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Grey Wom. Institutes Rally at Dromore

A registration of 261 delegates, representing almost 2,000 members in Grey County, marked the 23rd annual Women's Institutes rally at Dromore on Friday. The honor guest and special speaker was Miss Mary Clark of Toronto, new superintendent of the Women's Institute branch of the Department of Agriculture, Government of Ontario, who paid her first official visit in Grey County. The president, Mrs. John McMurdo of Dromore, ably conducted the sessions, concluding two years' fine leadership. The vice-president, Mrs. H. Sing of Meaford, was elected president to succeed Mrs. McMurdo. Mrs. Sing's election was unanimous and she was given a very hearty welcome when she spoke briefly in appreciation of the honor bestowed upon her. Miss Florence Smith of Meaford, who presented the usual reports at the meeting, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Amos Presbyterian Church was the meeting place for the annual and was very effectively decorated with flowers. Baskets and vases of gladioli dahlias and other flowers filled the front of the church and the ladies of the home branch were hostesses at a delicious noon repast and also at supper at the close of the rally.

In keeping with the regular monthly branch meetings the rally opened with the Institute Ode, followed by Scripture and prayer. Mrs. W. J. Ritchie of Zion read the Bible passage and Rev. H. Kaye of Dromore offered prayer. In words of welcome to Dromore, Mrs. John Hill stressed the importance of the Junior members to the Women's Institute of the future. Alderman Jean Honsinger of Owen Sound replied, urging the W. I. members to greater realization of their influence and power as women voters and as a link in the Associated Countrywomen of the World.

Speakers at the morning session were Mrs. Gordon Mackey of Hanover and Miss Isabel Shields of the Desnor Junior Institute. Mrs. Mackey spoke on "Study Clubs." Home problems for the coming generations are being solved through study clubs, Mrs. Mackey brought out. The responsibility of the Women's Institute in keeping alive the spirit of helpfulness of the early days was stressed by the speaker, who said it all too often requires a catastrophe, such as fire or flood, to bring out the neighborly feeling.

Miss Shields' theme was "Program planning." "A good program must have perfect planning and punctuality should be the keynote," said Miss Shields, who represented a very live North Grey Junior group. The demonstrations at the regular meetings should be seasonal, she explained.

The reports of the three district organizations in the county were given as follows: South Grey, Mrs. G. Sharp, Durham, 18 Senior and 4 Junior Branches, 522 members; Centre Grey, Mrs. Emerson Knott, Third Line, 22 Senior and two Jr. branches, 547 members; North Grey, Mrs. Chester Jackson, 31 branches, 815 members. The total number of branches in the County is 77 and the total membership 1914.

Miss Isabel Hastie of Holstein, a former pupil of the new superintendent, introduced Miss Clarke, who spoke at the afternoon session.

"The Women's Institute has to justify itself as much to-day as in 1897 when organized," said Miss Clarke in analyzing the qualities of the past worth preserving in the Women's Institute of the present and the future. "Growth in quality and in contribution to the life of the community is more than growing numbers."

The speaker quoted Baldwin's message: "A democracy if it is to live must be founded on the democracy of her own people" and applied it to the Women's Institute. "Like a democracy, the Women's Institute is built on the character of the members—their loyalty, co-operation, willingness to work and contribute, friendliness and broad-mindedness."

THE ROLL CALL

THOMAS WALLACE

One of Normanby's oldest settlers, and the oldest man resident in Knox district, passed away on Monday at his home, 3rd con. in the person of Thomas Wallace. He was in his 89th year, and has been in failing health for five years, being bedfast the last two.

Deceased was born near Belfast Ireland in March 1851, coming out to Canada at the age of 21. For eight years he lived at Hamilton, thence took up land in Normanby township, where he has ever since resided.

Over sixty-six years ago, he was married to Eleanor Wallace, who predeceased him almost two years ago. To them were born a family of eight, four of whom survive: Mrs. Edward Smith (Mary) Toronto; Mrs. Andrew Marshall (Grace) of Knox Corners; Mrs. Wm. Elen (Siabet) of Varney; and Thomas, on the homestead. The late Mr. Wallace was the last surviving member of his family.

For thirty years he was Secy. Treas. of No. 1 Normanby school, and he was ever an active worker for the betterment of the community. He was a faithful member of Knox Church Normanby. His pastor Rev. H. Kaye, will conduct the funeral service at the home on Thursday afternoon.

