

C.W.L. Speaker Describes Work of Cdn. Cancer Society Who Plan Drive Here April 6

The valuable work of volunteers was emphasized by Mrs. Edith Friend, in an address on the objectives of the Canadian Cancer Society recently in St. Joseph's Hall, Bowmanville. Mrs. Friend spoke at the meeting of the Bowmanville Catholic Women's League, and also showed an informative motion picture, "The Sword of Hope."

Mrs. Stewart Chisholm, the president of the C.W.L., introduced Mrs. Anne Saunders, publicity chairman of the Bowmanville Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society. Mrs. Saunders spoke of the work of the branch and announced that the annual campaign to raise funds for the Canadian Cancer Society will be held in Bowmanville on April 6th.

In introducing Mrs. Friend, Mrs. Saunders pointed out that she has been a prominent member of the Oshawa Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society for many years. Mrs. Friend is the associate director of nurses at the Oshawa General Hospital. Mrs. Saunders told the meeting.

Mrs. Friend said she was happy to bring the Bowmanville Catholic Women's League a message from the Canadian Cancer Society. She spoke of the province-wide achievements of the Ontario Division of the organization,

and commended the Bowmanville Branch of the Canadian Cancer Society for its splendid work, and the untiring efforts of its members.

The headquarters of the Ontario Division is in Toronto, and while the society is a fund raising organization its aims and objectives include education and welfare in addition to the financing of research. Mrs. Friend told the meeting.

Depend On Appeal

She explained that the great undertakings of the Canadian Cancer Society depend on the annual appeal for funds to be held this year in April, and urged her hearers to give generously to this worthwhile cause. The intensive research carried on by the Canadian Cancer Society Institute was outlined by Mrs. Friend, who also told of the research being carried on at the University of Toronto into the cause of this widespread disease, and for its cure.

Princess Margaret Hospital

She also spoke of the Cancer Foundation, the owner of the buildings in different parts of the country which are used as treatment centres, information distribution, and work places. The nearest is the Princess Margaret Hospital in Toronto, Mrs. Friend said. She urged that anyone interested in the great work visit this hospital, and said that the staff would gladly receive visitors through the hospital.

People from Bowmanville and district drive to Toronto for treatment at the Princess Margaret Hospital. Mrs. Friend said. She also mentioned other cancer patients from a greater distance who are treated there, but who do not need to be hospitalized. The Canadian Cancer Society maintains an excellent hostel where these patients can stay while they have to be in Toronto for treatment, Mrs. Friend stated.

Out Patients' Hospital

This hostel was opened last November, the speaker said. She told of the lovely colour scheme of the decoration in the various rooms. The beds have sheets of pale blue, pink or pastel green, she added. There is a good cafeteria, and a hairdressing parlor in the hostel, Mrs. Friend said.

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daughter, Mrs. Yarrow's mother, brother, Oshawa, and her grandmother who is visiting her from Scotland called on Mr. and Mrs. E. Fowler, Sunday.

Mr. John Van Belois who lost a leg under the bulldozer at Gardden Hill in October was scheduled to have a second operation on Friday.

Sorry to hear that Mrs. Stan Kennedy, Port Hope, is in a serious condition in Port Hope hospital after a couple of operations. Mr. Kennedy was raised at Oak Hill just north of here.

Roads have been ploughed and are open again for the buses and workers.

On Wednesday evening the W.A. had a pot luck supper. A good crowd gathered. Rev. Wright has slides for a program. \$24.50 was realized. Everyone had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thiekson visited with Mrs. Lockwood, Gardden Hill, Thursday evening.

M. and M. Givings Are Increased

The regular meeting of the Oshawa Presbytery was held in the Harmony United Church, Oshawa, on Wednesday, Rev. John M. Smith of Whitby, chairman, was in charge of the meeting.

There were about 65 members present coming from the various pastoral charges, from Pickering on the west, Scuzog on the north, and Newtonville on the east.

President of the Presbytery, W.A. Mrs. L. F. Richardson of Whitby, gave a report on the past year's work, as did Mrs. M. C. Fisher, president of the Presbytery W.M.S. Both reports indicated encouraging growth in membership and in work undertaken by these women's groups in the Church.

The statistical report was given by Rev. Basil E. Long, of Orono, in which, by comparison with last year's report, an increase in the work of the churches throughout the presbytery area was indicated. He indicated one point of concern being the relatively low insurance on some church properties, some 10 charges having insurance of 66 per cent or less of the value of church property.

Two visitors to the presbytery, Rev. L. W. Carlson and Fred McIndoo, of Peterborough, told of the new opportunities of using facilities for workers' gatherings or ministerial retreat, etc., at the House of the Four Seasons, near Gore's Landing, on Rice Lake.

and Gordon Bray. It was the feeling of the Presbytery that another such school be held at the same time of the year, next year. A delegate from the presbytery will attend the forthcoming meeting of the Religion-Labor Council in Toronto, Feb. 29.

