

Saw Former Residents on Trip to Britain

The January meeting of the U.C.W. was held at the home of Mrs. Paul Schwarz. It was well attended, 19 members paying membership fees for the coming year.

There were two visitors present. The Roll Call was a verse from scripture containing the word "faithful". Mrs. Norman Sinclair presided for the meeting and conducted the business. Mrs. Pinkerton had charge of the devotional, the theme being "Cheerfulness and Kindness". Mrs. Ernie McEnery had the topic, stressing "Youth in the Church". It was decided to continue collecting used stamps. The money from the sale of these is donated to leprosy aid. A bale of clothing has been sent to the Scott Mission and Salvation Army, as well as a collection of rags to be used for wiping up grease in local garages. Mrs. Mary Lawr who, with her husband, visited England last summer entertained the group by showing slides of the beautiful English countryside. They also travelled to Scotland and saw some delightful scenes of that country. One of particular interest was a picture of Mrs. Berrie having tea with Mrs. Lawr. Mrs. Berrie, who is Mrs. Leo Jamieson's mother, is well known to the ladies as she spent a summer holiday with the Jamiesons in Ballinafad a year or so ago. Another slide which brought back memories to many was a picture of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Newton and family who were former residents of the village.

Mr. Norton had an impromptu business here and their home was across from the church. They have lived in Scotland for a number of years. Mrs. Leo Jamieson and Mrs. Grace McEnery assisted the hostess in serving lunch.

Officers for 1973 are:
 Past president—Mrs. R. Sales; president—Mrs. Norman Sinclair; 1st vice—Mrs. E. McEnery; secretary—Mrs. Bud Snow; treasurer—Mrs. Emmerson Clarke; Stewardship—Mrs. Norman Johnson; citizenship—Mrs. Murray LaRose; friendship—Mrs. Richard Shortill (Jr.); literature—Mrs. Jesse McEnery; social—Mrs. A. Law; Mrs. F. J. Shortill; Christian education—Mrs. F. J. Shortill; programs—Mrs. Murray LaRose; Mrs. R. Pinkerton; Mrs. D. Kerr; supply—Mrs. Lloyd Marshall; Mrs. E. McEnery; press—Mrs. Norman Sinclair; flowers—Mrs. Leo Jamieson; nominating comm.—Mrs. R. Sales; Mrs. Jesse McEnery; auditors—Mrs. M. LaRose; Mrs. Viola Shortill.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Volmar and sons, arrived home on Friday after spending a pleasant four weeks in Denmark. They visited with Carl's mother and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Connor attended the wedding at Alton on Saturday of his sister, Miss Nancy O'Connor, to Mr. Gary Ashbee. The couple will reside in Brampton.

There was an exceptionally good crowd at the dance in the community centre on Saturday night, Jan. 20. A most enjoyable time was had dancing to the music provided by Al Dermott's orchestra. He has promised to come back to delight the couples and play for the next dance around the middle of February.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall spent Sunday in Toronto visiting with the Millers.

The annual meeting of the Ballinafad United Church was held after the church service on Sunday afternoon. The congregation stayed for lunch and the meeting got under way shortly after. There were around 40 in attendance. All reports were given. Treasurer reported a fair balance. The U.C.W. reported a good year. It was stated that the Mission & Service Fund had been given a little over \$789.00 for the year which was a good contribution, considering the church membership.

The 4-H Home-Making girls

Demosthenes, the greatest orator of his time, had to overcome a stutter.

Two Georgetown Firefighters On Fire Prevention Bureau

Firefighter Jim Coulson of Milton Fire Department was elected chairman of Halton County Fire Prevention Bureau for 1973, at the group's annual meeting in Milton. Lloyd McIntyre, an Acton firefighter, was named vice-chairman.

Secretary is Doug Harley of Georgetown Fire Department, with another Georgetown firefighter Bill Barber as treasurer. The new officers were installed in office by Fire Chief J. Douglas Wilson of Oakville, Halton's Mutual Aid Coordinator.

Committee chairman for 1973 will be selected by the new chairman and announced at the group's February meeting. Coulson takes over the chairmanship from Lt. Glenn Stringer of Milton, 1972 chairman.

Prior to the election, the retiring chairman reviewed the Bureau's 1972 activities. The major programs were fire prevention week, Christmas fire safety, Halloween, spring clean-up, grass and bush fires,

hospital and industrial fire safety training, fireworks and youth programs.

LIMITED
 The fire prevention poster contest for Halton's grade five students was somewhat limited this year as the Halton County Board of Education refused to allow students to enter the contest through the schools. "The county-wide contest was maintained in the separate schools, however, and a number of public school students entered the contest through their local fire chiefs," he said.

During 1972 the Bureau purchased 48,000 new pieces of literature and member brigades in Halton distributed over 100,000 pieces of literature on fire safety to residents of the county. The retiring chairman noted one of the fire insurance companies donated 10,000 pieces of literature on home fire inspections. The Bureau held its annual Fire Prevention Week church parade in Acton in October.

DISCUSS HIGH-RISE
 Treasurer Doug Harley's report on 1972 finances showed the Bureau ended the year with a small deficit. Literature costs, which accounted for more than half the Bureau's \$1,500 annual budget, were cited as the major expense in 1972.

During the January meeting Bureau members heard a report on the NFPA fall conference at New Orleans, which new chairman Coulson had attended on behalf of his employer. A general discussion was held on high-rise fire safety.

SMILE
 Over the entrance to the tax office is a notice: "Watch Your Step". Over the exit is: "Watch Your Language".

One bird, perched on a telephone wire, to another: "Did you ever notice the way some people's voices make your feet feel funny?"

Hospital Births Down 33 from Previous Year

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Babies born at Georgetown Memorial Hospital in 1972 were 33 less, than the total born here the previous year. There were 356 births last year and 389 the year before. The death rate was up having 51 in 1971 and 68 last year.

There has been a greater use of the out-patient area and a quicker turnover of in-patients in 1972. This trend is in keeping with the views expressed over the past several months by the Honourable Richard Potter, Minister of Health.

Last year there were 10,761 out-patients and 8,761 the previous year.

The admissions tally is fairly constant, 2,589 in 1972 and 2,582 the year before. However, the daily average patient load has dropped from 55.5 to 54.0.

Two hundred and fifty-four major and 530 minor, and 206 car, nose and throat operations were performed last year. This was 55 less than total operations performed in 1971 which came to 1,044.

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