for little children age 3 to 6 and another for children 7 to 9. This is a non-denominational church and all are most wel-

come. Congratulations to Linda and Vern Denny on the birth of a son, Brian Steveson. Proud grandparents are Clarence and Vera Denny, Charles and Grace Perry.

The Churchill Community Church Women will hold their first meeting of the fall season Wednesday evening, Sept. 21 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Clifford Storey, Bower Ave., Acton.

Several ladies from this community attended a bridal last Wednesday evening honoring Miss Sharon MacArthur. Sharon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy MacArthur, is to be married at Churchill in two weeks' time. The theme was linen, and many lovely and useful gifts were received. After a few words of thanks from Sharon, a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ruth Shortill, and her

assistants. Mrs. William Mr. and with Thompson. along cousins Mr. Theodore Martin, Vineland, enjoyed a five-day bus tour recently, visiting points of patrol by a police officer.

directing me through some huge cities which would have stood my hair on end to find my way alone. One such place was Kansas City. There was absolutely no by-pass. The highway went through and over for 22 miles. Believe me, I was ready for a good cooling milk shake after that one.

We visited with cousins Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin and in Mishawaka, Indiana, and were entertained by Mother's sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson in Sun

Sun City is a fairly new city designed for Senior Citizens. No one under 50 years can buy a house there. Taxes are low as there is no school tax.

services resumed

interest in New York State

light of the trip was a visit to

old-fashioned Amish

and Pennsylvania. The high-

Community near Lancaster, Pennsylvania. Fall fair week is a busy time for many in the community as preparations for the weekend keep all committees scurrying to be ready in time. As I write, rain is falling steadily and thunderstorms are promised; let's hope it will clear and be fine

Rabies shots free in Erin

for Acton's big weekend!

An outbreak of rables in Wellington County prompted the opening of free anti-rabies clinics for pets. Clinics will be open at Erin and at Hillsburgh on Sep-

tember 29. There are 34 confirmed

January. For the same period last year there were 16 cases. Shots given at the clinics will last about three years. The last clinic was held in

Drug store broken into

Nothing was taken after someone took pliers or vise grips and twisted the locks off the doors at Glenlea Drug Mart, Halton Regional Police

break-in discovered during a routine

parks, shopping plazas with restaurants, were all designed with seniors in mind. The streets and boulivards are lined with cactus, palm trees and orange trees. It was all beautiful to look at but I missed the green, green grass of home.

We were amazed at the vastness of the Grand Canyon, the colouring of the Painted Desert, the stone logs in the Petrified Forest, and the huge saguaro cactus that grow in the desert foothills of

the mountains. In New Mexico, a high school student was manning the gas pumps. He asked what state we were from, and when I said Ontario, he said

"I never heard of it." In Illinois we ran into a storm. The rain came down in buckets. We stayed in Mattoon that night, ten miles from where a cyclone had gone through that day.

Even with two navigators we managed to get lost a few times, but always found our

way back. So back home, where the air is fresher, the grass is greener (and longer) the work still waiting to be done, and everyone knows there's an Ontario in North America.

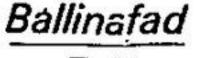
Recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Howard were Mr. and Mrs. George Howard of Elgin, Mrs. Madeline Wallace of Rostum, Mr. and Mrs. Frances C. Apps of Delray Beach, Florida, and Mrs. R. C. Racey of Brantford.

Flora Stewart spent two weeks visiting with her friend Kari Hutchison in Dunkirk, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Ferguson took a trip to Saskatchewan for a couple of weeks visiting with cousins and an aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Island and family and Mrs. Clarence McMillan in Shaunavon. They also stayed with friends in Maple Creek where Sandra had taught cases of the disease since - school. They returned home bringing Sandra's two horses

she had left out there Knox Presbyterian Church Mrs. Denny and Mr. Brown. re-opened its doors Sunday morning after its August holiday, with Rev. Gerald Rennie Scollard. The bus patrols for of Acton conducting the service. A breakfast was enjoyed before the service, by members and the children of the Sunday School. Next Sunday the Ospringe congregation will meet with Burns Church in Erin when Rev. George Lewis will be the

speaker. It's, back to school again, with an attendance here of 123. The teaching staff is: grade 1-Mrs. Hipkins, grade2-3-Mrs. Smith, grade 3-4-Mrs. Buchanan, grade 4-5-Mr. Rainford, grade 6



Silver anniversary of Institute is this fall

There were 13 members, was in Bolton with interment one visitor present. We were at Erin cemetery. haPpy at this time to add a new member to the roll call. present and former members being invited.

Grant McLellan

Grant McLellan, warden of

Wellington County, died in

Kitchener-Waterloo hospital

on Thursday at the age of 47.

working on his farm the pre-

vious Saturday when he

suffered a stroke. He never

Mr. McLellan served 13

vears on the Arthur township

council, eight as a councillor

and five as a reeve. He was

also member of the Welling-

ton County Council and was

elected warden in January.

Jean (Mrs. Ross Neal) of

Mount Forest, with whom he

lived. He was predeceased by

his parents William and

Funeral service was held

Saturday at Mount Forest

United church. Interment

was at Harriston cemetery.

Registrations for a new

Guide pack being formed in

Limehouse will be Tuesday.

September 27 from 7 to 8 p.m.

at the hut in the village. All

First meeting of the Lime-

house Brownie Pack will be

held Wednesday, September

14 at 3.30 p.m. in the hut. New

Special Education is taught

two half days a week by P.

the year have been chosen

and are away to a good start.

girls 10-14 are welcome.

registrations are invited.

Limehouse

Isobel McLellan.

He is survived by his sister

regained consciousness.