The Missionary and Maintenance report showed that an increase had been achieved throughout the presbytery, the amount being some 10.1 per cent over last year.

In the pastoral relations and home missions reports, there was some discussion of the future supply for Southminster, Westminister and Cedarvale Churches in Oshawa. A meeting of committees shortly will seek to solve the matter.

Rev. A. M. Butler has been called to serve as assistant minister at Whitby, and Rev. Fred J. Jackson, of Tyrone, has indicated that he will seek a change of pastoral relationship.

Oshawa, were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. Gatchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Comack and family, Oshawa; Mr. and Mrs. K. Vickery and Debbie, Oshawa, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stephenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvus Smith and Chris, Oshawa, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

Mr. Alden Hubbard attended the Church Service at Columbus, on Sunday morning.

Sorry to report that little Susan Van Dam is ill in Memorial Hospital, Bowmanville. The community wishes her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Florence Caughill and

Mrs. Jack Sinclair spent Tuesday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman McKeena and family, Hampton; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker and family, Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gatchell and family.

Mrs. S. Moffatt has returned home again from Oshawa hospital feeling much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Cochrane and Judy, Nestleton; Mrs. Ross Oke and family, Oshawa, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Adams.

Miss Marilyn Oliver, Blackstock; Mr. Frank Melton, Cadmus, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Allison and family.

OBITUARY

FRANCES J. HONE

The death occurred of Frances Josephine Hone, aged 85 years, in Memorial Hospital, Bowmanville, on Tuesday, February 16th, 36 hours after she had suffered fatal burns in her home, R. R. 4, Bowmanville.

The late Mrs. Hone was born in London, England, and came to Canada at a very early age. In 1926 she married Charles Hone and for the past 25 years Mr. and Mrs. Hone have resided in the Bowmanville area. Prior to that they have lived in Maple Grove and Whitby.

Beautiful floral tributes from relatives, friends neighbors, Shaw's School and Lo-

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Mrs. Friend advised people wanting further information to consult their doctor, the county health department, or the Canadian Cancer Society.

Strikes All Ages

The speaker said that cancer strikes all ages, and pointed out that anyone from the age of a few months to 90 years may have it. She urged that people guard against the fear of cancer and remember the seven danger signals so they can be safeguarded by their doctors.

The film "The Sword of Hope" depicted the great work done by volunteers throughout Ontario. It also showed the work done by a cured cancer patient on behalf of other sufferers from the disease.

Mrs. Chisholm on behalf of the members of the Bowmanville Catholic Women's League, thanked Mrs. Friend for her enlightening address. She said that the C.W.L. members now have a much clearer understanding of the fine work done by the Canadian Cancer Society. Mrs. Chisholm also thanked Mrs. Saunders for attending the meeting and Clarence Bell for running the motion picture projector.

Mrs. Young, the treasurer of the Bowmanville Catholic Women's League, presented a satisfactory financial statement. Its adoption was moved by Mrs. Young, seconded by Mrs. Leo Goulah, and carried.

The secretary, Mrs. Joseph Cuddahee read a letter from Mrs. M. O'Tolle, Peterborough, Diocesan president, which stated that the 1960 Diocesan Convention of the Catholic Women's League will be held in Cobourg on Wednesday, June 1st.

A nominating committee was appointed in connection with the election of officers of the Bowmanville Catholic Women's League for the coming year. Mrs. Martin Molloy is the chairman, and the other members are Miss Loretta Kilgannon and Mrs. Leo Goulah. Plans were completed for catering for the dinner on Lions Ladies' Night with Mrs. George Young as catering convenor.

ELIZABETHVILLE

No Church and Sunday School was held on Sunday due to the poor road conditions. From the top of Popular Hill to the village has been closed all weekend.

Last Sunday Woolacott's store was broken into while they were at Mr. and Mrs. Hanaka's. The robber came in a taxi from Port Hope and through people noticing and contacting the taxi driver Mr. Woolacott and Alan Mercer were able to track and catch the thief. Only the silver in the till had been missed. Entrance was made through the kitchen door by breaking the glass in the door.

Miss Glenda Mercer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mercer, returned from Civic Hospital, Peterborough, on Friday, where she had spent a few days after being in an accident at Campbellcroft Hall where she had been in a collision with a car driven by Steve Pierson, Port Hope. She suffered lacerations of the face, bruises and injured knee. Her cousins Gwen Mercer, Suzanne Thiekson and her sister Marie, crossing the road with her, escaped injury.

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