

DELTA U.C.W.

The Delta U.C.W. held their Christmas meeting at the lovely home of Mrs. Willard, where they were warmly welcomed by President Irma For the Beauty of Chant. the Christmas was read and the purpose repeated in unison. The roll call reported 2 hospital and 7 home visits.

The devotional, of which Irene Goodsell and Vivian Morris were in charge, opened with Come All Ye Faithful." scriptures were read, offering fun project and received and dedicated. Kathryn Powell treated the ladies to a piano solo. Christmas prayer was read, as was a story about "The Littlest Shepherd."

Minutes of the last meeting and Treasurer's report were read and accepted. Edith Woods, a member of the Nominating Committee, reported that the officers would keep their same positions for another year. When our business was concluded, each member gave a Christmas verse. Kathryn Powell closed our meeting with prayer.

While the ladies enjoyed a tasty lunch served by Mrs. Willard, Irene put a tape on of carols which were enjoyable. On January 10, a not so nice winter's day, members 3 visitors held their meeting at the cosy home of Mr. & Mrs. Lester. A11 were welcomed by the President, who read "On the Threshold of Time" and led in the repeating of our Purpose. The roll call reported 3 hospital and 5 home visits.

Kathryn Powell, having the devotion, chose as her topic "China" and read a story entitled "From the Ricefields to a Printing Plant in 18 Months." Kathryn led us in the singing of "Let us with a Gladsome Mind" sung to a Chinese tune and closed in prayer.

Minutes of the last meeting and treasurer's report were read and accepted. Offering was received and dedicated, along with our fun project, leprosy fund and annual dues.

For our program, we were shown videos of China, which were narrated in such detail by Mr. & Mrs. Lester. They spent 6 weeks there and so had lots to show, but with time being limited at our meeting, they had to cut it short. Some of the many cities we viewed were - Bejing, Shanghei, Chungking & Xian. We sure went on a terrific Thanks again to the tour! Lesters. Everyone enjoyed

lunch and a time of fellowship. Our next meeting will be in the Sunday School rooms hope to see you there!

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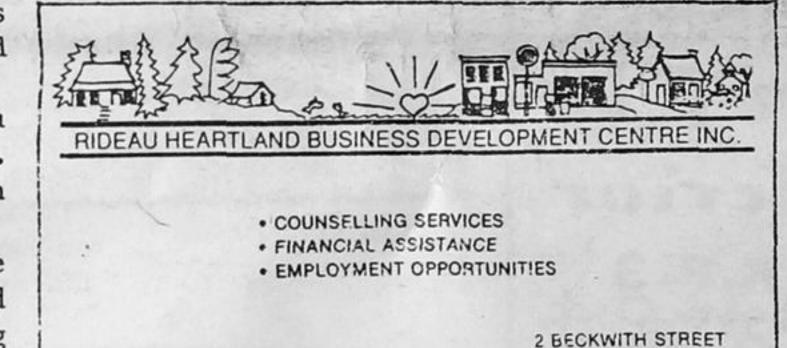
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Your Council at Work Bastard and South Burgess

The Christmas rush and the joyous season is over and anticipate a prosperous and rewarding New Year.

By now everyone is aware that our Reeve, Arch been elected Ostrom, has the United Warden He is the first Counties. Reeve of Bastard and South Burgess in 42 years to hold this position. We are sure that you will wish to join Council Members and staff in congratulating Arch. We are pleased and proud that has brought this honour to the Township.

Instead of the usual brown bag lunch, the staff held their annua1 turkey Christmas dinner during lunch break at the December 4th meeting, Council members were invited and enjoyed the delicious home cooked meal. What a treat!

Committees have been appointed for 1990 and the confirming members sent letters. A Policy and Procedure Manual for each Committee is being prepared by the respective members. documents These when. should greatly completed facilitate the smooth functioning and productivity of our Committees.

While the topic of on Committees, there are some wonderful volunteers in the Municipality give who unstintingly of time and energy to make this area a better place to live. They deserve a big thank you from all of us. Once again, Volunteer a Appreciation Night is being planned - more information will be forthcoming.

A letter was received from Cablesystems Inc. re: an application to provide cable service to Delta and Phillipsville. The company form of a letter. the Perhaps these two cable service.

Once more budget time is

Council is busy upon us. trim Committee trying to budgets and Department before these are amalgamated into the overall budget. Business assessment has been lost, resulting in a much smaller tax base, but the same level of service must be maintained and, costs are rising. Of course, you've seen the rumours in the paper of the school boards double digit raise in their needs. Over this, we have no control.

Not wanting to leave you on a dismal note, here's the report on Waste management - the top priority topic these days. To extend the life of our sites and to meet Ministry requirement we are working on a pass book which each ratepayer must present when using the site. It will be enclosed with your interim tax bill and is subject to revision. No doubt the corrections necessary will soon become evident! Please, please help us to extend the life of our disposal sites - to truck the refuse away would cause astronomical costs.

There is no charge for ratepayers using the sites, but there are some exceptions. All rules and regulations will be in your book and must be pass followed.

application for the Recycling Grant is being to processed provide funding containers, for promotion and hauling Hopefully by next costs. month the amount available will be known.

Also, two able volunteers, Lois Mowat, Portland and Alf Cassidy, Chantry, are representing our Township the County Waste Committee. Management Council has Already received two reports from them.

sought our support in We hope by the time you applying for a licence from read this you have taken the CRTC, which we gave in advantage of the outdoor rinks at Chantry, Portland Be positive and Delta. communities will soon have about winter, enjoy the wonderful scenery, the cold fresh air and the outdoor activities of our beautiful Bastard and South Burgess.

TOWNSHIP OF BASTARD AND SOUTH BURGESS - TAX NOTICE

By By-Law No. 756 passed January 22, 1990 Interim Taxes will be due March 26, 1990. The Mill Rate established for the Interim billing will be 40% of last year's mill rate.