district

Eden Mills

Choir gowns dedicated

Mrs. G. MacDougall The March meeting of the U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. Betty Snow with a good attendance.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Rene Beattle with Scripture from Proverbs 25. All joined in the singing of the hymn "Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life". There was a reading on life situations and how they were dealt with. Correspondence was read and plans were made for three ladies to attend the 20th birthday party of the U.C.W. at Fergus in April.

Members were invited to attend a Tupperware Party (fund raising) at the home of Mrs. E. Jennings, Mrs. Freda Thompson and the hostess served lunch and a social time was en-

joyed. The next noon luncheon sponsored by the U.C.W. will be in the Community Hall on Wednesday, April 7. Brian and Brenda Snow from Georgetown spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood

Snow. Tara and Troy MacDougall entertained guests at their joint birthday party on Wednesday. The afternoon was spent roller-skating in Guelph.

April is cancer month and one of the following canvassers will be knocking on your door in the near future. Please be kind whether you give or decline. The ladies are: Mrs. Joan Ball; Mrs. Jean Turowski: Mrs. Jane Thatcher; Mrs. Evelyn Barden; Mrs. Betty Snow: Mrs. Pamela Durrell and Mrs. Jean Rinehart.

The Gilbertson ladles opened their home for the March meeting of the Presbyterian Women. Mrs. Barden opened the meeting with a reading

"The World Awakens to Spring." Communications were read and plans were made to forward money to the W.M.S. Waterloo-Wellington Presbyterial. A report was given on planned improvements to the church

Dublin WI

basement. Mr. Bill MacDonald gave a nice donation to the choir gown fund in

memory of his late wife, Alma. The Good Friday Morning breakfast is coming up on April 9 and the bacon has been donated by Mr. and Mrs. Eric Lockett and homemade bread by Mr. and Mrs. N. Bernecker. Tentative plans are underway for a yard sale and straw perry social.

Mrs. J. Gilbertson expressed her thanks for all the kindness expressed to her at her 90th birthday party. The roll call was answered by 12 members and Mrs. Herb Gilbertson received a gift for wearing the most green in honor of St. Patrick.

<u>Ospringe</u>

Dedication for Pennies of the Least Coin was read by Mrs. J. Chamberlain, Mrs. J. Henry gave the second study on Neighbors or Strangers with scripture and hymns. A contest on capitals of different countries was won by Mrs. W. Lasby.

Mrs. Charles Lasby is to be remembered with flowers on her 85th birthday on March 28. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. Henry and the hostesses with birthday cake and many candles for Mrs. J. Gilbertson. A lucky cup and saucer prize went to ance of the duties these Michael, spent the week Mrs. Joan Ball. Courtesies were ex- men are called upon to at Ottawa holidaying tended by Mrs. W. McLean.

In a joyful and uplifting service of anthems and hymns at a memorial service for a dear choir member, Alma MacDonald, beautiful new wine choir gowns and gold coral collars were dedicated to the memory of all those of the Eden Mills Presbyterian Church who have built up this house of worship in love, faith and hope.

The gowns will be worn proudly in honor of the love and labor of those departed. The elders assisted the ladles as they donned their gowns and Rev. felt singing of the old hymn "The Church In the Wildwood."



Don Hills and George Day sign some of the 1,000 copies of their new book, a collection of almost 100 photographs of historical Rockwood. Some of the photos the pair compiled by contacting about 30 people and borrowing prints and negatives dating back to 1921. Many photos came from the collection of Richard Harris, a former Free Press correspondent.

Florida for the school

break, and spent an

enjoyable week on Anna

Maria Island, where

they said the weather

Burk's Falls, bringing

Bonnie's mother Mrs.

Rose Bryon, home with

Our first robin timed

day of spring. I hope he

knew what he was doing,

for the weatherman

apparently didn't. It was

such a thrill to see him

perched on the branch of

the tree, singing his little

robin song, telling us

spring was on the way.

that word was received

of the death of Dorothy (Mrs. Elwood) Jackson,

a former resident of the

community. Sympathy

is extended to her hus-

daughter Edna (Mrs.

Ken Knight) of Palmer-

ston. Funeral service

was from the MacIntyre

and Wilkie Funeral

Prizes for the euchre

held at the church re-

cently were: ladies first

Jean Jackson, men's

first - Ward Bruce, lone

hands - Flora Bruce, and

low score Byron Bruce.

back in the pulpit on

March 20 giving as his

sermon, "There's no

love without sacrifice,

and no salvation without

After basking in 80 de-

gree temperature at

Fort Worth, Texas, for

two weeks, and watching

the daffodils, tulips and

tree blossoms coming

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Rev. Noble Dean was

Home, Guelph.

to

and

band

It was with sorrow

Bonnie

was perfect.

