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Jack Melnen and John Arnold were the men in charge of showing customers what they were bidding for at the Rotary Club Auction Sale Thursday.



Ken Clapperton donated his services as auctioneer to the Rotary Club auction last week.

CWL
Pledge \$50 to ActiVan

by Ann Montgomery

At the February meeting of the Catholic Women's League, the film "Miracle of Our Lady of Guadalupe" was shown to League members, as well as parishioners of St. Joseph's Church. This beautiful and inspirational film was enjoyed by all who viewed it. Its message regarding the poor and the oppressed is as true today as it was over 400 years ago.

A short business meeting followed the film. Minutes of the January meeting were read by Mrs. Rina O'Brien, Secretary. The financial report was read by Mrs. Ann Donston, Treasurer. A motion was made to pledge \$50, at this time, to Acti-Van. President Mary Margaret Dickinson asked for all conveners' reports to be completed by February 22.

Future league events were discussed. Our Parish dance will be held on Saturday, February 27 at the Band Hall. The theme will be the 50s and 60s. The Church picnic is scheduled for Labour Day weekend and the Acton Legion has been booked for our annual Christmas Bazaar on November 27. The meeting closed with a prayer.

Obituary
Lloyd Murr

Funeral service was held January 30 at Shoemaker Funeral Home for Lloyd Murr, 85 Mill St.

Mr. Murr died in Guelph General Hospital, January 27 following a two week illness. He was 78 years old.

He was born June 10, 1905 in Brantford, and was married in Huntsville. He worked at the Huntsville Tannery before moving to Acton about 21 years ago.

Two juveniles have been found responsible for a break-in at 56 Greenore Cres. in Acton last week.

The intruders gained entry into the home and left with \$80 in cash. Charges have yet to be laid, according to Halton Police.

where he was employed at Beardmore Tannery. He retired in 1970.

Mr. Murr is survived by daughters Helen Knight, Toronto, June Keith, Winnipeg, Lois Nirenberski, Thornhill and Norma Dollery, Newmarket, sons Charles, Huntsville, Gary, Guelph and Paul, Acton. He is also survived by brothers Albert, Ajax, Ontario, and sisters Blanche, Gladys, Francis all of Orillia and Dorothy of Huntsville.

Pastor Jean Stairs officiated at the funeral. Grandsons Stephen and Andrew Knight, and Scott Kirenberski, neighbor Mike Moore and friends Paul O'Brien and Barry Insoe were pallbearers. Interment was at Fairview Cemetery.

Search for hero

The Halton Region Safety Council is embarking on its annual hero search.

The council is on the lookout for citizens "who by their courage and lack of self-interest assist in saving lives," said Leigh Morrison of the council.

These people will be acclaimed at the annual spring awards banquet.

The public is invited to submit the names of candidates to the council at P.O. Box 561, Burlington, Ontario L7R 3Y5 by Feb. 20.

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\$5,000 raised by Rotarians

Acton Rotary Club raised over \$5,000 Thursday evening when they held an auction at the Band Hall. Over 150 people attended the major fund raising event and bid on about 140 items, ranging from a wicker table and chair set, to a case of peanut butter.

Other items sold were gravel, top soil, a love seat, a Robert Bateman painting, jackets, crocheted and pottery items, afghans, car tune-ups, cigarettes, a snowmobile outfit, tanning sessions and an array of other items.

All the articles were donated by Acton and area merchants and individuals and auctioneer Ken Clapperton also donated his time.

Bidding was hot on all items, even an indescribable wall hanging allegedly brought from Africa.

Monies raised in the auction will be used in the community.

Knox Alert
Donate money

The Knox "Alert" Evening Group met in the Mary Ellen Anderson Room. In the absence of the President, Lil McLennan, first Vice President opened the meeting with a short reading "Refugee Mother".

Vera Inglis, convener of the month took over the program with a short reading "Three Gifts". Hymn No. 666 "Sun of my Soul" was sung. Irene Terry read the Scripture, Psalm 121, followed by Prayer by Vera.

Vera read an article "Acres of Diamonds" and Irene read several Valentine poems "So Much is Ours", "Heart's Garden" and others. Hymn No. 399 "Come Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love" was sung and Vera closed this portion of the meeting with a short reading "In February".

Lil took charge of the business, calling for the secretary's and treasurer's reports. A "Thank You" card was read from Pearl Young and some verbal "Thank You's" were given. It was moved to send \$200 to the Presbyterian treasurer and it was reported that Vera is representing the Group on the Vacancy Committee. Thanks were given to those of the Group who helped with the Friendship flour and Coffee Hours during January.

It was also reported that the Craft and Bake Sale for all the Church groups would be held on October 23 and there was to be a Presbyterial Executive meeting on February 14 at which Wilma Coles would represent the group.

The meeting was closed with the Benediction and a lovely lunch followed.

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