

Club and Church Activities

UNITED W. M. S. HEAR TALK ON CITIZENSHIP

The regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. of First United Church was held Thursday afternoon. The meeting was well attended.

President, Mrs. Wm. Mustard conducted the meeting. Mrs. P. Carson was at the piano. Sympathy was expressed for Mrs. E. A. Urquhart, who suffered from a fall last Sunday. A letter of sympathy was sent to Mr. H. Bush.

It was decided that the organization should contribute to the planning and enjoyment of parties throughout the year for Junior affiliated groups, C. G. I. T., Explorers, and Playmates.

Mrs. I. Gordon, Mrs. R. McLaren and Mrs. A. Jackson were appointed as a nominating committee to bring in the slate of officers for 1947. Members were asked to bring a guest to the Christmas meeting.

The theme for the worship service was "Woman and the Community." This was led by Mrs. W. E. Bull. The importance of close co-operation between the home, school and church was stressed. The task of the woman of today takes her beyond the important duties of home to the duties of citizenship, in the community and the world, it was stated.

Mrs. Geo. Drew favored with a solo. She was accompanied by Mrs. P. Carson.

An inspiring address on the subject of "Citizenship" was given by Miss Lois Kelly. "The ideal state is one where every citizen is determined to be part of the community, to share its burdens, to put its interests before his own, and to sacrifice his wishes, convenience, time and money to it."

She traced the progress of training for citizenship throughout life, in the home, in school, in group organizations. She pointed out the importance of continued work, of growth, of a mind alert to new truths and continued faith.

In a vote of thanks to the speaker, Miss L. Kelly, and the soloist, Mrs. Drew, Mrs. A. Jackson expressed the appreciation of all present. An enjoyable social half hour was spent, at the close of the meeting.

TWINS CELEBRATE AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Indeed a celebration was the birthday party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Romaine, 267 Maple St. North recently. The party was in honor of their twin daughter and son, Claudette and Claude, who were five years old, and also feted on the same day were their twin cousins, Victor and Adelard Nadeau, who celebrated their second birthday.

A joyous afternoon was spent by the four children honored and their guests. Games were played and they all joined in singing and chanting nursery rhymes.

Mrs. Romaine and Mrs. Adelard Nadeau served a delicious lunch to the children, consisting of sandwiches, candies, soft drinks and fruit. Two large birthday cakes decorated with thick frosting and glowing with blue birthday candles held the centre of attention.

The two sets of twins were presented with many delightful gifts from their parents, relatives and friends.

Attending the party were Shirley Bertrand, Evelyn Guillemette, Simone Romaine, Yvette Neumannville, Marlene Bertrand, Jacqueline Minneault, Mike Boychuk, Denise Lauzon, Rolande Lauzon, Pat Bertrand, Roland Tremblay, Paulette Minneault and the guests of honor, Victor and Adelard Nadeau and Claudette and Claude Romaine.

JUNIOR C. W. L. PLAN CARD PARTY FRIDAY

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior C. W. L. took place on Wednesday, Nov. 13, at the home of Mrs. J. Evans, 123 Cherry St.

Plans were made for the card party which will take place Friday, Nov. 22 in the basement of the Church of Nativity — bridge, "500" and cribbage are to be played.

The bake and novelty sale is taking place on Dec. 7. Mrs. Damanski and Mrs. Nelson are convener for the novelties. Mrs. J. Marks and Mrs. Schynes are convener for the baking.

It was moved by Mrs. E. Burnett, seconded by Mrs. J. Marks, that the next meeting take place Dec. 4, instead of Dec. 11. The meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Damanski, 171 Maple St. North.

It was decided that each member will pay a nominal charge for refreshments at future meetings. All members are requested to bring their novelties for the novelty sale to the meeting.

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By PRUNELLA WOOD

Bonwit Teller

There is never any shortage of date dresses in any store department dedicated to college girls; but this particular frock seems the cream of the crop to this writer. The model is made of black velvet, unadorned, depending on its wide V neckline, its slim body moulding, its flared skirt of unusual formal length, to put it over. With youth, it goes over, too, with a satisfactory detonation with the stage.

We like the choker worn with it; we'd also like a single pearl strand, a locket and chain, a cameo on a velvet ribbon. The model is a picture dress, with which to make oneself into the living tableau of a belle. Any time after dark, except for a very formal ball, is the right time for the dress.

