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SARAH MARTIN I.O.D.E. named the 1961 executive Thursday evening at the annual meeting in Milton Inn. In front, left to right are secretary Mrs. R. A. Wooland, first vice-regent Mrs. C. Watters, regent Mrs. B. Frame, past regent Mrs. M. Roberts and second vice-regent Mrs. J. Noble. At the rear are standard bearer Mrs. R. T. Banner, treasurer Mrs. N. D. Martin, educational secretary Mrs. F. D. Thompson, Echoes secretary Mrs. G. Pitman and assistant secretary Mrs. G. Chittim.

Mrs. B. Frame Named Regent At Sarah Martin Annual

Mrs. B. Frame was named Regent of the Sarah Martin Chapter I.O.D.E. when members met at the Milton Inn last week for the third annual meeting. Following a delicious dinner a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. R. A. Wooland reported on the operation and temporary closing of the Opportunity Shop.

Wins Blanket

Mrs. Wm. Santor drew the winning ticket for a baby blanket which was won by Mrs. John Soulier.

Members again agreed to help with the Cancer canvass which is held in the spring. A donation is to be made to the North Halton Music Festival.

Sam Harrop Heads Scots Band Group

The Lorne Scots Pipes and Drums had their annual election of officers for 1961 over the weekend with Sam Harrop named as chairman of the band committee.

The committee looks after the social events planned by the band and is kept busy with these throughout the year. The biggest event each year is the annual Robbie Burns dance which is actually a climax to about five dances which are held during the season by the band.

Renew Acquaintances

Picnics, weiner and corn roasts, social evenings, turkey rolls and rifle shoots are some of the extra activities in which the band members take part. Also included during the past summer was a visit to the Kitchener Forum where old acquaintances were renewed when the bandmen met the members of the band of the Queens' Own Cameron Highlanders with whom they had taken part in the Edinburgh Festival in Scotland last summer.

Two years ago they attended a similar event at Toronto Maple Leaf Gardens when the Scots Guards presented a show.

Other members of the committee are Ken Brush and Elmer Blacklock of Milton, Bob Conn and Bob Marshall of Brampton, Pipe Major Joe Sellars and Drum Major Finlay McCallum are also committee members, and Art Cooper of Milton is the secretary-treasurer.

Get-Togethers

One more dance is planned for this season and it is likely this will be held the second week in April. Members and their wives have a get-together one Saturday a month when Scotch dancing is performed and a general social evening (usually including films) is enjoyed.

Next big outing for the pipes and drums will be a trip to Vancouver planned for July.

Mission Society Plans Coming Of New Group

The regular meeting of the W.M.S. of St. Paul's United church was held at the home of Mrs. G. MacNab, King St. on Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. E. B. Clements, president, opened the meeting by repeating the Creed of the W.M.S. She also read "A Tested Recipe for a good Missionary Meeting".

Jams and Jellies were collected to send to the Neighbourhood Workers, Toronto.

Plan Service

Attention was drawn to the World Day of Prayer in St. Paul's Sunday school. The 32nd annual meeting of the Presbyterian is to be held next week. This will be the last one held as the business of the meeting is the amalgamation of all W.M.S. and W.A. organizations. Delegates will be attending from all over Halton County.

Reports were heard from the various secretaries. It was decided to continue the practice of collecting canned goods at each meeting for the Victor Mission, Toronto, and also items for layettes to be sent overseas to missionary fields. Used clothing would be welcomed for the packing of the bale in the Sunday school.

Conducts Worship

Devotional was then very ably conducted by Miss Field.

Mrs. W. L. McNeil entertained with a lovely piano solo.

The Study Book "Ecumenical" meaning the whole inhabited earth, was taken by Mrs. McKim who drew attention to the plight of thousands of refugees all over the world, homeless and hungry.

The treasurer Mrs. Hutchinson reported an allocation of \$199.80 had been sent the Presbyterian. A delicious lunch was served.

