Friends N' Neighbours

by Jessie Miller

Mr. and Mrs. James Ferns of Main St. N. have returned to their home after spending a winter holiday in Ogdensburg and Montreal.

Mrs. George Jackson of Kitchener spent part of last week at the Presbyterian Manse and visiting her sister, Mrs. Mae Musclow, a patient in West Haldimand General Hospital, Hagersville.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parsons, who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Allison Jeffrey included Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jeffrey of Scarborough, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Jeffrey of Caledon Hills, Mrs. David Jeffrey of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Booth and son Douglas of Hamilton.

Mrs. George Hedges returned home last week after spending six weeks in Calgary with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mink.

Mrs. John Fleming of Elizabeth St. has returned to her home in Jarvis after being treated in Hagersville Hospital for a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Montague who left for California immediately after the Minstrel Show, are home again, with Margaret at the organ in Knox Church again on April 1st. Her daughter, Barbara Harrop acted as supply while they were away.

Mrs. Chys Vandergaast of Church St. returned to her home last week after having spent some time in West Haldimand Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aiken of Barrie were in Jarvis on Saturday.

Mrs. Maria Moser of Hagersville who has been caring for Mrs. A. A. Miller for the past two years, gave up her position on March 31. She is planning an air trip to her native land and will leave for Lucerne, Switzerland about the first of May, where she will spend from 4 to 6 weeks with her brothers and sisters there. She plans to return to Hagersville.

Mrs. Murray Biggar of Walpole will be caring for Mrs. A. A. Miller and arrived on Saturday.

On Thursday night the Rev. Frank Kipe, missionary Bishop of Zambia B.I.C. Church, now home on furlough at Waynesboro, Penn., gave a very interesting talk and showed slides of Zambia and the territory under his leadership.

The Progressive Conservative Association held a meeting in Cheapside Hall on Friday night.

Mrs. Stanley Schweyer is recovering from a fall sustained some time ago.

The Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Sider enjoyed the trek to the sugar bush on the Frank Peart Farm on Saturday for pancakes and maple syrup.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pond spent the winter break holiday in Spain, with one day each in Portugal and Morocco.

Mrs. S. R. Leatherdale, who has been at home for a few weeks, returned to West Haldimand General Hospital on Monday.

Congratulations are in order to Mr. Chris Montague who will celebrate his 80th birthday on March 9.

Miss Debora Taylor-Munro, Technologist at St. Catharines General Hospital, was at home over the weekend.

Miss Janice Parkinson C.C.W. of Beach Grove Hospital, Kingston and Mr. Jim Parkinson of Sudbury were weekend visitors with Mrs. Margaret Parkinson and Mr. Paul Parkinson at Varency.

A shower was held on Friday night for Bonnie Franklin at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Franklin. It was given by her twin sisters Beverley and Barbara.

Mrs. Elva Climenhaga of Stevensville is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ida Heise and nieces Marjory and Louella (Mrs. Roger Lofthouse).

Mrs. Bell Fisher of Vancouver who spent the winter in Cleveland, visited her cousin Mrs. Maude Barnes, along with her daughter Mrs. McDermitt of Burlington before returning to Vancouver. Mrs. Fisher, formerly a resident of Jarvis, will be remembered as Bell Williams.

Mr. Bert Fallis has returned from Norfolk General Hospital in Simcoe.

Mr. J. Stan Mitchell is still a patient in West Haldimand Hospital, except for two hours each afternoon when he is allowed in his office to look after routine business.

Derrick, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mitchell, is also confined in Hagersville Hospital in an oxygen tent. It is hoped that he will be on the road to recovery by the time this paper is published.

The neighbours of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Anderson surprized them on the evening of March 29th, the real date of their 25th wedding anniversary, and spent an enjoyable time with old friends.

The executive of the Jarvis Cancer Society have again met to plan for the Cancer Tea and bake sale to be held at 2 p.m. April 14 in the I.O.O.F. Hall. Envelopes will be mailed to all citizens in Jarvis and District so that donations may be donated. A receptacle will be placed in the Bank of Commerce for same.

Annual "Veterans' Night" Held

by Evelyn Brown

One of our outstanding events of Silver Star Rebekah Lodge for 1973 was the annual Veterans' Night arranged by the present Noble Grand, Hilda Awde.

