

SCHREIBERLIBRARY REPORT

Mrs. Rita McGrath, art convener, reported, at the January meeting of the public library board, on the excellent co-operation received from Mrs. Katherine Punch, of the Sault Ste. Marie public library.

The trustees agreed to purchase all the technique books recommended, plus the revised edition of Fine Arts Reproductions of modern and old masters. The Schreiber art club steadily increases in numbers and interest and most enthusiastically encourages beginners. A local artist has loaned her latest oil painting December Roses for display in the library and it is hoped others may offer exhibits of their paintings or crafts.

The municipal grant was received and January accounts were ordered paid. The geographical magazine was re-ordered. The Regional Director's letter concerning the Incentive Program was read and thoroughly discussed in connection with the board's policy of improving all library services.

Mrs. Norah McGuire presided for the meeting and the minutes and treasurer's report read by Miss Gwen Hadley.

Mrs. Mark Doig of Trenton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter Doig.

Marching Mothers will be canvassing Schreiber, Monday, February 14th, for the local campaign in support of the Ability Fund (March of Dimes).

Despite the very slippery ice, and the seemingly endless fresh replacements of the grade 8 team, the teaching staff of Schreiber Public School won a signal victory in the annual broomball game - with vice principal Tom Quinton, the hero of the event, scoring the one lone goal for the teachers. Referee, Bruce Costall, was imported from Terrace Bay for the important occasion and dealt out penalties with stern visage to Lanky Ladigan, Masher McKay and Rocket Robertson. The play was maintained at a furious pace, the fans loud in their support and following the game the exhausted teachers retired for coffee and cakes, to toast their hero - "Quick-Draw Quinton" who'd given them the first victory since the series began.

ARTIFICIAL ICE FOR CURLING CLUB

The executive of the Schreiber curling club, who this year is enjoying a most successful season, comprises of Alex Krystia, president; Pat Conley, treasurer; Edna Cocks, secretary; Al Slater, vice president; Directors - Brian Birch, Mike Cosgrove, Burton Phillips, John Wiznuk, Dominic Carmesin and Barry Harper; Committees - Fund raising - Eric Handel, Lawrence Madge, Shirley Krystia and June Dukes; Publicity - Edie Cosgrove; Draws - Al Slater; Membership - June Dukes, Dominic Carmesin; Kitchen - Shirley Krystia, Ruth Ann Birch; Bar - Burton Phillips; Elmer Niemi; Bonspiels - Barry Harper, Lawrence Madge, Frank Walker; Dominic Carmesin; D'Arcy Furlonger, Eirene Harness, Edna Cocks.

The Challengers bonspiel is to be on Feb. 18-19. This is another fun event, where town employees, fire brigade, bank and post office employees and other business firms or such curlers who claim to be an association, enter the ring, with some surprising results each year.

The grant toward installing artificial ice gave new life to the club whose members have loyally supported it even though the season was a few brief months on natural ice.

Citizens of all ages curl and those compelled by the bitter cold to forgo the pleasure still form a faithful audience. The work on the artificial ice installation has begun and it is expected will be in full swing shortly.

LEGION AUXILIARY PLAN BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Jeanette Gunter, president of the Terrace Bay Legion auxiliary, was welcomed as a guest at the February meeting of the Schreiber Legion auxiliary, by Mrs. Georgina Davis, who presided.

Mrs. Etta Gray volunteered with Mrs. Chris Dunham to take charge of the kitchen during the month of February. The guest list was made for the 25th anniversary party of the auxiliary, in May, and other tentative plans discussed for the event.

Mrs. Janice Hayman and Mrs. Earline McCouan reported a most successful sale of food in the kitchen on Saturday last. Information was received regarding the meeting for secretaries and officers of both Legions and auxiliaries being held in Nipigon on Feb. 11th. Mrs. Ethel Nesbitt reported an encouraging sale of draw tickets. Mrs. Pat Moore and Mrs. Rita Bennitz and Mrs. Gabrielle Martin volunteered to assist at the bingo. cont'd page 14