Schotsch, Heidi

them for a visit.

Max

Cubs tour police,

perform. Last week the and visiting friends.

Cubs went skating at They came home by

The Ospringe Scouts his arrival with the first

fire stations

by Dorls Fines

group went to Guelph

recently, and toured the

fire station and Guelph

police station, receiving

some enlightening in-

formation on the import-

Caledon, and at the end

of a vigorous, enjoyable

supper in Mr. Misurka's

are going to Erin to earn

their badges with the

spend five days in New

Pat Pearse went to

Lloyd and Doris Boyd

Erin Scouts.

they ate their

The Ospringe Cub

Volunteers needed Volunteers are being sought to help organize this year's Pioneer Days in Rockwood as well as for

swimming lessons in the village this summer. Those interested should call Chris Haworth at 856-4968.

Carney obituary correction Due to errors made by the family in filling out the

obituary report there were mistakes in last week's Free Press story about John Churchill Carney of Rockwood.

Mr. Carney was a member of Orange Lodge Number 75, not 761. Also Jack Tatton and Ray Thompson were

pallbearers, not Jack Totton and Ray Totton as was reported.

Guest speaker at Lions

Dr. David Van Derbent will talk about his travels and show slides at the April 7 dinner meeting of the Rockwood and District Lions

Club. Any Eramosa senior citizens interested in attending are asked to contact Jim Funk at 853-4801 after April 1.

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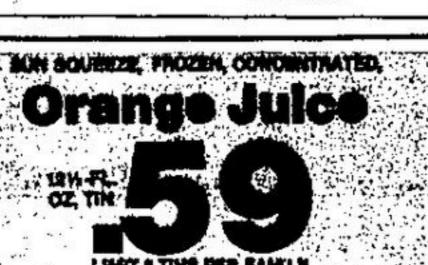
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York last week, attending the American Inter-Carrie Doehring assisted with the colnational Fur Fair. lars. This was followed by the heart-Meredith Smye and

by Laura Dennis It was Public Relations night at the meeting of Dublin Women's Institute Thursday held at the home of Mrs. E. Norton, Mill St. E., Acton.

With that theme in mind, the Roll Call was answered by naming a way in which we can make our institute better known in the community. Mrs. Clark Armstrong, as Governor, explained the meaning of the words "Public Relations." A good feeling amongst members was the basis of good Public Relations.

For her good work as leader of the Catering Committee for some time, Mrs. E. Wilson was presented with an electric carving knife, and Mrs. J.C. Dennis was given a Federated Women in Canada Pin for her duties as Press Reporter. Both had carried out their duties in the name of Public Relations. Many interesting thoughts were put into the talk by Mrs. Armstrong which was appreciated by the ladies.

A good turnout of ladies was present at the meeting. Mrs. H. Besley, the president, opened the meeting with the verse entitled "I try to make life simple." Considerable correspondence was read by Mrs. J. Kranendonk, secretary, and discussed.

An appeal from the local Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society to help reach their objective of \$15,000 in the spring compaign was read, and cancer kits were handed out to canvassers.

As well as individual givings, \$50 was approved to be given by the organization for the work of the

Public relations meeting topic Canadian Mental Health Association.

Considerble interest has been shown in the upcoming Workshop to be held the last three days of March in the Agricultural Office in Milton. The course will be "Simple Home Repairs." Discussion followed on the Bread-Making Course being taught to to the 4-H Girls in the current series. It was thought to be a very timely course, and it was decided to request, through the Home Economist, consideration of a repeat course for adults.

Standing Committee Chairman Reports were

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given on Citizenship and World Affairs when Mrs. A. Near spoke on a current subject of interest "Crawford Lake". Four quilt blocks were exhibited by Mrs. C. Armstrong, which she had made, and will be forwarded to the Erland Lee Home ladies for use in their project. As a prelude to the Halton District Annual to be held in May, members are invited to compete in a baking competition to be held at the meeting of the Branch next month. Prize winners for the best seven chocolate-iced cup cakes and/or 9" cherry pie, with two crusts, will have the honor of competing with the entrants in the District

Annual Competition. In the absence of Mrs. E. Newton, Brookville, a recorded message informed the members on the progress of the work with Halton Region. They are interested in doing research of the history of the northern portion of Nassagaweya, with the assist-

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