

SPADONI:

The funeral service of the late Mrs. Eginio (Gino) Spadoni, nee Rosa Cebrario, whose death occurred on May first, following a long illness, was conducted on May third, in Holy Angels Roman Catholic Church, Schreiber by Father Moore, acting parish Priest, and the Rev. Alex Greengrass of Terrace Bay.

The honorary pallbearers were Reno Spadoni, Walter Spadoni, Aldo Spadoni, Jack Caccamo, (all nephews) F.V. Harness and Joseph Speziale. Active pallbearers were Paul Cebrario, Rick Spadoni, Paul Caccamo, Bruce DeLuce, Brian Duffy and Michael Mulligan, all great nephews.

Interment was in Schreiber cemetery.

Mrs. Spadoni's immediate survivors are her daughter, Adriana, Mrs. W.H. Bulger of Kit-chener; two grandchildren, John and Joan Bulger, of Toronto; a sister, Clara, Mrs. Antonio Caccamo of Thunder Bay; a brother, Mauro Cebrario of Schreiber. There are also many nephews and nieces in the immediate district and other places in Canada.

Mrs. Spadoni was predeceased by her husband in February 1970. She was born in Torino, Italy, coming to White River directly from Italy in 1911, where she was married to Mr. Spadoni in 1914. They came to Schreiber in 1925 when the Spadoni Firm bought the famous Corner Store.

Mrs. Spadoni, soon affectionately called Rosa, early assumed a unique position in Schreiber, because of her interest in her adopted community and her definite flair for style and beauty, coupled with the business reputation of the Spadoni Firm.

Rosa, and her sister Clara (Mrs. Caccamo) arranged, with the consent and cooperation of the Knights of Columbus, St. Edward's Chapter, the first open air Mass in Northwestern Ontario, in 1948. This event attracted a host of attendants from the district and the Lakehead.

Every bride, in Schreiber, for many years was dressed by Rosa, and on several occasions the entire wedding party's attire. The cake, the refreshments, the flowers and the entrance at the church were personally supervised by Rosa.

In addition to this, with her flair for style, and immediate knowledge of her customers, Rosa could go east at least twice a year, on buying trips, ordering in advance an assortment of clothes of which the few remaining unsold were, at the end of two weeks were immediately returned and another selection sent.

One of Rosa's greatest qualities, while enjoying her present financial success was

comparing this to the struggle when she worked with her husband to establish their business in White River. She was always compassionate and helped those in less fortunate circumstances.

Among those attending the funeral from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Bulger, Kit-chener; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley DeLuce, Timmons; Mrs. Greg O'Connor, Mrs. Russell Crooks, Chap-leau; Mr. and Mrs. Reno Spadoni, Walter Spadoni and Mr. and Mrs. Francesco Tessaro, White River; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caccamo, Thunder Bay.

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Donations to the Salvation Army, the Cancer Society and the Association for the Mentally Retarded Olympic Fund were made at the May 4 meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 109.

It was agreed to again present two scholarships to students of Lake Superior High School at their Commencement exercises on June 5, in the Schreiber High School.

It was announced there will be a Memorial Parade on Sunday, June 6 at 2 p.m. for the laying of the wreaths at the cenotaph. This was prevented on November 11th by the delay in mails. Members are to meet at 1:30 at the Legion for the parade.

The Run-a-lap project, for grades seven and eight and high school students will take place on May 22. For further particulars contact Mrs. Georgina Davis,

Mrs. Venita McKenna stated there will be special music for social evenings on May 14, 29 and June 11.

Mrs. Phyllis Luke volunteered to do the phoning for workers for open evenings.

Mrs. Lorraine Weaver, who presided for the meeting thanked those who had taken part in the memorial service for Mrs. Jessie Macadam, a Charter member.

The Branch, who cater for the auxiliary's birthday party each year reported their plans are in order on May 29.

Mrs. Doris Vallant, first vice president, Provincial Council will be a guest of the auxiliary at their birthday party.

Hostesses for the June meeting will be Isabel Delaronde, Gerry McColeman and Brenda Harper.

The minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report were adopted as read by Mrs. Bea McCuaig and Mrs. Rena Ross. Mrs. Ross also reported the kits and material for the Salvation Army canvas, an annual project, had been received.
