

Visits homeland of Crocodile Dundee

By MARION HUNTER
Herald Special

It was a summertime meeting for a wintery Jan. 20 afternoon of the Ashgrove Women's Institute at the home of Mrs. Betty Brownridge. All this came about when the members went 'Down Under'. They started off by answering the roll call "Name something unique about a country 'Down Under'," and the answers ran from koalas (not bears) to fine opals and kiwis. A well prepared motto "Memories are treasures of places we have been" was presented by Mrs. Waverly Haist.

Waverly Haist and Mrs. Doris McNabb took the members to visit Australia and New Zealand. There were travelogues, slides, pictures and souvenirs brought and shared by five recent travellers: Mrs. Irene Hunter, Mrs. Isabel Carme, Mrs. Muriel McClure, Doris McNabb and Mrs. Zeta Nurse. Those members

who haven't been so lucky are even more interested in going to visit and the others relived happy memories and are ready to return for another visit with the 'Down Under' people. The program concluded with a 'Down Under' crossword puzzle cleverly prepared by Doris McNabb. Some items of business came out of the meeting chaired by the president Mrs. Doreen Wickson and secretary-treasurer Mrs. Verna Bird. Family Night has been postponed to Jan. 30. The 60th Anniversary Fashion Show is to be presented at the Bennett Centre March 5. Six ladies expressed interest in attending the proposed smoking course March 3, 10 and 24. The meeting closed with a typical 'Down Under' lunch - baking powder biscuits with jam and whipped cream. Next meeting Feb. 17, 61st birthday, at 1:30 p.m., Hillcrest Church.

Shipp-shape lady for 101st birthday

By KAY WILSON
Herald Special

NORVAL-Norval oldtimers will remember Mrs. F.C. (Ellen) Shipp of Essex, Ont., formerly of the Hornby area, who will be celebrating her 101st birthday Feb. 1.

Mrs. Shipp, along with the late L.M. Montgomery coached the Old

Time Concerts held in the parish hall in the 1930s.

Mrs. Shipp also directed pageants of 75 local people, depicting Canada from Indian days to pioneer times. The Indian Love Song and Wagon Wheels were just a couple of the many songs, along with beautiful minut dances, that will always be remembered. The pageants were staged on the Shipp's spacious front lawn of their farm at RR1 Hornby.

Many old members of the Norval Junior Farmers remember her also for the plays she directed. Mrs. Shipp lives alone and maintains her own home, but has many good friends and neighbors dropping in daily. She would be pleased to hear from any who would care to drop a line to her at 61 Irwin Crescent, Essex, Ont., N8M 2S7.

Former top citizen dies

NORVAL-Many Georgetown and Milton people will be saddened to learn of the death of George Swan of Milton, who passed away at the Milton hospital Jan. 21 following a lengthy illness.

George and his wife Blanche have lived in Milton for most of their lives and had been married for over 51 years. George was known as the sign painter for the International Plowing Match for 34 years as well as painting signs for many other organizations and local people.

He had worked for Milton Milling and later Super Sweet Feeds since 1937 and had been a leader of the Milton 4-H Club. He helped out at many local fall fairs and county plowing matches with his P.A. systems as well as many parades for service clubs.

He was nominated Milton's citizen of the year in 1979 as well as being Mayor of Milton Market and a member of the Steam and Antique Preservers Association.

Besides his wife Blanche, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Joe (Rosemary) Ryan, of Burlington, Helen of Oakville and five grandchildren. One son Alan predeceased him in 1958. Funeral service was from Grace Anglican Church in Milton Jan. 24 at 11 a.m. Rev. Robert Lennox conducted the service. Interment was in the Evergreen Cemetery in Milton.

In the hills

5 euchre tables

NORVAL-Norval Community euchre had five tables active Thursday. Winners were Vivian Shaw, Lillian Shappely, Garfield McGilvray, Marie Murray, Isabel Landry won lone hands while the lucky draw went to Del Wallace. The convengers are John Hunter and Isabel Landry.

Lead yum, yum

NORVAL-Norval Women's Institute and friends enjoyed the musical Mikado which they attended Sunday afternoon at the Lester B. Pearson Theatre in Brampton.

Stacy Hutton, granddaughter of Dorothy McLean was one of the three little maids. Jane (Feri) Petrowsky, daughter of Quint and Allie Ferri, Norval RR2, took the lead role of Yum, Yum. Everyone played their parts well and the costumes were beautiful.

Mexico escape

NORVAL-Bill and Rita Deenik have returned from a week's vacation to Mexico and Paul and Betty Johnson have just returned from Mexico too. Both couples are from RR2, Norval.

Creek home

An Erin man has permission to build a two-storey home in the side of a slope in a regulated area of Black Creek on Part Lot 28 Con. 2, Halton Hills.

Mr. C. Chambers won approval last week from the Credit Valley Conservation Authority. He plans to also build a retaining wall and place fill for a septic system. The retaining wall is intended to prevent slope instability.

The Authority gave approval subject to the submission of detailed house construction drawings.

Scout parade

The town has no objections to a church parade by the Acton District Scout and Guide Association Feb. 22 in Co. Town Acton.