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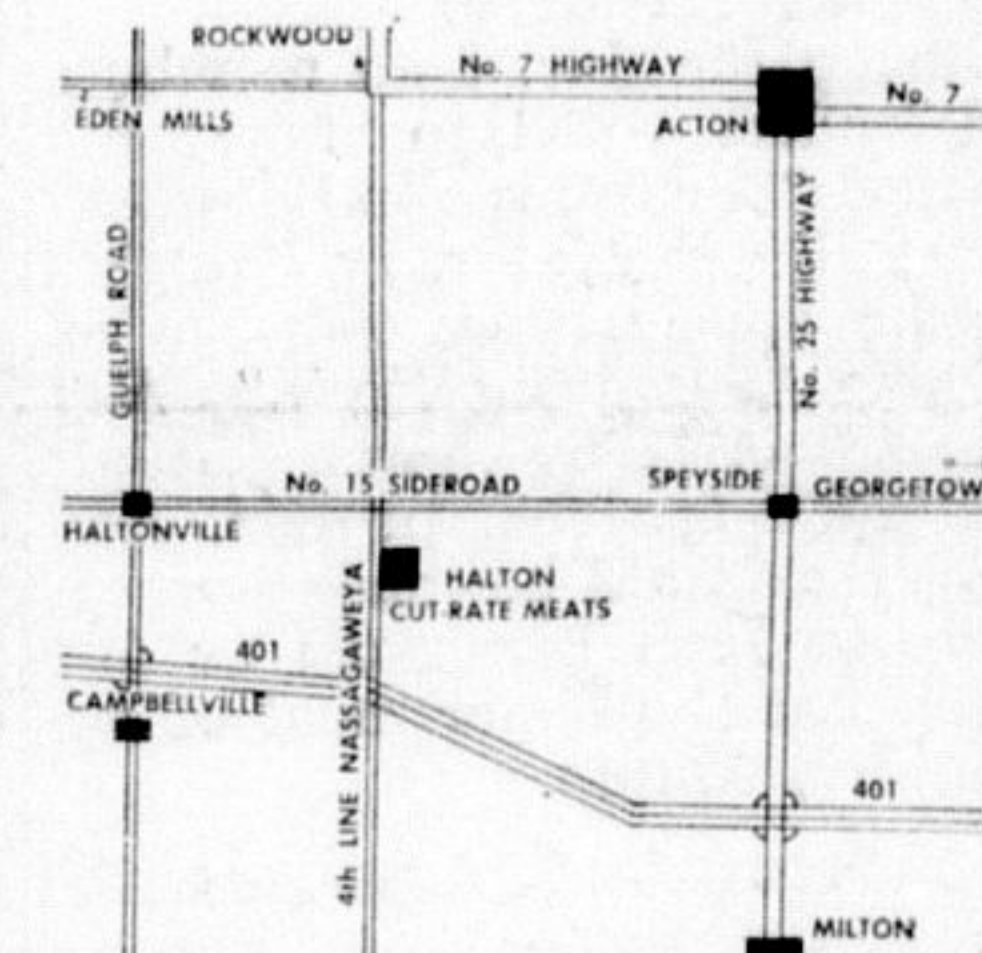
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Atkins Gives Horticulturists Message on Public Relations

The regular meeting of the Milton and District Horticultural Society was held in the High School recently. Those present enjoyed an interesting speech entitled "Public Relations" given by George S. Atkins of Bronte. Mr. Atkins told of a number of ways to advertise and interest people in the society. He stressed the use of such media as newspapers, television, radio and bulletin boards to bring meetings and projects before the public.

Dancing Show

Miss Mary Reid, Omagh, entertained with baton twirling and tap dancing.

The sale of begonia and amaryllis bulbs to members proved very successful.

Scientists say the first man to reach the moon may not be able to return to earth. Maybe he'll prefer it that way.

Door prizes were won by Mrs. Frank Thompson and Mrs. John McMillan. Seeds were also distributed to everyone with the compliments of the Douglas Seed Co. of Brantford.

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Sarah Martin Annual

Review Projects, Activities

It is with great pleasure that I submit the third annual report of the Sarah Martin Chapter, Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire.

The officers during the past year were Regent, Mrs. C. M. Roberts; first vice-regent, Mrs. B. Frame; second vice-regent, Mrs. J. Noble; secretary, Mrs. C. Watters; assistant secretary, Mrs. D. Hill; treasurer, Mrs. K. Curbishley and Mrs. N. D. Martin; educational secretary, Mrs. D. Thompson; Echoes secretary, Mrs. R. A. Wooland; standard bearer, Mrs. P. Hendrie and Mrs. R. G. Banner; affairs at home and abroad secretary, Mrs. D. A. MacEachern.

