

New Shrine executive

The 1982 executive of the Midland and District Shrine Club is shown above assembled in the local Shrine temple in Sunnyside this week. Sitting from left are Past President Murray McComb, Chief

Rabban Hugh Pancoast (representing Rameses Temple, Toronto), and President Fred McConkey. Standing from left are C.S. (Tiny) Wice, secretary; Les Bertram,

ambassador; Don Johnston, treasurer; Frank Carnerie, 1st vice-president; Bob Moth, 2nd vice-president; Gary Price, 3rd vice-president.

Odd Fellows, Rebekahs offer unique service to shut-ins

At a recent meeting of the Odd Fellows and Rebekah Humanitarian Services Committee, Arnold Tippin P.D.D.G.M. gave the following report on the use of health-aid equipment during 1981: 8 Hospital beds in use

1,666 days; 21 Walkers in use — 5,237 days; 34 Wheelchairs in use — 8,877 days; 4 Overbed Tables in use - 730 days; 8 Commode chairs in use - 2,282 days; 7 Tripod canes in use — 1,066 days; 15

Prs. crutches in use -734 days; 1 Tub assist support in use - 365 days; 1 Toilet extension in use — 365 days; 5 Canes in use — 240 days.

Equipment purchased, 1 Wheelchair \$275 with \$131,000 worth of Dominion Store tapes.

1 Foam mattress \$125 with \$60,000. worth of Dominion Store tapes.

Equipment donated - 1 Walker by Mr. Sargent Ruby; 1 Wheelchair by Mrs. James Clarke from the family of the late Mrs. Olive Reid; 1

Geriatric chair by the family of the late Ellen Bolt; 1 Back rest by Ed Ebdon from the late Harold King.

Cash Donations - \$701. which includes a \$100. cheque from The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 80, Midland.

Don MacEachern, treasurer, further reported that in addition to lending out equipment the Committee spent \$2,905 in support of the programme which included cash donations to various local organizations for the relief of distress.

The equipment is loaned free of charge to any member of the community who may Works restored

The restoration and examination conservation laboratory of the National Gallery of Canada in the last year undertook 73 major projects or treatments of works and completed

need it.

Requests for same may be made to Arnold Tippin, the dispatcher, or the Noble Grand of Midland Odd Fellows, Frank Godfrey, or any member of the Midland Odd Fellows Encampment or Rebekah Lodges.

A large portion of the funds to finance this local service is raised by the Bingos held each Saturday night at the Odd Fellows Temple on Dominion Avenue, and the balance is realized through individual contributions and the several money-raising projects conducted by members of the three lodges throughout the

and documentation of 430 others. As well, it carried out over 850 minor treatments and examined 90 works in regular public clinics.

Gordon Campbell P.D.D.G.M.

Daughtersof Isabella plan fund-raiser

Daughters of Isabella, of C. Hall. Our Lady of Lourdes Circle 1050, held their regular monthly meeting in January. Plans are being made' for fund raising events.

A flea market and Bake sale on Sat. April 17 at the K. of C. Hall in Penetang, anyone wanting to donate can call Theresa Quesnelle at 526-5171.

Penetanguishene Centennial Daughters of Isabella dinner is slated for Sat. July 3 at the K.

Another project is the

quilt draw, tickets can be purchased from any member.

Again this year the group is making red Winterama toques, these can be bought at the Centre d'activite Francais, Main Street in Penetanguishene.

Next regular meeting is on Monday, Feb. 8 at 8 p.m. in the K. of C. Hall, Penetanguishene.

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February is Heart Month in Ontario. Yesterday morning at Huronia District Hospital, Joan Lavin, (left), co-chairwoman of the residential campaign in this area presented roses from Perrin's Flowers to new mothers at the hospital to signify the beginning of the campaign. During the month, the Ontario Heart Foundation will be conducting a door to door canvass in hopes of raising 10-12 thousand dollars for heart research. Also in the offing is a colouring contest for students of area schools in grades kindergarten to three. So when the heart fund canvasser calls on you remember "A healthy heart means a happy life". Shown receiving a rose from Mrs. Lavin is Sheila Moreau.

Brrr. It was c-c-c-cold

Yesterday dawned under clear blue skies to -25C readings.

However be prepared to put a few more logs in the fire place this month since February is tradionally the coldest month of the year in most parts of Canada including here at the Gateway to the 30,000 Islands.

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