The Association made the request last week for the afternoon parade. It's to begin at School Lane, go south on Main Street then east on Mill Street to Trinity United Church.

About 70 children and adult leaders are anticipated to take part. For the scouting and guiding movement, Feb. 22 is "thinking day".

Bridge

Duplicate bridge is offered, for those interested, at the Georgetown Legion (upstairs) every Monday afternoon at 1 p.m. except when a holiday falls on a Monday.

There are free refreshments and partners if needed. Free play will be given for winners in first place.

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1st Hornby Pack held its Kub Kar run-off last Thursday during their regular Cub meeting. Parents attended to support their boys. For some it was their first time at competition and the excitement was really high. Leaders in charge were Cubmaster Roy Frost and his



Cubs from the 4th Georgetown A Pack had a great time making their Kub Kars Jan. 28. Leaders and parents were present to assist the boys out on the design. The annual North Halton District Kub Kar Rally will be Feb. 21 in the Knox



Legion Lines

By JIM HAYES

SPORTS: Zone B.7 Darts will be held at Branch 15 in Brampton, Feb. 7 Singles and Doubles, Feb. 14 Teams. Register on Sports notice board in the branch. Deadline Feb. 5.

On Saturday the 24th, a Dart shoot for steaks produced the following lucky winners: Greg Ball, Debbie Smith, Eileen Greary, Errol Stapleton and Harry Brown. There will be a "Chill Dance" in

assistants Sandy Caves, Hans Trevisanos and Christopher Sharpe. Shown from left to right are race winners: First place Paul Dale, second Michael Thibideau, third Bradley MacDonald and Cubmaster Roy Frost. (Photo by Jean Layman)

Presbyterian Church hall. Shown here left to right are Richard Luff, Bryon Luff, Steven Clark with assistant cub master Ken Watson in the background looking on. (Photo by Jean Layman)

the Branch Auditorium Feb. 21 from 8:30 until midnight, tickets at the bar. Tickets \$3 each. Door prizes. Live entertainment by Richard Duquette. First time in Branch 129, come out and have a listen and dance to his music.

CAR CLUB DRAW: Jan. 22 winners: 23 Gord Harley, 79 George Sargent, 211 Bill Stone, 280 Betty Caldwell, 306 Gord Lane, 346 Jack McFarlane.

ENTERTAINMENT: Jan. 31 Daniel Bruce, Feb. 7 Boots, Feb. 14 Ken and Hazel.

Some lucky winners in the Membership Early Bird Draw still haven't picked up their rewards at the bar.

Cold Will Kill warns Cub movie

By JEAN LAYMAN
Herald Special

Jan. 21 North Halton District Scouters held their regular monthly meeting at the Optimist Hall. Terry Colter, Scouters Club Coordinator welcomed 40 Scouters following roll call.

The meeting opened with a short talk from Gary Elliott, President of North Halton. Mr. Elliott spoke on Harvesting The Grass Roots.

A film Cold Will Kill, was shown, giving all Scouters taking their boys on winter camping guidelines for preventing hypothermia.

Mrs. Colter introduced guest speaker John Ollivier, Assistant Provincial Commissioner of Halton Region. Mr. Ollivier spoke on his role. His duties began in July 1986, which includes Burlington, Oakville, Milton and Halton Hills.

The various groups broke into their sections for all planning. The Beavers will be having a Chompere April 25. Cubs are having a Resource Workshop Jan. 31. The District Kub Kar Rally Feb. 21 at Knox. Scouts are having a winter camp in February.



WARM WELCOME-Terry Colter greets guest speaker John Ollivier. (Photos submitted)

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Legion hosts a chili dance

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is a report from the Ladies Auxiliary, Royal Canadian Legion Branch 120 Georgetown.

By MID BRUNSKI
Herald Special

It was determined at the Plymouth meeting that a "Chill Dance" will be held Feb. 21 with live entertainment featuring Richard Buquette from 8:30 - 12 p.m. The tickets are \$3 each and are on sale now. Purchase them from Mary Russell, Mary Franks or behind the bar.

The monies earned from this dance will be used to entertain our comrades from Post 40, Plymouth Mass. Everyone is of course welcome and as this is a branch money raiser we hope to see a great

number of members out. Mary Franks, our entertainment chairperson has the annual St. Patrick's dinner and dance under way. This will be held March 14.

There was no participation in sports this past Saturday but Jan. 31 will see our bowlers off to Oakville. Mae Lawr, our sick committee chairperson tells me that Thelma Green and Aleda McCartney, both at Bennett Centre are doing quite nicely. Mae also tells me that Pam Frass is in Georgetown Hospital. Last week I found out too late to place in this column that our friend and comrade Mary Harley is in hospital. We certainly hope that Mary will be well and soon home again.

I have been told that Lily Maybanks is strutting her stuff

around son Arthur's home and without a walker or cane, don't be surprised if you look out your window one of these nice warm days and see Lily back to her old tricks walking up a storm.

Myrt Zillio is still in hospital and does enjoy visitors so if you can, please drop in when visiting Georgetown hospital.

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