Eight new members were welcomed into the chapter during the year and our membership to date is 25.

During the year four executive and 10 regular meetings with an average attendance of 16, were held.

Many Projects

Our Chapter's first project for the year was a "Supper Party", convened by Mrs. C. M. Roberts and Mrs. D. Thompson and held on Wednesday, June 22 at the home of one of our members, Mrs. Bruce Frame. This proved to be a tremendous success and it is hoped to be repeated again next year.

Once again, a Christmas tree, decorated with 100 \$1.00 bills, was raffled in December and the winning ticket holder was Anne Watters of Milton.

Our Opportunity Shop, under the convenship of Mrs. R. A. Wooland, has continued to be a success, but unfortunately has been temporarily closed down as at the end of January '61, due to lack of suitable location at reasonable rental.

Assistance was given to the Cancer Society Women's Service Committee, helping to make dressings for the cancer patients in this area.

We volunteered and assisted with the house to house canvass for the Canadian Cancer Society and also for the National Institute for the Blind.

Posters and pamphlets in connection with the UNICEF drive in October, were placed in the J. M. Denyes public school and the Holy Rosary separate school.

Attend Events

Mrs. R. McCuaig attended the finals of the North Halton Musical Festival and presented the plaque, donated by our chapter, to the Stewarttown public school, which placed second in the contest.

Mrs. C. M. Roberts and Mrs. P. Hendrie attended the Provincial annual meeting at Hamilton in April.

In July, members participated in the citizenship reception, held at the Court House, Milton.

Mrs. C. M. Roberts attended the annual meetings for both the North Halton Cancer Society and the Canadian Institute for the Blind.

In November, Mrs. D. Thompson and Mrs. C. M. Roberts attended the official opening of the new high school and Mrs. B. Frame and Mrs. P. Hendrie represented our Chapter at the Memorial Service, sponsored by the Legion, held to honor the memory of the men who paid the supreme sacrifice in the two world wars.

On Saturday, January 21, Mrs. C. M. Roberts, Mrs. D. Thompson and Mrs. R. G. Banner attended a special ceremony at which

the Union Jack, donated to the 2nd Company Girl Guides, Milton, was officially presented and dedicated.

Interesting Meetings

At our March meeting vice-regent, Mrs. B. Frame, presented a very fine paper on "Founders Day".

Film convener, Mrs. S. G. Chittim, presented the film "Trans-Canada Summer" at our May meeting.

At the October meeting we were pleased to have George Horton, who delivered an informative talk on Civil Defense.

Our \$200.00 Bursary was awarded to Sharon Presse, who is now a student nurse at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.

A Christmas basket was given to a needy family and members donated gifts of toys to the children of the family.

The following cash donations were made:—\$300.00 to the new high school, for the purchase of a suitable gift; \$20.00 to the 2nd Company Girl Guides, Milton, for the purchase of a Company Flag; \$10.00 to the Chamber of Commerce, Milton, for the "Clean-up Campaign"; \$25.00 to the Municipal Swimming Pool, Hamilton; \$70.00 to various I.O.D.E. Funds.

Thanks to All

In conclusion, may I, on behalf of the Chapter, extend our thanks to each and every one, members and non-members, who have in any way, helped to make this such a successful year.

Patricia M. Watters, Secretary, Sarah Martin Chapter, I.O.D.E.

W. Royle President Agriculture Group

The annual meeting of Trafalgar Federation of Agriculture was held at the Percy W. Merry School on Thursday evening.

The following officers were elected, past president, Howard Armstrong; president, W. R. Royle; secretary treasurer, Tom Alderson; lady representative, Mrs. C. Ford; junior farmer representative, Sam Finnie Jr.; directors, Ross Laurence, Clarence Ford, Gordon Robinson, Elmer Douglas, Clare Ford, Martin Secord, C. W. Simpson, Hugh Beatty, Roy Break, Mrs. George Robinson, Mrs. W. R. Royle.

The eucyre prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lawrence.

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