

Community

Fire hall visit for WI members

By WINIFRED SMITH
Herald correspondent

Mrs. Lloyd Marshall was hostess for the October meeting of the W.I. It was an afternoon meeting. Members met shortly after 1 p.m. It had been arranged by the Convener of Family Affairs & Safety, Mrs. Lillie Given that we visit the new Georgetown Fire Station.

About a dozen members boarded the Given's van and were met at the station by a young fireman. First we were escorted to the main auditorium and shown a film on what to do and what not to do in case of a fire. There were scenes

shown from an actual fire which took place in Toronto with disastrous results. There were many facts given which would no doubt result with the saving of many lives.

We were then shown that part of the building which houses the fire engines and trucks. The firemen told us all about them and answered several questions.

Mrs. Alma Sinclair as courtesy convener thanked him sincerely for his time and told him also, it had been a most informative visit.

Members met back at Lola Marshall's home at 3:00 p.m. On the absence of the president Mrs. Slessoritis the 2nd vice president, Mrs. Given called

the meeting to order. She opened with a short poem, then all sang the W.I. ode and repeated the Marty Stewart Collect.

The roll call was answered by each answering a quiz on safety in case of fire. After the reading of the minutes and a financial statement given the

correspondence was dealt with. Mrs. Leo Jamieson gave all the details of the District meeting she recently attended. The motto "What we make of our home is more important

than what our home is made of" was given by Alma Sinclair. Eleanor McLean was unable to attend the meeting so current events was given by Lola

Marshall. Before closing the meeting delegates were appointed to attend the area convention coming up later this fall.

Meeting closed with the singing of O Canada. Grace McEnery and Winnie Smith assisted the hostess with the serving of a cup of tea.

The church was beautifully decorated with the fruits of the Harvest for the thanksgiving service on Sunday. There were

quite a lot of people out to enjoy the sermon and take part in singing the familiar hymns of thanksgiving. Mrs. Eileen

McEnery accompanied the men's choir when they sang the beautiful anthem "The Longer I Serve Him". Mr.

Stiles had the attention of the children when he told them a story previous to their going

down to Sunday school classes. Communion Sunday will be observed this coming Sunday.

The Ballinacub pack has started up again and will be meeting at the community

centre on Monday evenings. Boys between the ages of 8-10 are invited to register. There is

some interest in starting a Scout troop and Beaver colony. Leader are needed.

On his return from a business trip in Miami Florida, Joe McClellan, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Had Snow spent the weekend with them before returning to his home in Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Given had a pleasant surprise last week when they got a phone call to say their friends were at the airport. Mr. Mel Addy, a

former resident of Ballinacub, now residing in Harrison, Hot Springs, British Columbia is spending a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Given and renewing

old acquaintances on the Sixth line and round about the neighborhood. On Sunday he accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McEnery to Tara where they visited with Beth and John Pearson and sons.

Residents of the Eight Line and vicinity were treated to a spectacular sight on Saturday when the Eglington and Caledon

Hunt Club started off on one of their annual hunts. They left from the residence of Mr. and

Mrs. Woods, 8th Line of Halton Hills, near the Ballinacub side road just before noon. The riders, dressed in their red

coats and other riding attire with the hounds running along side made a pretty picture.



50TH ANNIVERSARY

Charles and Grace Townsley celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a gathering in the Acton Legion Hall Sunday afternoon. The couple married October 5, 1923 in Newmarket and came to Acton in 1941. Mrs. Townsley retired from Beardmore in 1970 and her husband retired a year later. They have one son, Harold, who lives in Acton, also four grandchildren and three great grandchildren. The couple received plaques of recognition from the Provincial government and the town of Halton Hills.

(Herald photo)

Darts, bingo

Individual leagues in high gear

By ROMA TIMPSON

Well, how are all of you enjoying getting back into the routine again now that we have all the individual leagues well under way plus the ever popu-

lar Bingo on Wednesday evenings. You crib players, how are you making out on your team? Those high rolling bowlers, any terrific singles or triples to tell us about? And you darters, ladies, men's and mixed, get a high score you want us to know about? I haven't forgotten you shuffleboard players, how are you coming along after a few short weeks? Need any more players on your leagues, let me know please.

All good things must come to an end and the Thursday Nite Dart-Steak shoot has come to an end, at least on Thursday nights, reason being that not

enough people were interested in supporting this evening of fun. Too bad, as I thought it was a terrific way to socialize,

meet new people and have something to do. Whether you could do it well or not it was a fun night. Many people say "Oh, I don't know how to play darts". That was the nice part about it. You weren't up against sharp shooters as it

Winners of last week's dart shoot were Doug Logan, Jim Lowrie, Keith Tost (2), Gord Harley and Buster Hale. Nice going folks.