ARBUTUS CHAPTER INSTALS OFFICERS

Some hundred members and friends gathered in the Masonic Hall to enjoy the ceremony of Installation of officers of Arbutus Chapter No. 123 of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Installing Officers Mrs. Rose Anderson, Mrs. Jean White, Miss Mildred Tackaberry and Mr. William Pritchard carried out the impressive ceremony, installing each successive officer as follows:

Mrs. Nessie Coulson, Worthy Matron; Mr. Archie Wright, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Celia Easton, Associate Matron; Mr. Percy Collier, Associate Patron; Miss Joyce Service, Secretary; Mrs. Bertha Service, Treasurer; Mrs. Helen Lake, Conductress; Mrs. Lena Paterson, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Dorothy Bennetts, Chaplain; Mrs. Mabel Pennie, Marshall; Mrs. Minnie DeMille, Organist; Mrs. Maude McCulloch, Adah; Mrs. Helen Hunt, Ruth; Mrs. Hattie Nelly, Martha; Mrs. Ellen Wheeler, Electa; Miss Edna Small, Warder; Mr. Verne Nelly, Sentinel.

Solos by Mrs. Mary Ramsay, Mrs. Maude McCulloch, and Mr. James Kerr and a duet by Mrs. Bertha Service and daughter Joyce, were a delightful part of the program.

During the evening the immediate Past Worthy Matron, Mrs. Nora Nixon, was presented with the Worthy Matron's Jewel — token in appreciation of her year's service.

Following this, gifts and good wishes for success were presented to the new Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Coulson, lovely in draped white Jersey with nail head trim, graciously thanked all for their kind thoughts. The evening closed with a social hour, as all enjoyed fancy sandwiches cakes and tea.

CONCERT PLANNED FOR MUSIC PUPILS

The regular monthly meeting of the Porcupine Branch of the Music Teachers' Association was held at the radio station recently with R. A. Vary presiding. Following the reading of the minutes and routine reports the final details of the Geen-Bartlett recital were discussed and arranged.

Plans for a pupils' recital to be given on Dec. 3 in the Salvation Army Hall were also discussed. Several new members attended for the first time and were cordially welcomed by the President.

Mrs. E. Armitage read a paper dealing with diction, breathing, and the proper use of the vocal organs, and other elements which combined to produce a good speaking and singing voice. Her remarks were very informative and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

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Gifts to the attendants included pearl earrings to the matron of honor and a gold-filled tie pin to the groomsmen. Mrs. Piche and Mrs. McGrath received gold-filled compacts, and Mr. Boivin was the recipient of a leather wallet.

The young couple will reside in Timmins.

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. Dan Barker of North Bay spent a short time in Timmins at the beginning of this week on business. While here Mr. Barker visited a number of relatives and friends.

The misses Cecile, Juliet and Terese Beauvais of Val Gagne spent the week end in Timmins visiting with their parents, 49 Mons Ave.



W4590 — Mix or match gay colors with Pattern 4590. Skirt has all-round unpressed pleats, button trim. Drop-shoulder, push-up sleeves on tucked blouse. Stocking-cap in one piece. This pattern, easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Includes complete illustrated instructions. Pattern 4590 comes in Teen-age sizes 10, 12, 14, 16. Size 12, skirt, blouse, cap 2 1/2 yards 54-inch.

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Send twenty cents for each pattern, to **The Advance, Timmins, Ont.** Print clearly your name and address, pattern number and size.

PARTY SURPRISES PAUL LANDRIault

Mrs. Paul Landriault was pleasantly surprised on Monday evening at his home, 19 Hart St., with a delightful party. His sister, Mrs. Lucy Scripnick was hostess for the evening.

A very pleasant evening was spent dancing and playing games. The dining room table was very attractively set with fine lace and china. Pink tapers glowed in crystal candelabra. A large birthday cake scrolled in pink and white icing, garnished with pink candles, centred the table. Sandwiches cut in assorted shapes in pink, yellow and green breads created a colorful array.

The guest of honor was presented with a humidor as a group gift, and also received many other gifts from friends, for which he heartily thanked them.

Among those attending were the Misses Yolande Charron, Ann Novotny, Alice Cadman, Sue Bielek, Sam Rao, Cy Landriault, Rod McPhail, Henry Scripnick, Joe Sunega, Joe Onueky, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scripnick and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Landriault.

Y'S MEN MEET

The Timmins Y's Men's Club held their regular Monday night dinner meeting in the Grill Room at the Grand Hotel.

A short business meeting was held, followed by discussion on the various aspects of "Y" work locally.

In the absence of President Earl Hawkins, Mr. Doug Loucks presided at the meeting.

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