

Norval News

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Baby boy

Congratulations to Rev. Stephen and Ann Bemrose-Fetter of Norval, on the birth of their baby boy, Elijah John Lawrence on Sept. 28, 1989 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Hamilton, a little brother for Rebecca.

Bride elect

Bride elect Carol Anne Laidlaw was honoured by Norval United Church ladies, friends and neighbours on Sept. 26 at the church. Helen McCormack, president of the Friendship Unit, chaired the evening. Carol Anne has attended Norval United all her life, as a Sunday School member, choirs and church.

Carol Anne will marry Glenn Roberts from Don Mills in November. Glenn is a graphic artist, and is employed for the company of Cooper and Beatty in downtown Toronto.

Carol Anne is a sales representative for Green Cross, a division of Ciba Geigie. They will be making their home in Georgetown. Following a contest the bride was assisted in opening her gifts by her sister Beth and sister-in-law Jean. Following a sincere thanks from Carol Anne, lunch was served.

Sincere sympathy

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Fred Switzer of Georgetown, who passed away on Sept. 27, 1989 at the Credit Valley Hospital, Mississauga. Loving brother of Jean Whitmee of Georgetown, Irene Bloor of Brampton, Marjorie Fisher of Georgetown and Doris Brown of Limehouse and the late Mary Ismond and Arnold Switzer. Father of Joe, Ken, Cathy, Randy and Sharon. Fred attended school at Whaley's Corners and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joe Switzer who farmed on the east half of lot three, Tenth Line, "Esquering" now Halton Hills.

Funeral service was from the J. S. Jones and Son Funeral Home on Sept. 29, 1989 at 2 p.m. Interment was St. Stephen's Church Cemetery, Hornby.

Sadly missed

Betty Dickinson, sister of Ross, Don and Bill Garbutt, and the late Mary Reid, died suddenly on Sept. 16, 1989 at Georgetown Hospital after enjoying two and a quarter years of life at the Bennett Health Care Centre.

Betty and Mrs. Myrtle Zileo had enjoyed a month-long adventure in Alberta this past summer.

Betty and her late husband, John, lived in Stewarttown for over 30 years, and was a member of the Anglican Church and Guild there.

Betty will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by her family and by her many friends. Sincere sympathy is extended to her family.

Milton prizes

A number of farm families in the area won prizes at the Milton Fair recently. John and Ken McNabb of R.R. 2 Georgetown won the Breeder's Herd and Reserve Grand on their Guernsey Cattle exhibit.

Don and Gwen Brander, R. R. 1 Norval won fourth on their Clydesdale Brood Mare and a first and third in the 1989 Filly Class. They also won first on the top Filly born in 1989 in all heavy breeds and was presented with a halter by William Rayner.

Their son Tyler won first place on his Junior Yerling Holstein Heifer in the 4H Class at the Milton Fair.

Harry Brander R. R. 2 Norval won first on a sheaf of corn and a third on cob corn.

50th Anniversary

The 50th Anniversary Holstein Show of the Halton Holstein Club was held in conjunction with Milton Fair on Friday, September 22, 1989 7:00 p.m. Rain and high winds did not dampen the spirits of the 30 Exhibitors involved. A total of 77 head were exhibited. Judge for the show was James Walker of Walkerbrae Holsteins of Guelph.

Grand Champion Femal was exhibited by W. J. Proud of Oakville with his winning Mature Cow - Langevin Anthony Bam-

bou. Reserve Grand' was exhibited by Jeff Nurse (Georgetown) and Phyllis MacMaster (Milton) with the first place a three-year-old cow - Monteith Miss Kansas. Honorable mention was given to first place Junior two-year-old owned by Cormdale Farms 2000 Inc. of Georgetown.

Junior Champion female was shown by Kelly Stewart (Miss CNE 1989) with her 4-H summer yearling heifer. Reserve Junior Champion was shown by W. J. Proud with a daughter of the grand champion cow. Honorable mention went to David Reid of Georgetown.

Best bred and owned animal of the show was second place Mature cow owned by George Bird of Georgetown.

Premier Breeder for the show was W. F. Laidlaw and son Pual of Norval and Premier Exhibitor was Jeff Nurse, Georgetown. First time exhibitor award was received by Agram Farms (former Pickland Farm) of Georgetown.

This year's recipient of the Herdsman Award was Cormdale Farms 2000 Inc. of Georgetown for the overall neatness and presentation of their exhibit.

A special 40th anniversary cake was made by Mrs. Alice Brush of Milton depicting a true type holstein cow and was served during the social hour following the show. Chocolate milk was donated by Halwell Mutual Insurance for the evening.

Brampton W.I.

The Brampton West Women's Institute and the Norval Presbyterian Church Friendship club met together at the Norval Presbyterian Church Tuesday, Sept. 19 for an evening of fun and travel.

Betty McClure welcomed everyone on behalf of the friendship club, Mae Dixon opened the meeting with the Opening Ode, Mary Stewart Collett and the Lords Prayer.

The central area convention is to be held at the Royal York Hotel, Oct. 24 and 25. Ina Terry

will be the delegate with Mae Dixon as alternate.

The members voted to give a donation to the Peel Memorial Hospital later in the year.

A euchre will be held at Huttonville School Oct. 20 at 7:30 p.m. and please bring a table.

The evening was turned over to Doris Sharpe and Margaret McClure who with commentary and slides gave a very interesting presentation of their recent trip to Labrador. They told of a beautiful but rugged country which they travelled through by bus and train.

Mrs. Isobel McKay gave the courtesies and presented the travellers with gifts. Lunch was served by the ladies and a social time followed.

Oct. 10 Brampton West W. I. has been invited to join Terra Cotta W.I. at Union Presbyterian Church to hear Allan Thompson tell about his trip to Brazil.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 16 at the home of Janet Struiksma.

4,000 books headed for Grenada

Storage space is needed for about four thousand school-books that will be sent to Grenada.

Tom Ramautarsingh, a former Halton teacher, is looking for a room approximately the size of a classroom to store and sort the textbooks and novels he has acquired since visiting Grenada last Christmas.

Mr. Ramautarsingh went to Grenada under the sponsorship of the Phi Delta Kappa Chapter of the University of Toronto.

He went with six other Canadians and attended many graduation ceremonies. Mr. Ramautarsingh spoke with parents, students and teaches about educational objectives and programmes.

There are a number of problems with the educational system in Grenada, the most serious being a lack of material, Mr. Ramautarsingh said.

He is hoping the local service clubs in Georgetown will help raise money to store the books and transport them to Grenada.

Teaching methods are also a problem. By sharing the teaching methods that work in Canada, "teachers and supervisors can help educate a great deal using some of the new methodology," Mr. Ramautarsingh said.

"What they have got from us is our knowledge in certain areas, including guidance, computers, special education and administration."

He added the learning was not all one sided, "Canadians taht went down were able to understand another culture."

Mr. Ramautarsingh said the big advantage to visiting Grenada is he learned to adapt to a different society.

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