MUCH BETTER
I have just been talking to Hilda Braund and she is feeling much better now after the accident she and Tom were involved in last Saturday af-



Legion Lines

By Roma Timpson

There is a hidden score and as long as you kept 3 darts on the board and had a score of over 15 and under 60, you had as good a chance as the next shooter. Well, Gib is going to run them on a once monthly basis and on a Saturday afternoon around 3, so if you have nothing to do on Saturday the 27th of October, then come on down and give it a whirl.

Remembrance Dinner tickets now on sale - \$7.00 dinner, guest speaker and dance.

Friday is Millionaire's Night, don't forget. Do you have your ticket? It could be a lucky one as there are prizes given out, a buffet and games and all for \$2.00 each.

Saturday is Dart Fun Day and you know what a good time you are going to have at that. \$1.00 each on a four person team and a good afternoon of fun, laughs and darts. What

more could you ask? The dance begins at 9 p.m. Enjoy, enjoy.

I am so sorry to have to tell you that Maude Shepherd has passed away. This happened out west while visiting with daughter Doris. Apparently Maude had a stroke but was feeling much better and was to return home when feeling stronger. Maude was one of our charter members of the Auxiliary and such a dear, dear lady and was loved by so many people. I'm sorry I have no further details at this time. To Helen, Lillian, Vi, Doris and all her family we extend our most sincere sympathies. The Auxiliary will hold a service tonight (Wednesday) at 9 p.m. for Maude.

Sunday, October 14 at 2 p.m. there will be an Initiation Team practice. This is a must for team members so we can keep our initiation team precise, accurate and sharp as we have become accustomed to seeing. You will be practising upstairs.

Imperial member Ramsay Hamilton tells me of a Social evening the Imperials are holding on Saturday, October 20. \$6.00 a couple and if you and your party are upstairs about 8:30 or so you will be in on the beginning of a super evening. Imperial parties are always such fun you won't want to miss this one.

Winery Tour
There is a winery tour to Brights on Saturday, October 27. Leave the branch at 10 a.m. (no later) as the tour is booked for 12 noon. The bus will hold 44 passengers and I would like to see all seats filled. Branch and Auxiliary members will be asked to go first and if there are seats available then your friends are most welcome. Depending on how far we go and how long we are away, plus how many make the trip will determine the cost. As it stands now, it will cost \$5.00 each. I am making arrangements at this time to go to another Legion for a visit. Am hoping to be home by 8 p.m. A trip to McGuinness Distillery is planned for January and March 8th is another Andrew Wines tour.

P.S. Just found out that Waterdown Legion do not serve meals, as they did, so we will go to Branch 24 and they serve steaks and hamburgers as ordered. Look out St. Catharines, here we come.

Before you put those chairs and chaise lounges away for the winter, take a look and see if they need repairs. The ARC in Hornby do a terrific job and they will give you a wide choice of colours. Please make them plainly with name address, phone no. and colour and take them to our branch and Frank King will see they get to Hornby and return them when finished and you can pick them up at the branch. \$3.50 and \$5.50 is all it will cost.

There are still seats available for you Bingo players on Wednesday evenings. Bring a friend and come on down to where the action is and may be you will be a lucky player.

The Group Committee is again picking up newspapers to help finance the sections if needed and to pay for the upkeep on the Scout Hut.

Hul and enjoyed a picnic lunch in the ideal weather. They now have 26 Beavers and all but 4 went on the hike along with 3 leaders and 5 fathers. Thirteen Beavers were invested during one of their meetings.

The Cubs now have 18 boys. Their first outing was a hike from the Scout Hut along the Bruce Trail as far as the 7th Line and back with an hour to stop for lunch. Three of the leaders plus one mother went with the boys. A District Six and Second Training Day was

held at Holy Cross School. Eight boys attended from Limehouse and three of the leaders. All the boys are now involved with selling Scout calendars again to help finance their outings.

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Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb had their two daughters home

ON THE HOMEFRONT

Joint ownership works well

By SUSAN DE FACENDIS
Herald columnist

The venture into car ownership between my son and I has been working quite smoothly.

I drive it to work during the daytime and he propels it in the evening on his scheduled work nights. For the balance it is simply a question of who gets to it first, and Richard has learned not to run too fast, too frequently, if he wishes to continue receiving the more pleasant perks of home life, such as food and clean shirts.

The partnership has even led to massive doses of communication.

"Mom, it's your turn to fill up the beast."

"Yeah! But your turn to check the oil. When are you going to wash her down?"

"I dunno. When are you going to vacuum her?"

"Hey Richard! What does it mean when smoke is pouring out from under the dashboard?"

More attention

However, despite the ease of joint ownership, there was a rather strange phenomenon occurring that had me considerably puzzled for a while. I noticed that, while driving the Beast, I was receiving more attention than the car warranted from passing pedestrians.

Now admittedly, the car is not the most beautiful on the road: not something guaranteed to collect admiring crowds when one is parked at the local plaza, nor likely to be featured in any edition of Who's Who in the automotive world.

Pale silver in colour, the red blotches of body filler so painstakingly applied by my husband give her, in fact, a rather scabrous appearance. I have noticed, for instance, that no sleek, shiny Corvette or Thunderbird is ever parked next to her - as though their owners are afraid my little vehicle may be suffering from something contagious.