MRS ALBERT MARSHALL

A sufferer from cancer for about a year, Mrs. Albert Marshall of Knox Normanby, died at her home on Monday morning last. For the last three months, she has been bedfast.

The deceased was in her sixty-fourth year, her maiden name being Elizabeth Ann Petty. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Petty and was born on the old Petty homestead on 2nd con. Normanby now owned by her brother James. Here she resided until her marriage to Albert Marshall forty-one years ago. They commenced homemaking on the townline of Normanby, removing to their present home west of Knox Church some 27 years ago.

Besides her bereaved husband, one son Dawson, at home; and three daughters, Mrs. Reuben Noble (Iva), of Hutton Hill, Mrs. Douglas McLean (Mary) and Mrs. A. Sprigg (Myrtle) both of Toronto, mourn her passing. Another son Norman, died four years ago last January. Also surviving are five brothers and two sisters: David and George Petty of Souris, Man.; Robert of Roderick, Sask.; Charles Leg Branch, California; James, on the old homestead; Mrs. Mary Reading of Orléon, Sask.; and Mrs. Jas. Gadd of Foxwarren, Man. A brother, Samuel, died last January at Rockwood.

The deceased was a devoted wife and mother, cherished in the home circle, and held in the highest esteem by the whole neighborhood. She was an active member of Knox Presbyterian Church, Normanby, and in years of good health, was also energetic in the work of the Women's Missionary Society.

Her pastor, Rev. H. Kaye, conducted the funeral service at the home on Wednesday afternoon, amid a large gathering of mourners for one who will be greatly missed in the home and section. Interment was made in Maplewood cemetery.

Killed near Harriston When Car Overtaken

Reginald Rooney, garage operator of Mount Forest was killed early Tuesday morning near Harriston, when rounding a sharp curve, his car left the highway and crashed through a checkerboard sign, and overturned in the ditch. His wife was formerly Velva Daly, a North Egremont girl.

Official Opening of "McIntosh Field"

We extend hearty thanks to North Battleford, Sask., City Council for an invitation to the official opening of its Airport on Labor Day, Sept. 4th, and to a complimentary dinner to be tendered Mr. Cameron R. McIntosh, M. P., an old Dornoch boy, that evening. Much as we would like to attend, we must gratefully decline. Had we our own private airplane, we might seriously consider dropping in!

The Airport is now known as "McIntosh Field," named after Mr. McIntosh as appreciation to him for the work he has done in airport and air transportation development in North Battleford. Aircrafts of all types are expected to take part in the celebration and an excellent program is being arranged.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Mary McKechnie of Priceville is at present visiting her sister Miss Hilda here.

Mr and Mrs Murray Smith of Windsor, are spending part of his holidays with his parents, Mr and Mrs John Smith.

Mrs Margaret Grant of Saskatchewan, was a guest of Rev and Mrs Honeyman over the weekend.

Miss Mabel Earpe was a guest on Friday at the wedding of Miss Norman James to Mr Errol Cunningham in St. Thomas Church, Walkerton.

Misses Etta and Inez Twamley and Mrs M. A. Boyce are this week enjoying a cruise on The Great Lakes.

Mr and Mrs A. Ford and son Peter of Hamilton, Mrs Roger Robbins Robert and Shirley of Detroit, were holiday guests of Mr and Mrs Albert McRonald.

Mr and Mrs W. N. Gray of Portage La Prairie who have been visiting the former's sister Mrs John McGowan, left for their home in Western Canada.

Rev. M. H. H. and Mrs Farr accompanied by Rev. Beverley Farr and Mrs Farr of Dorchester returned Monday from a motor trip in Northern Ontario.

Mrs G. Monck and daughter Patsy of Leaside visited her mother, Mrs W. J. Atkinson.

Mrs R. Isaac, son Dr. James and daughter Miss Margaret of Toronto, visited Mrs C. Ramage on Saturday Dr. Jas. who is a university professor in Oklahoma, is home on holidays at present. He is now writing a book.

Mr Frank MacKay of Windsor, is visiting his parents here.

Mrs Gilmour of Kitchener visited her sister, Mrs James Mather.

