

## Hornby WI views new home

The Hornby Women's Institute meeting was held on Wednesday, February 11 at the home of Mrs. Clifford Wrigglesworth with 13 members present.

Prior to the meeting, the ladies were taken on a tour of the new home for mentally retarded adults in Hornby, by residence director Bob Bilodeau. Questions were asked and answered enlightening the many women present. Open house will not be held at the home until the landscaping is completed in the spring.

Mrs. Roy Wilson, president, opened the meeting with a poem, "Think Spring". The

minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. L. Simpson and the treasurer's report was also approved as read. Roll call - "What this community needs for its young people" was well answered with much discussion following.

Correspondence consisted of a thankyou letter from an ill member, a letter from a former member, a letter from our F.W.I.O. president, Mrs. Herb Maluske, telling of the Institute's convention at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, June 20 to 25. A food forum will be held, February 19 in the Presbyterian Church in Milton at 7:30 p.m.

It was decided not to send a

delegate to the University of Waterloo on May 4. Five dollars was voted to the North Halton Performing Arts Association. A cheque for \$100 will be sent to the North Halton Association for the Mentally Retarded.

Mrs. C. Wrigglesworth, public relations convenor, gave the motto - "A good deed is better than a stone." In other words, a monument which means something erected to perpetuate the memory of a person; a person who has achieved success and who has left the world better than he found it by giving the best he had.

Everyone is born with a

purpose. A real person is responsive to the needs of others. No one is useless in this world who lightens the burden of life from someone else. So let us seek to serve and give. While shines with us our earthly sun, Lest we look back with vain regret, Upon the good we might have done.

Two needlecraft "Creative Haudo" books were passed around for viewing as well as an organic gardening magazine.

Mrs. R. Wilson thanked the hostess and the lunch committee, Mrs. P.W. Merry and Mrs. R. MacPherson. The meeting was closed with the benediction and Grace.

## Ballinafad news

### Albert Smith 92 years young

by Winifred Smith,

Mrs. Ruth Skortill was hostess for the February meeting of the U.C.W. There was a large attendance. The devotion was given by Mrs. Helga Schwartz which was a reading on "Love". A "meet your neighbour" afternoon was planned for Saturday, March 12 in the afternoon between 2 and 4 o'clock at the church.

The rollcall as answered by a verse on love. Mrs. Gloria Johnson introduced the new study book. The activity was to bring your wedding picture. The meeting was closed with the benediction and a delicious lunch was served.

her sorrow. Congratulations to Marion Jamieson who received the Ontario Scholarship and was among those in grade 13 at Acton High School who achieved over 80 percent.

The Valentine Dance sponsored by the hall board on Saturday night was quite a success. There were a variety of prizes given out including prizes for a spoon race. The prizes given for the most authentic costumes for the '50's were won by Gwena Gregg and Billy Smith. The lucky draw was won by Paul Hamilton.

## Limehouse 'Happy Valentine's Day'

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holtman have been holidaying in Cuba.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Boss spent two weeks on the island of Aruba in the South Caribbean. The W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. A.W. Benton on Wednesday evening.

President, Mrs. Roughley read, "A commandment of human relations" in opening and was lead reader for the Glad Tidings program. Mrs. Benton read scripture and

Mrs. Patterson led in prayer. Text work, "yoke" and roll call were answered in verses of Scripture.

The secretary read an interesting letter from Miss Margaret Kennedy, a missionary in India. The treasurer read her 1975 report, showing 11 members and the allocation a little over-reached but raised by six percent for 1976. Each lady read a current event.

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Mrs. Vance Langerille of Oxford N.S. is visiting daughters Mrs. Michael Payne and Mrs. John Vilestra.

Little Alan Scott spent a few days in the hospital for treatment for a sudden and severe attack of croup. We are pleased that he is home again.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Archie McEnery and her family who recently suffered the loss of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nodwell. Mrs. McEnery attended the funeral last week.

The death occurred last week in Brampton of Mr. Wiggins. He was the husband of Ula Allen who lived for many years in Ballinafad. Her many friends and relatives from this community express sympathy to Mrs. Wiggins in



Basketball throw winners in the girls division were Nancy Wong, 11; Hermanna Viera, 12; and Carol Peacock, 13 the winners in the



Knights of Columbus, District 43 basketball throw held Saturday at Holy Cross School. Congratulations to Albert Smith who celebrated his 92nd birthday on Monday. There was a family gathering in his honor at his daughter's home in Milton on Sunday.

READY, AIM...Lining up to try their hand at basketball shooting are (from left to right) Eric Stone, District Deputy of the Knights of Columbus No. 43, Grand Knight Karl Klein of



Georgetown Corral No. 6026 and Grand Knight from Brampton Corral No. 4937, Willis Jarvis. Basketball throw winners, Holy Cross School on Feb. 14 was the scene of a basketball throw sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, District 43. Winners in the boys category were (from left to right) Peter Silva, 12; Chris Dender, 14; Vernon Coles, 11; and (kneeling) David Finley, 13.

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she noted that last weekend over 110 children jammed into the library to view a puppet show, which was well over the fire limits of the building.

Councillor Harry Levy told Mrs. Lister and other members of the board present for the council meeting that "council agrees we do need additional space for the library. But the big question is where?"

Councillor Pat McKenzie, who is a member of the library board, suggested that the council negotiate with Four Seasons-Sheraton Ltd. for land adjacent to the Georgetown

Market Plaza but to that suggestion Councillor Roy Booth countered by stating "It would be very nice but I just wonder what it would cost us."

An extension to the Gordon Alcott Memorial Arena was suggested by Councillor Ric Morrow but Mrs. Lister cautioned that the board would object if the new library was "just tacked on to the arena...if it was properly designed we would have no objections at all."

Council, at that point in the debate, began to debate which of three possible committees of council should investigate the location of the new library.

Because the library is a form of recreation and that, in turn, is the responsibility of the town's administration committee Councillor Joe Hurst suggested that it be handled there.

However Councillor Ric Morrow argued that the matter should be handled by the special three man building committee that is presently considering expansions to the Gordon Alcott recreational complex.

"They are already right in the thick of things getting a report to this council on further plans for the area by the end of this month. They would be the best ones to present plans."

"That is the area of town where we would like to see the branch opened," he commented.

Tying in the arena with the new library would result in reduction of capital costs for such things as parking facilities as well as lower annual operating costs, Councillor Morrow pointed out.

"I would hope that we will think of it as a much higher level of recreation than the banging of heads that goes on at the arena," said Councillor Ernie Sykes. "I would rather see it attached to schools than to a sports complex."

Councillor Booth eventually presented a motion that council narrowly accepted. In it he called for a special study of the library board's request by council's Committee for the Development of New Municipal Administration Property and Buildings. That committee has been overseeing the shifting of municipal services such as the fire department, ambulance service and works department between their respective buildings in order to amalgamate as many town services as possible into more convenient buildings.

"It's one of the few committees of this council that is getting something done...This committee produces..." The committee will consult with both the library board and representatives of the Georgetown Little Theatre in their examination of the needs for expanded facilities.

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