

# the HERALD Community



## SLIPPERY TECHNIQUE

With the plentiful and crisp snowfall we've had this winter, no doubt residents are anxious to try cross-country skiing as a way to beat the cold weather blizzards. Instructors (left to right) Luke Nebel and Rob Taylor were hosting a special Recreation Department skills workshop for enthusiasts Sunday afternoon at the Jack Smythe Field Centre in Terra Cotta. Two four-hour sessions taught beginners about waxing, theory of movement and some hoking to demonstrate what they had learned in the classroom.

(Herald photo)

## Ballinafad Community Hall

# Hank Burnett new chairman

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The service of Worship was well attended on Sunday. Willa and Fred Shortill, Pat Kerr and Emmerson Clarke delighted all. They sang a beautiful hymn together. Eileen McEnery played the organ for the quartet.

It was announced that there would be a special meeting at the church Jan. 29 at 7:30. The purpose is to discuss the proposal for an "Upper Room" addition to the church. At the meeting, church members will be voting on this issue.

The Ballinafad Church extends an invitation to a "coffee break" at 11 a.m. next Sunday to give everyone, members and newcomers alike, a chance to visit before the 11:45 service.

A week from next Sunday, Feb. 5, there will be a meeting on

"Ten Days for World Development", all denominations are affiliated with this organization. It will be held in St. George's Anglican Church in Georgetown. There is to be a Pot Luck supper. The speaker will be Father Robert Stark.

The Ballinafad Community Hall board elections were held at the annual general meeting Sunday afternoon, Jan. 22 at the hall. Following a lunch and a positive discussion about plans for 1964, the following board members were chosen:

Chairman - Hank Burnett; Secretary - Betty Andrew; Treasurer - Helen Lakusta; Maintenance - Jim Bailey; Entertainment - Gerry Burgan; Members at large - Andrew Dimonte, Elizabeth Dunn, Reg. French, Martha Lewis, Paul Schwarz, Carl Volmar. Newsletter - Bonnie

Walker and committee. A wedding took place at the church Jan. 21, when Penny Shortill, daughter of Viola Shortill and the late Harry Shortill exchanged Vows with John Douglas Reid, son of Wayne and Lenora Reid, from the Orangville District.

Rev. Dr. T.G. Bandy officiated for the ceremony. Paul Schwarz sang a beautiful solo. Later the wedding party went to the community centre for the reception.

The wedding supper served in the centre was catered to by the U.C.W. A dance followed and later in the evening refreshments were served to the guests.

Congratulations to Grant and Laura Wright who became Grandparents. On Sunday morning, Jan. 22, their daughter Joan and son-in-law Lindsay became the proud parents of a

nine lbs. son. He was born in the Simcoe General Hospital. He will be christened "Joshua Lindsay" Gatto.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Bird and family. Mrs. Bird's father passed away in Nottingham, England, last week. She returned home on Monday after attending the funeral.

Sorry to hear Lola Marshall had to return to hospital early last week for further tests. Her many friends sincerely hope she may be able to return home shortly with much improved health.

The W.I. sponsored meeting at the community centre last Wednesday evening on "Money Matters" was well attended and proved to be helpful for those seeking help or advice when making out their income tax.

## Stewarttown News

# Guild meeting selects officers

By J. ROSS and P. STEWART  
Herald Correspondents

St. John's Guild annual meeting was held Jan. 11. The following members hold office:

President - Marie Murray; Vice President - Phyllis Stewart; Secretary - J. Hayes; Treasurer - E. Deforest; Buyers - Mrs. Smith and E. Deforest; Phoning Committee - L. Gillet and W. Rodgers; Cards - P. Emslie and W. Rodgers; Publicity - F. Stevens; Custodian of the linen - J. Ross; Auditors - P. Emslie and M. Clapham.

It was moved and seconded that the annual fee be \$1 each year.

A spaghetti dinner was discussed to be held Feb. 14, and a pancake supper, Mar. 6. Details of these dinners will be in the coming events column nearer to the date.

We are still saving the Canada Packers labels. Next Guild meeting will be Feb. 8.

The community was saddened to hear of the passing of Tom Warnes. Before moving to England a few years ago he was a member of St. John's.