Mrs Thos Grasby, Mr and Mrs Earl Grasby and three sons, Franklin, Carman and Ronald of St. Marys visited with Mr and Mrs Andrew Picken.

Mrs Grace Moore and son-in-law Earl Howell and grandson Boyd Howell of Wilson, New York State, were guests of relatives in the home of Mr and Mrs C. Petty.

Mrs J. C. McLean, Ernest and Margaret McLean of Shelburne and Leslie McLean of Fenwick were Monday visitors with the former's mother, Mrs T. McGirr and brother, J. A. McGirr.

Mrs W. C. Pickering and Miss Marjorie left Friday for Windsor where they will begin a boat trip up Lake Huron and Lake Superior.

Mr and Mrs Clarence Robinson and two sons, Mrs Cecil Moffat were in Guelph in Sunday and Mrs Davison returned with them for a visit.

Morrison Smith who was home with his father, Dr J. L. Smith for the weekend returned to work at Kingston.

If Treated Early, Cancer may be Cured

"Cancer and its Control in Canada" was the subject of an informative address by Dr. C. C. Ross, Toronto, Secy of the Canadian Society for the Control of Cancer, at the amateur hour on Saturday. A heavy rain which fell, up to 8.45, spoiled the hour and cut down the crowd, the program being given from the handstand. About nine, it got underway the Moleck family of Owen Sound, Mr. Rumley, and a local quartette being the entertainers. The quartette comprised Mrs M. Wilson, Mrs C. McGirr, Thos Bell, L. Whitmore and sang "Come to the Fair."

The amateur contest was cancelled for the night. Two more Saturday night contests are to be held, if Jupiter Pluvius will only hold off.

Dr. Ross, who was introduced by Dr. R. R. Burnett, spoke for 20 minutes, with a good hearing. The main point he impressed was that cancer can almost certainly be cured if treated early when the lump or swelling is small and painless. If in doubt see a doctor at once, and if a cancer, have it removed by a surgical operation or destroyed by X rays or radium.

Cancer is caused by body cells growing at an uncontrolled rate. It may occur at any age, but is most prevalent after 40. It may occur in any part of body. Be suspicious of lumps. Indigestion for no apparent reason may be due to cancer of the stomach; bowel trouble may be cancer of large bowel; a chronic cough may be cancer of lung. Hoarseness of voice may be caused by cancer. Don't wait till pain develops; then it is too late for treatment. Cancer is not a disease due to blood, and is not caused by diet.

The Can. Society headquarters is 43 St. George St., Toronto. Write there for any advice. Canada's death rate from cancer is 12,000 per year; 1 out of 9 die of cancer; this could be reduced 50%, or at least 35%.

Dr. C. C. Ross was a weekend guest of Dr Royden Burnett.

Mr and Mrs Jas. J. Robertson, Dorchester, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Olive Verduin, to Charlie Gordon, son of the late Dr. G. R. and Mrs Miller of Owen Sound. The marriage will take place in September.

Upper School Results, Durham High School

Thomas Connolly—Eng. Comp. C; Margaret Edge—History, 2; Muriel Gibson—Eng. Comp. C; Ross Kearney—Eng. Lit., C; Latin A, C; Latin C, 3; Fr. A, 2; Fr. C, 1; Jean McGirr—Trig. 3; Fr. A, C; Fr. C, C; Cath. McMeekin—Eng. Comp. C; Eng. Lit., 2; Margaret Moore—Hist., C; Alg. 1; Latin A, C; Latin C, C; Fr. A, 3; Fr. C, 1; Doris Pratt—Hist., 2; Alg. 2; Trig. 2; Latin A, C; Latin C, C; Fr. A, 3; Fr. C, 3; Janet Robb—Hist., 2; Fr. A, C; Geo Prue—Hist., C.

COMING EVENTS

HOT DINNER

A four course piping hot dinner will be served in Knox United church Lurham, on Sept. 2nd at 6.30 p.m. A program of colored movies follows the dinner. Some twenty prizes of various products will be given to lucky contestants. Admission 25c.

Knox Church, Normanby will celebrate their 80th anniversary Sunday and Monday, August 27th and 28th. Sunday services will be conducted by the popular pastor of the congregation, Rev. H. Kaye, at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Monday evening at 8.00 p.m., a concert will be given by the Shields Family, followed by lunch. Admission 20c and 15c.

Rupture Expert Here

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