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**SOUTH CROSBY**

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB #577**

Twenty-three members answered the roll call on Monday, June 10 after our usual bountiful pot luck dinner along with birthday cakes for Mildred Burtch, Helen Burtch, June Gamble and Alice Fortier. President Lawrence opened the meeting with O Canada, a moment's silence in memory of Eva, Mary and Norma, followed by the Lord's Prayer. Congratulations were extended to Lewis and Rhea Warner in honour of their 56th Anniversary. Sarah read the minutes of the May meeting and thank you notes from the Carbino and Baxter families. Nina gave the treasurer's report and Daisy quoted the proceeds from the successful afternoon euchres which we hope will resume in the fall. Mary Yeatman presented the estimate for new drapes to be installed which was accepted by all present. Everyone turned in their miles walked for the Space Walk. We go on a bus trip June 13 to Ottawa to Civilization of Man Museum and a boat cruise. Then to Brockville June 19 to the Zone Rally. See you in September. Happy Holiday!

June Gamble  
**Members walked 392 miles in 'Space Week 2000' during fitness week.**

**ELGIN UCW**

Our UCW enjoyed a dinner meeting for June with 36 present. The President, Marjorie Earl welcomed everyone. Marion Seeley was presented with a hand-made quilt made by the UCW as a retirement gift. The worship was taken by Marjorie Earl, Jean MacIntyre, Doris Summers, Millie Simpson and Lydia Tackaberry. The offering was taken and dedicated by Doris. Millie had paper handouts in fruit shapes. We were to write on them "What amazing thing would you like the Lord to do in your life to-morrow or to-day". A memorial service was held for Eva Baxter, Mary Pritchard and Norma Shanks who died recently. Lydia gave the benediction. The business opened with reading of the May minutes by Secretary, Lydia Tackaberry. Correspondence was dealt with and several items will be discussed in the fall when we reconvene. Reports were given by: Treasurer, Enid Soper; Social Convener, Eleanor Taylor; Supply & Service, Sandra Freeman; Literature, Loree Smith; Flower & Gift, Leorene Hayes. We will have a bake sale on July 13 at the church. For our September meeting several organizations in the area will be invited as we plan a special speaker. The program portion was about the Delta Mill. Anna Greenhorn and Susan Hoaker had the presentation. Irene Martin thanked them for the information given and plans the Delta Mill Society has for the future. The meeting closed with the benediction.

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The UCW met May 14, 1991 at the church - 25 members and 1 guest were present. President, Marjorie Earl opened the meeting with a reading. "A Powerful Base" taken from the Upper Room Prayer followed. The worship was taken by Elsa Emmons, Marg Hendrick and Daisy Coon. The theme was Mother's Day Family Life. Elsa and Marg had suitable readings. Daisy read Scripture from Proverbs. The hymn "Happy the Home When God is There" was sung with Marion Seeley as pianist. The offering was taken by Enid Soper and dedicated. Prayer closed the worship. For the program we had a guest speaker. Ann Dack of the Leeds, Lanark & Grenville Health Unit gave a very informative talk on "Aids". She dispelled a lot of myths about how you may become infected with the disease. She stressed the importance of the public being educated concerning the facts. Several questions were asked by members following her presentation. The disease is new to America - 1981 - with no known cure to date. Secretary, Lydia Tackaberry read the minutes of the April meeting to open business. Several reports by chairpersons were given: Treasurer, Enid Soper; Social/Convener, Eleanor Taylor; Supply & Service, Sandra Freeman; Literature, Loree Smith; Flower & Gift, Leorene Hayes. Marjorie had peace ribbons for us to write on which will be sent to Korea later. Her Happiness File and Remembrance Book had several contributions. Roll call for June is used stamps. Also our dinner meeting then will be catered to by Petals Restaurant and be held in the Church. The meeting closed with the singing of a chorus. The social hour followed and was enjoyed. Lydia Tackaberry

**45TH BIRTHDAY FOR**

**RIDEAU CHAPTER 234 OES**

The appointment, by Mrs. Shirly Lamond Worthy Grand Matron, of Mrs. Anna Dixon Worthy Matron of Rideau as a Grand Representative of Ontario capped the recent dinner and reception celebrating Rideau's 45th Birthday. A beautiful tribute to Rideau was made by District Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Edith Jenkins who recalled many highlights of the past 45 years. In responding, Mrs. Mary Davies Past District Deputy Grand Matron and a Charter Member, spoke of the wonderful years of fellowship she has enjoyed as a member of the Eastern Star. The attendance of Charter Members, Freda Tempest, Mary Davies, Gladys Robb, Ada Sharpe, Marion Kenny, and Helen Sweet made the evening very special. St. Lawrence Chapter 229, Gananoque, who were co-hosts for the evening were also delighted to have their Mrs. Laura Kerr invited to be a member of the Drill Team at the forth coming Grand Chapter Session in Toronto. In an evening of fellowship and reminiscing Past District Deputy Grand Matrons of District 13 Mary Davies, Viola Calbeck, Norma Guthrie, Gladys Hunter, Bethel McCallum, Marjorie Jackson, and Francis Thurlow were recognized and welcomed on this special occasion. Sharing in the celebration Mrs. Anna Dixon Worthy Matron, Rideau Chapter and Mrs. Helen Greenlees, Worthy Matron, St. Lawrence Chapter were happy to welcome everyone and to bestow honorary memberships on Mrs. Shirly Lamond Worthy Grand Matron and, Mr. Lloyd Churchill Worthy Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Ontario. Other Grand Officers in attendance were Mrs. Peggy Kirkpatrick Associate Grand Matron, Mr. Gerald Hubbard Grand Marshal, Mrs. Ursula Paxton, Grand Esther, Mrs. Nancy Walker, Electa, and Mr. Norman Roberts, Grand Sentinel. Past Grand Patrons, Mr. George Pike and Mr. Norman Dobbins were on hand to help with the celebrations as were Mr. Dean Steinburgh Grand Trustee, Mr. Morris Black Grand Chapter Committee Member Estarl and Mrs. Barbara Leighman Grand Representative to Pennsylvania in Ontario. Held at the Elgin Lions Club and catered by Phillippsville WI, the hall was decorated with bunnies and table favours all in pink and blue which were made by members of the hosting Chapters. Flowers were donated by Mrs. Helen Greenlees and Mrs. Rita Jones. A beautiful cake made and decorated by Mrs. Joyce Simpson was enjoyed by all.

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