Mr. McLellan had been

Warden

Mrs. Kirkwood reported on home and said more quilters would be welcome to get the job finished. Tickets are to be

Delegates to the area convention coming up in November were appointed. Mrs. Jesse McEnery is to be alternate district director if Mrs. McLean is unable to attend district meetings.

The correspondence included an invitation from Mountain Union W.I. to attend an Open House October

Mrs. Slessoraitis as convener of Family and Consumer Affairs then took over the meeting. She asked each one to give a current event of local interest. Mrs. Given. Agriculture Convener gave a short talk and read a poem on

It was now time for Mrs. Slessoraitis to introduce the guest speaker. She was Mrs. Fran Jamieson, a registered nurse from the Halton Regional Health Unit. She talked about the many services which they give, including prenatal classes, meals on wheels for seniors living alone, also health clinics for the aged. She explained about them in detail which proved to be very informative, Mrs. McLean as courtesy convener thanked Mrs. Jamieson and presented her with a gift of a plant.

The meeting was then adjourned and after the left turn, and ran off the road singing of the W.I. grace Mrs. Friday afternoon. L. Buckrell and Mrs. Marshall assisted by the hostess, Mrs. L. Burt and her daughter-in-law Mrs. Harvey Burt, served a cup of tea with assorted breads and cheese.

Extend sympathy We extend sympathy to Mrs. Archie McEnery and family who suffered a

By Mrs. Winifred Smith bereavement this past week On Wednesday, Sept. 7, Mrs. Lloyd Burt was in the death of Donald Mrs. Ruth Shortil entertained hostess for the September McEnery, brother of the late in the form of a linen shower meeting of the W.I. after July Archie, last surviving at her home for about 21 and August were free of member of the McEnerys. He meetings. died in Keswick. The funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McEnery have returned It is the 25th anniversary of home after visiting with their the Ballinafad branch this son Billie, his wife and family fall. A banquet is planned for in Alberta. They also visited the October meeting with other relatives in the western provinces, before returning:

Congratulations to Mrs the W.I. quilt set up at her Reta Shortil who was 78 years young last week. Daughter Lillian and son Richard, with daughter-in-law Ruth celesold on the quilt and it is to be brated the occasion by taking drawn for at a cuchre party her out to a nearby restaurant for dinner.

in the north to Erin in the

After some lively debate a

constitution for the new

association was approved by

those present, and an execu-

tive elected consisting of rep-

resentatives from all three

counties and every munici-

pality within the Riding.

A south bound car on the

The ear, driven by Wendy

De Groot of 51 Kingham Rd.;

received about \$1,000 in

damages, police estimate.

First Line failed to make a

Car leaves

First Line

New riding executive elected at P.C. meeting Heading the association as Over 300 people attended a

public meeting at Orangeville woody of Shelburne. High School on Wednesday, September 7, to found the Progressive Conservative Association for the new riding Wellington-Dufferin-Simcoe, which has been created by re-distribution and will be in effect for the next Federal General Election. The Treasurer; meeting drew a crowd of Con-(Orangeville) servatives from all parts of the very large riding which (Erin Township) stretches from Alliston in the bership secretary. east to Palmerston in the west, and from Mount Forest

guests. It was in honor of her niece, Miss Sharon MacArthur, a bride-to-be of this month.

The corn roast and dance, first event of the season sponsored by the Hall Board, proved quite successful with a good attendance.

The Rev. Stiles was welcomed back to his place in the pulpit on Sunday with a fair crowd of worshippers. Bob Pinkerton presided at the organ and accompanied Paul Schwartz as he sang a beautiful, inspiring anthem. Sunday school will resume next Sunday after the holidays.

Other members are: Peter Parkinson (Orangeville) vice president for Dufferin; Bob Dickey (Alliston) vice president for Simcoe: Paul Grant (Mount Forest) vice president for Wellington; Bob Gardiner (Mount Forest) Alice Arnold recording secretary and Eleanor Taylor

President will be John Din-

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NOTICE

PUBLIC MEETING

Resource Recovery

The Council of the Regional Municipality of Halton will hold a public meeting on Thursday, September 22, 1977 at 7.30 p.m. in the Pettit House Auditorium, Halton Centennial Manor, Milton, Ontario to hear presentations from private companies and discuss solid waste processing for resource recovery.

Interested parties who wish to participate in the discussions are cordially invited to attend.

Additional information may be obtained from the Regional Public Works office, telephone 878-5571, extension 207.

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Tues. 7.30 p.m.

OAKVILLE Sheridan College Room B125, Mon. 7.30 p.m.

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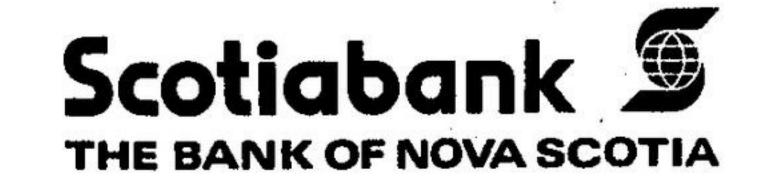


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There will be an informal rehearsal on Thursday, Sept. 15th at the Presbyterian Church at 7:00 p.m.

REQUIREMENTS

Single Girls 16 Years of Age and Over

 Wear Street Length Dress & Formal Evening Dress For Judging — Contestants to be at Presbyterian Church for judging at 6:00 p.m. Friday, Sept. 16th, in daytime street length dresses and to bring a long formal evening dress for formal dress judging.

 Must live in the area serviced by Acton and Rockwood Post Offices and/or attend Acton District High School,

-Entries accepted by members of the Miss Acton Fair Committee-MISS ACTON FALL FAIR COMMITTEE 1977

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