The Annual Vestry meeting will be Sun. Jan. 29 after the church service.

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## Sgt. Gall new PR man

Halton regional police sergeant Bill Gall is starting the new year as the force's spokesman. Just before Christmas, Dec. 15, 1963, he was promoted to Sergeant, and since Jan. 2 he's been the new man behind the public relations desk of the force. Sgt. Gall began his police career with the

force in 1975, working in Milton as a uniformed officer on patrol. In 1979 he was transferred to the Identification Bureau at the Oakville headquarters where he worked on investigations ranging from property theft to homicide. A lifelong resident of Halton, he resides in



SGT. W. GALL

Burlington with his wife and daughter. Sgt. Gall holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in History from York University and has successfully completed numerous courses at the Ontario Police College. Sgt. Gall takes over the public relations bureau from Sgt. Al McQueen who is back on patrol duty in Halton

**OUTDOOR SKATING RINKS**  
The public works department prepared 6 rinks in Georgetown and Acton. For info on locations call the Rec. Dept. One rink at the Georgetown Fairgrounds is available if your group would like exclusive use. Lights are also available.

**LEADERSHIP TRAINING**  
Youth between the age of 13 and 17 are urged to register NOW for the Leadership Development Program offered by the Recreation and Parks Department. Upon completion of the program, you will receive a certificate.

Leadership Development starts Feb. 2 at Cedarvale Community Centre - \$25.

**DAY TIME SWIMMING**  
Day time swims at the Georgetown Pool from 11:30 - 12:30 on most Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays until mid February. For a schedule of these swims, call the pool after 5 p.m. (877-7721).

**SUMMER SPORTS**  
The deadline for making requests for use of sports fields is fast approaching. The contact period for each league should drop into the Recreation office to pick up an information package as soon as possible.

**DEADLINE: Monday, Feb. 13.**

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**LEGION LINES**

By LLOYD HOUNSELL  
Herald Special

The January issue of the "Summit" has been available now for the last week at the Branch and we have had nothing but compliments on its new cover, format and layout, so be sure to pick up your copy before they run out. Any suggestion for further improvement will be welcomed.

The Club Room has now been finished and it is certainly a much brighter looking decor than the old drab look which it had before.

**PLYMOUTH TRIP:** All those interested in the trip to Plymouth for the Memorial Day Parade please attend a meeting in the Branch on Jan. 29 at 3 p.m.

**GENERAL MEETING:** First General Meeting of the year Jan. 26 at 8 p.m. Let's start off the year by getting involved in the happening of the Branch for I can foresee a lot of important decisions being made during the course of this year.

**CAR CLUB DRAW:** Winners of Jan. 19 draw: 72 Shirley Coughlan, 263 Marion Roberts, 537 A. Tennant, 471 Bill Stone, 217 Jean Davis, 61 Bill Norton.

**EUCHRE:** Winters Jan. 13: 1st Art Cousens and Dave Caldwell, 2nd Bert Porter and Don Rayner, Booby Mike Lahey and Jerome Lahey.

**ENTERTAINMENT:** Sat. Jan. 28 will be provided by Erin Country.

**SICK LIST:** I understand that Sam Glasby is being transferred back to Sunnybrook Jan. 25 for an operation on his other leg. Georgetown Hospital - H. Allen Sr. and Fred Weaver, Toronto General - Ed Shortill, Brampton Hospital - Lorne Croase.

**FROM LADIES AUXILIARY:** (Liz McNeilly). Our out at the last meeting was good, but still could be better, please make the effort Comrades. It is only once a month. A very successful day of Darts was held Sat. Jan. 14 at Georgetown, Brampton winning 1st, Georgetown H 2nd, Team E. 3rd, and Team I 4th place, congratulation to all. Connie Darling and Rose Green were draw winners.

The next big sports event is Jan. 28 at Cooksville for District Darts, if you need any information please call Leona Postlethwaite at 877-9475.

Here are some upcoming dates, Feb. 25 Zone Crib in Georgetown; March 31, Rummage Sale in Georgetown (start your spring cleaning early and donate to our sale). At our last meeting we presented Helen Wright with her 2nd Vice Presidents pin, congratulations Helen. We also draped the colours for Comrade Elsie Golds who passed away.

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