The meeting was opened by Past Noble Grand, Edna McEown who held the office of Noble Grand during 1960-61. She was supported by a number of her officers who were able to be present for the evening. Following the regular opening, the presiding Noble Grand reviewed the Lodge activities of her term as Noble Grand after which the chairs were vacated and the current officers conducted the business at hand.

Noble Grand, Hilda Awde extended a cordial welcome to everyone, especially to those attending from a distance, Niagara Falls, Port Dover, Harriston and Hagersville.

Announcement was made of the installation of a telephone in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Several items of communication were read including an invitation from Uplift Lodge, Port Rowan to attend their birthday celebration on April 23, the official visit of the District Deputy President, Peggy Evans to Jarvis on April 24, and the Rebekah Rally at Grace United Church, Port Dover, April 28. Also the annual "At Home" of Forward Rebekah Lodge, Hagersville on March 29.

Arrangements were announced to cater to the boys hockey banquet in the banquet room on Friday evening March 30.

As this was the evening that all Past Noble Grands are honored, they were escorted to the altar as their names were read, with special tribute being given to them for past service. Each one was presented with a gift from the Lodge. Grace White was soloist for the occasion, accompanied at the piano by Jessie Cripps.

An appropriate memorial service was held remembering our departed members.

Edna McEown, Past Noble Grand, remembered all her supporting officers with a gift of appreciation for support during the year. She read a letter from Mary Warren of Thorold, who was Recording Secretary during her term, of her regret that she was unable to attend.

Entertainment and refreshments arranged by the March committee concluded a most memorable Veterans' Night.

Selkirk Brownie News

Brownies of the First Selkirk Pack met at the Selkirk Hall March 26th and many brought their mothers for the ceremony. When a girl first starts going to Brownies, she is called a Tweenie and has many things to learn in order to pass her Brownie test which means she can be enrolled as a real Brownie.

The girls had their regular opening with the Brownie Ring, inspection and collection of the gold by the fairy queen, who for this meeting was Joanne Blacquier.

Brown Owl, Mrs. Wayne Lindsay introduced Mrs. A. Sabiston of Dunnville, who is commissioner for Warren Division (Haldimand and Norfolk counties) and Miss Marilyn Burke of Hagersville who is Commissioner for the Hagersville District.

Tawney Owl, Mrs. Ron Hamilton, then went out of the room with all the Tweenies and Mrs. Sabiston joined Mrs. Lindsay. A knock was heard at the door and a Brownie brought in a Tweenie, introduced her to Mrs. Sabiston, explaining that she wanted to become a Brownie. After saying her Law and promising to do her duty to God, the Queen and country and to help other people every day, the Commissioner pinned on her Brownie pin, congratulated her and welcomed her into the Pack.

Enrolled were Kimberly Anderson, Cathy Bassindale, Lianne Bettman, Lisa Cole, Cheryl Erwin, Vicky Hamilton, Lynn Kurtz, Arlene Lake, Kim Louden, Joanne Schott, Dana Thompson and Marci White.

Miss Burke then presented Bonnie Booker, Susan Heastont, Veronica Reaney, Lisa Thomspon and Valerie Willis with their Golden Bar badge. Some tests in this badge include knowledge and care of the Canadian flag, three nature items of interest and doing specific duties at home. Donna Lynn Fredreikson was absent, but will receive her badge at the next meeting.

After a rousing game of the Royal Duke of York, a lunch of doughnuts and freshie and coffee was served by the Brownies.

During Pow Wow, Brown Owl told the girls that leaders are needed for the Pack and also that cookie day will be May 5th.

The evening closed with Brownie Taps with the leaders, Commissioners and Packie (a Girl Guide helper) Jackie Heastont helping to form the Brownie Ring.

Peter Laidlaw Elected

Peter Laidlaw of Hagersville was elected director of Caledonia Community Credit Union at the annual membership meeting Saturday, March 24. Mr. Laidlaw, who is the Clerk of Oneida Township, succeeded Arnold Corlis, who did not run for another term. All other directors and committee members were re-elected.

