

Norval

London trip

NORVAL-Paul and Jean Laidlaw of RR2 Norval travelled to London, England and spent three days touring London. Then, renting a car, they travelled north to Inverness, Scotland. There, they visited a Junior Farmer who had stayed at Jean's while on an exchange visit to Halton County. He is in partnership with his dad, specializing in beef cattle and sheep.

The weather was a warm 65 degrees Fahrenheit, spring seeding finished in England but not in Scotland. Paul arrived home this past Sunday after spending ten days with Jean, sightseeing. Jean is staying on for a business trip.

Happy 93rd

NORVAL-Congratulations and best wishes to Guy Wilson, RR1 Norval, who celebrated his 93rd birthday at his home on April 24. A few family members and close neighbors called on Sunday with birthday wishes.

Guy's wife Eunice, daughter-in-law Anne Wilson and daughter Ruth and her husband Harry Moore of Orton welcomed guests. Grandchildren helped to serve birthday cake and ice-cream. Lisa Alexander delighted everyone with her violin selections.

Sympathy extended

NORVAL-Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Clarence Lyons, RR1 Cheltenham, who passed away in Peel Memorial Hospital on April 18 in his 92nd year.

Beloved husband of Muriel Haines and the late Aileen McQuarrie, and loving father of John and his wife Jewel.

Devoted grandfather of Shelly Craig of Beeton, Alan of Mansfield, Paul, David and Donald, all of RR1 Cheltenham and Robert of Burlington.

Also nine great grandchildren. Predeceased by brother Harold Lyons and sister Edith Kelly.

Funeral services was from the J.S. Jones and Son Funeral Home on April 21.

Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery, Georgetown.

Action taken on requests

NORVAL-The Resolutions Committee of Ashgrove Women's Institute made a suggestion to the Georgetown hospital, by each member writing a letter, that two washrooms on the first floor be made accessible to wheelchair guests, and letters were promptly answered and the situation rectified.

The second resolution acted upon by Ashgrove W.I. was to request the poor visibility of motorists proceeding east on Regional Road 9 (Sideroad 5) and the junction of the Ninth Line be corrected by the Region. Members received prompt replies that action would be taken as soon as possible. Now the brush has been cleared away on both corners and four way stop is planned, pending further study. The members of Ashgrove W.I. were more than pleased with the response.

Former resident passes away

NORVAL-Friends of Mrs. Phyllis Ricci, formerly of RR1 Norval but for the last four and a half years a resident of Pescara, Italy, will be saddened to learn of her death on March 4 after a lengthy illness.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family.

Back from the sunny south

NORVAL-Sid and Hille Feikema, RR1 Norval, have returned from a ten day motor trip to Florida as far south as the Everglades.

Birthday bash

Congratulations to Edna Kerr, former RR2 Norval resident of Winston Churchill Boulevard, who celebrated her 80th birthday at her home, 1 Maple Ave., Brampton.

Assisting with the birthday celebrations were her niece Donna Lewis, of Toronto and her three daughters, Sarah, Shannon and Bethany. Mrs. Vera Cramp of Stouffville convened the party for more than 50 guests.

Her brother, Aubrey Kerr of Bolton, and sister Mary Turner of Brampton attended, as well as nephews Randy and Darryl Kerr.

Edna's parents moved to their Norval farm in 1914 and the Kerr family attended Norval and Pinegrove Public schools.

Thirty years ago, Edna purchased 25 acres on Winston Churchill, just south of Steeles Avenue, before retiring to Brampton.

Among the many well-wishers were her old neighbor, Marie McCallum of Cameron.



A helping hand

Teen volunteer Christa Fuller serves Ida Carney her dinner meal. Last week was volunteer week and people, who donated their time to help others, were recognized for their service. Thirty teens, ranging in age from 13 to 18, spend at least two shifts a week helping nurses, handing out trays, filling water jugs and doing whatever else needs being done. (Herald photo)

Ashgrove WI holds meeting

ASHGROVE-On Tuesday, April 19, the Ashgrove Women's Institute brought to a close their 62nd year, with their annual meeting. Out of a membership of 36, there was an average attendance of 21 with three members having perfect attendance.

The meeting, held in the home of Mrs. Muriel McClure, began with a dessert luncheon. Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, assistant secretary-treasurer, called the roll, "What I hope to learn from my Institute in the coming year".

During the business conducted by the president, Mrs. Doreen Wickson, delegates were chosen to go to the District Annual on May 26. The fashion show will be put on again at Aberfoyle United Church on May 19 and at the Halton Agriculture Museum on July 17 for the OMAF Family Farm Festival. Orientation day for those members assisting at the WI Hall this season at the Ontario Agriculture Museum will be May 20, in the Pualinch Hall.

Attention was drawn to two WI scholarships available. The Dr. Ethel Chapman Scholarship of \$300 for a girl graduating from Grade 13 this year or last, must have completed six or more 4H non-agriculture units or a past member completing 12 life-style units, resident in Halton and furthering their

education this year. The Halton WI Bursary of \$100 for girls or boys graduating Grade 13 this year or last, with an average of 60 per cent to qualify, have completed six 4H club units, and be resident in Halton or 4H club member in Halton or mother must be an active WI member of Halton.

During the break between the regular meeting and the annual meeting, a video was shown, taken when the English guests were entertained in the Gambrel Barn at the Ontario Agricultural Museum. This also included the fashion show put on by the Ashgrove members.

Elizabeth Treviranus, president of Halton District WI conducted the election of the new slate of officers for the year 1983-84. The new executive are: Past President - Mrs. (F) Doreen Wickson; President - Pat Stark; 1st Vice - Marion McPhail; 2nd Vice - Mary Jane Wingfield; Secretary-treasurer - Verna Bird; Assistant Secretary-treasurer - Elizabeth Wilson; District Director - Doreen Wickson; Assistant District Director - Doreen Wicks; Branch Directors - Zeta Nurse, Elizabeth Treviranus, Irene Hunter; P.R.O. - Doris McNabb; Assistant P.R.O. - Muriel Nurse; Program Co-ordinator - Mildred Blackett; Assistant - Thelma Wilkin-son.

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