

SCHREIBERT.B. ASSOCIATION WANTS SURVEY

The East Thunder Bay Tuberculosis Association met at the home of the executive-secretary with Mrs. Ken Davis presiding. In reply to a letter from the association regarding a mass survey for this area, Dr. K. Walker, Thunder Bay Health Unit, wrote that this years program is being planned and the association will be notified if there will be a survey in this area.

Mrs. W. Molloy, secretary of the Marathon Ladies Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Legion,

sent a letter of appreciation for serviettes sent. W. G. Furlonger was appointed to attend the semi-annual OTRDA meeting on January 30-31. in Toronto.

The committee was pleased with the response to the annual seal sale and is most appreciative of the excellent work done by the bank where all contributions are opened.

The secretary was instructed to write Toronto requesting that East Thunder Bay returns be listed separately from those of Thunder Bay.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETS

Mrs. R. W. Turner presided for regular meeting of Schreiber public library board recently with Miss Gwen Hadley, secretary-treasurer, presenting accounts and the librarian's report.

Word was received that the regional bookmobile will be in Schreiber at 1 p.m. Monday for exchange of books. This creates some difficulty as some board members are employed during the day.

It was agreed to renew subscriptions to both National and Canadian Geographic and Popular Science, all of which are always in demand.

In response to the increasing interest in the board of education, Lake Superior Board places a copy of minutes following each meeting in the library in order that they are easily obtainable by residents.

It was decided parents of children under 10 years must sign a form stating they are aware their children are using library facilities and will be responsible for books borrowed.

An additional section was ordered for the card index file. The board is still concerned

over the lack of space in the library, although pleased over the cause. Students of all three Schreiber schools do much reference study in the library and reference sections are continually being added and in some instances with the advice of a teacher, a need is anticipated and met.

Satisfaction was expressed with a recent order of books, many of them 1969 copyrights received at reduced prices.

A special meeting will be held to study the budget and ways and means of improving the library.

Mrs. Ross Hill, librarian, reported borrowing was down in December due to the Christmas season and number of events planned for the younger set and pre-occupation of older readers. However, already borrowing is increasing.

Mrs. Hill will attend next session of a librarian course sponsored by regional library. It will be held from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Jan. 21 in Marathon.

Mrs. David Godin of Schreiber is a patient in Thunder Bay hospital and Mrs. Paddy Guina and Mrs. Elton Fummerton are in Terrace Bay hospital.

C. DOWNEY DESCRIBES AREA MINERALS

Members of the Women's Institute, at their regular January meeting, answered roll call with used Christmas cards for use by Missionaries, and postage stamps for use by the social secretary, Mrs. Ken Williamson.

The Ontario Food Council sent greetings and an appreciation of the response by local members to their October questionnaire regarding the Menu-a-

month which they sent out.

Reeve Fred Harness wrote saying Council will again be happy to present their silver engraved cup to Schreiber's New Year baby.

The Department of Highways sent a bulletin on safety, describing the value of seat belts and other matters.

Five thank-you notes for gifts and greeting cards were read by Mrs. Williamson.

Mrs. Sandra Scully, of Thunder Bay, a Home Economist, sent notice of a Needlecraft project being held in Nipigon on January 29 and 30. She also referred to short course "Dressmaking With a Difference" being given this month in Thunder Bay.

The Ladies Aid of Gethsemane Lutheran Church, Thunder Bay, which is being closed, sent word they have kitchen dishes and choir gowns for sale.

A one day course, "Choosing and Using Fabrics," will be given in Schreiber on February 3, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., under direction of Sandra Johnson, Textile Specialist from Toronto. A modest fee of 50 cents is levied and those enrolling are asked to bring a box lunch.

Peggy Hunt of the Northwestern Regional library sent a list of free films available.

Mrs. Robert Webber, Toronto Conference secretary sent word of the Officers' Conference being held in Guelph College in April. Mrs. Wesley Clemens was appointed delegate with Mrs. Joe Campbell as alternate.

Old minutes were researched for a resolution passed in 1955 which stated that in order for a baby to be accepted as the New Year baby its parents must have resided in Schreiber for a year.

A note of thanks was sent to Mrs. Louise Corbett for a special gift to the members.

Mrs. Ivor Jacomb, who has won the dressed doll raffled at Christmas, returned it, with a complete wardrobe she had made, to have it raffled again.

Mrs. A. Etches, Mrs. E. Spanton, and Mrs. L. Albertini, were welcomed as guests by Mrs. Joe Campbell, who presided for the meeting and also offered good wishes in this new year to the members.

Poems written by Gladys Nolan of London, who grew up in Schreiber, were read. Mrs. Nolan's work has been published in "Other Voices".

Following the meeting Mrs. Russell Macadam introduced Clem Downey, retired train despatcher, former teacher, and life-long prospector, with an unswerving faith in the mineral wealth in this area.

Mr. Downey began his address by describing the rock

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