Ed Butikofer, General Manager, told members that the credit union had $4,900,135 in assets at year-end, a growth of 63.4% over the previous year. Members' savings went up 66.8% and loans outstanding were up 61.6%. Members held shares of $457,053 on which a 5 1/2% dividend was declared.

Elizabeth Williams, Loans Manager, reported 1008 loans were made during the year for $2,943,736. Most of these loans were to consolidate debts and buy cars and household goods. Special note was made of a 206% gain in mortgages, a relatively new field for the Credit Union.

A new report at the annual meeting was from the Hagersville Branch Manager. Cathie Laidman reported 207 new accounts in the five month period that the branch has been open, as well as 66 approved loans for $122,915.

Residents of the area own and operate the Credit Union which is chartered and supervised by the provincial government.

Offices of the Credit Union are at 22 Caithness East in Caledonia and King Street East in Hagersville.

Bowling Scores

Lazy Daisies 89
Whizzers 81
Lucky Strikes 79
Pufnstuffs 87
Bumpers 88

Women's High Single, Ruth Hagan, 282 pts.

Women's High Triple, Ruth Hagan, 725 pts.

Women's High Average, Diane Blundell, 200 pts.

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Annie Get Your Gun

Annie Get Your Guns was presented at Hagersville Secondary School last Thursday, Friday and Saturday. (Staff Photo)

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Christian Reformed Ladies Entertain

by Jessie Miller

A very enjoyable evening was spent on March 29th when women members of all local denominations were the guests of the women of the Christian Reformed Church in the basement of the Christian School.

A feeling of warm fellowship prevailed throughout the evening. The Chairman Mrs. M. Stroobosscher opened the meeting by announcing the hymn "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," after which she read a splendid article on the shortcomings of even the most devoted Christians. The choir of six ladies sang two hymns, "Take time to be Holy" and "God Lifted Me," accompanied on the piano by Miss Ann Heidbuurt.

The Chairman then introduced Rev. Peter Brouwer, pastor of Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church, Jarvis who stated that his subject had been assigned to him "What Jesus means to me." He stated that when Christ is accepted, Christ becomes the centre instead of self - I am dead, crucified with Christ who lives in me - I have died physically but still live spiritually. The sting of death is taken away. At the end of time the body will rise also.

The Christian is the Bride of Christ. The Christian lets Christ rule his life. When we are weakest, He is our strength - With Paul one may say Thanks be to God who givith me the victory.

The choir again sang (this time with guitar accompaniment) "We Thank Thee Oh God" and "Revive us again." All were then asked to accompany the choir in singing "Um ba yah" to the clapping of hands.

Discussion on "How do we know we are doing the will of God" followed by a reading by Mrs. Aren VanderMolen on "The people right next door" which was very timely in that we tend to send our givings abroad when people right at home need help.

The Chairman closed the meeting with prayer and a tasty lunch. A social hour followed.

Mrs. Ralph Gowan thanked the ladies of the Christian Church for their kind hospitality.

With Pen In Hand

UNCLE SAM'S NEPHEW

Uncle Sam's nephew, Little Johnny Canuck,
Famous for some game with a stick and a puck
Let his great Uncle play with his game,
But Uncle Sam bought it; he's got it; it won't be the same.

Now this great Uncle will claim the game as his own.
But will Johnny cry? No, Johnny won't cry.

Now Uncle Sam controls his little nephew,
All his factories, his businesses and probably you.
Uncle Sam commands all that was Johnny's,
From the Maritimes cod to the Douglas fir trees.

Now Johnny, my friend, is at a dead end,
But will Johnny fight? No, Johnny won't fight.

FIGHT! ! ! ! !

SPRING FASHION

Dorel's and Bill's Men's Wear presented the fashion show which was sponsored by the Hagersville Kinette Club. Models pictured here are Kathryn Woolley, Don Laidlaw and Karen Norval.

Suits are definitely in for this spring. Modelling two variations here are Dorothy Laurie and Norma Foster.

Elaine Meehan and Wendy Kramer are shown here wearing pant outfits they modelled for Thursday's fashion show. (Staff Photo)

Brenda Lee Heaslip and Sandy Heaslip modelled little girl fashions at a fashion show in Hagersville Thursday night. (Staff Photo)