Female admiration

I soon deduced however, that all this mysterious attention was centred within a three-mile radius of home and that the car's rather colourful identity was definitely attracting female admiration of the 16 to 18 year old variety.

The light dawned upon my blindingly. The girls were expecting to see Richard behind the wheel.

Well, what was I to do? The next time pretty, young heads turned, I pushed my sunglasses firmly into place, slouched down in my bucket seat and burned a little rubber taking the next corner.

After all, a mother does have some obligation to preserve her partner's image.

IODE meets in Brampton

The October meeting of the Countess of Strathmore Chapter IODE was held at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Wingrove, in Brampton.

The Regent, Mrs. Joan Meers was in the chair. The roll call was taken and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Jean McKenzie in the absence of the secretary Helen McDonald gave the treasurer's report. Discussion followed on our financial budget and the spacing out of our donations over the year. A letter was read from the blood donors group of the Red Cross, re: their financial needs. It was decided to donate \$50.00 in 1979 and \$50.00 in 1980 to this group for their community work.

The Educational Secretary, Ruth Evans, reported that the winner of the IODE scholarship at the high school was Miss Beverley Vickery and this would be presented at the Commencement exercises later in the month. Doris Barber as bridge convener reported on the beginning of the bridge round robin.

Mrs. Hazel McMillan invited us to her home for the November meeting at which we will have our annual auction sale.

The meeting closed with a happy social hour, and a delightful lunch was served by the hostesses, Evelyn Wingrove, Evelyn Charles and June Ross.



Birgit Link and Steven Hulme were wed September 1 at Holy Cross Church.

Link and Hulme are wed Sept. 1

The beautiful sunshine made Sept. 1 a perfect day for the exchanging of marriage vows between Birgit Erika Link, daughter of Helmut and Helga Link of Erin, and Steven Albert Hulme, son of Kenneth and Margaret Hulme of Georgetown.

Father Pierre Wood officiated the double-ring ceremony at Holy Cross Church and Ray Norris played the organ. Miss Debbie Eyre, a friend of the bride, added a special touch with her song "There Is Love".

The bride was escorted down the aisle and given away by her father. She wore a full length, white lace gown with layered skirt and train and a 3-tiered veil with a lace headpiece. The bride carried a cascading bouquet of red roses and pink carnations, accented by baby's breath. The maid of honour was the bride's best friend, Sandra Petyovsky. She wore a peach dress with white lace ruffle sewn by the bride, and carried a cascade of white carnations and red roses.

The bridesmaids were Brenda Hulme, sister of the groom, and Heike Link, sister of the

MEET THE PRESIDENT



Acton Figure Skating Club president Sheila Wilson has been with the club for four years. She has served as a club director and this is her first term as president.

The club aims at teaching youngsters how to skate and children three and over may enroll in it. Registration fees range from \$35 for preschoolers to \$45 for seniors. This includes weekly lessons with the club professional for each level except seniors. Seniors must purchase their own private lessons. Youngsters may work on badge level, test level or go into competitive skating depending on their skill and inclinations. The club professionals are Colleen DeBryun and Pat teBoekhorst while Sally Leatherland is working with club members as a freelance professional. Registration nights were held Sept. 8 and 22 but only about 120 members signed up. Since the club usually handles 200 members there is still plenty of room for more youngsters to join and Mrs. Wilson says registration can be arranged easily. She cautions however, that parents must register their children a few days in advance of the day they actually begin skating so that the paper work can be sorted out and the child placed in the proper group as easily as possible. The confusion resulting in past years from parents registering their children the night they began skating has resulted in the club laying down this rule, she says. The season will begin October 15 and will end with a carnival or a pop concert in late March. Which type of show they hold will depend on the number of skaters who register.

Mrs. Wilson and her family arrived in Acton in 1974 from Toronto. She, her husband David and two teenage children live on Storey Drive.

Mrs. Wilson became the business manager at Milton High School this week. She enjoys music and dancing and is a skater herself.

Local man visits Rome, Beavers go on a trip

By MRS. A.W. BENTON
Herald correspondent

Mr. Roger Beck spent a week in Rome recently in the interest of education.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lane of Three Rivers, Alberta visited cousins Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Norton last week.

Communion services will be held at Limehouse Presbyterian Church at 9:30 a.m. on October 14.

Trick or treat approaches

By MRS. JOHN BELLBODDY
Herald correspondent

It's the month of October and Thanksgiving time again, the twilight of the year, as the earth goes out of production those who till the soil lay down the tools of their trade and we can be thankful for the harvest they have garnered, we can remember in the morning that another day has come, the night and its rest, the tomorrow with its hopes. God has been good to us and we can say Thanks. Not just the one day, but everyday of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. John McNabb had their two daughters home

for Thanksgiving Lois from Ottawa and Marilyn from college at Guelph. The whole family motored to Embro on Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Fraser McNabb and family.

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