

Six-Eight Club Meets

Hosting the January meeting of the Six-Eight Club was Mrs. Dorothy Quantry, with the new Presiding Jo Gibson opening the meeting.

She read Herb Martindale's "Little Pink Riding Hood" to the nine members present, who then answered the Roll Call by paying dues for the new year. The February visitors are Tina VanderMarel and Jane Romkes.

Following a discussion, it was decided to celebrate the Club's

Birthday Party at Enzo's on February 14. This will be the same procedure as previous, with dinner at seven and a social evening following at the Ebert's home. The birthday cake will be the responsibility of Priscilla Emslie and Jo Gibson for this event.

Preparation of the various programs for the coming year was the main business for the meeting. Mrs. Ruth Holyoak extended thanks to the hostess and luncheon committee on behalf of the members.

Local Girl Wins \$100

A local girl, who is a second-year student at Conestoga College in Kitchener, has been selected as the grand prize winner in the annual CHYM Radio "Christmas Card Contest."

Nancy Quantry's entry, depicting a figure of Christ, reflected in the face of a woman, with the caption, "Christmas reflects on You," was the entry judged best, from the hundreds received.

Merchants of the Stanley Park Shopping Centre in Kitchener sponsored the contest, and presented the \$100 prize to Nancy.

This winning entry was published as CHYM Radio's Official Christmas Card Greeting for 1973.

Nancy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Quantry of R.R.3, Hagersville.

HAGERSVILLE Highlights

Brownies Enrolled

The First Hagersville Brownie Pack held a special ceremony in the Hagersville I.O.O.F. Hall at Hagersville on Wednesday, January 30. Guests upon arrival, were greeted at the door by Dianne Dykstra and Francis Dykstra and Nancy Thomas assisting with cloakroom duties. Guests were ushered to their seats by Tracy Herkimer and Debby Dawdy.

The District Commissioner Miss Marilyn Burke, was introduced to those present by Patti Hagan. Thirteen girls had been working hard at being excellent Tweenies and were now ready to be enrolled into the Pack by Brown Owl, Mrs. Lois Gordon, who was assisted by Tawny Owl, Mrs. F. Bergman.

Standing beside the Toadstool each girl

made her assigned Promises. Following their enrollment, Jennifer Bennet, Stephanie Bennet, Brenda Lee Heaslip, Shelly LaForme, Wendy McCurdy, April Myke, Beverly Nixon, Brenda Nixon, Jackie Tobicoe, Lorrie Turton, Dorthea Warriner, Chandrika Weeresingha, and Devika Weeresingha, all were congratulated.

Singing games were played and lunch was served by those Brownies who are working on their Golden Hand Badge. Thanks was extended by Kim Fess and the meeting closed with Taps.

Hagersville Police Report

The following is the Hagersville Police Report for January.

The officers of the Hagersville Police Force had a very busy month investigating a total of 13 motor vehicle collisions; nine reportables and four non-reportables. There were two persons injured and heavy property damage totalled for the month. Under the H.T.A. 21 charges; three charges for "no insurance"; two charges under the traffic by-law, 34 traffic warnings issued and nine parking tags were issued.

The criminal occurrences were still high, recording several assaults, thefts and wilful damage. A total of 13 charges were laid under the Criminal Code. No shop-breaking or House-breaking occurrences, no auto or bicycle thefts were reported, but two persons

were arrested for other forces, 14 summonses served for other forces, eight requests for assistance answered and three investigations carried out for other forces. Seven charges were laid under Liquor Control Act.

There were 183 General occurrences recorded, two premises found insecure, two requests for unoccupied house checks, no children or adults reported missing and the officers patrolled a total of 4,418 miles in the department auto.

MESSAGE: This time of season it is a common habit to leave your motor vehicle running, unlocked, while at home, store and place of employment. If it is a habit you cannot break; What about a second key? The vehicle could be left running, but locked-up!

H.S.S. Report

It's winter carnival week at Hagersville Secondary School. Tonight (Thursday, February 14), some members of the Hamilton Tiger Cats will be at the school to take on the coaches and members of last year's Basketball Team in a special game.

Tickets at the door will be \$1.25, while tickets purchased in advance will be \$1.00.

Lucky Winner

The Hagersville Carpet Centre, King Street West, Hagersville recently announced that Stella Rayner of Box 536, Hagersville was the lucky winner in their recent January Sale Lucky Draw.

Fire Calls

On Wednesday morning February 6 at 8:45 Hagersville Volunteer Firemen received a call to the home of Mrs. Louella Montour, 71, on the Second Line of the Six Nations Reserve.

The home is situated approximately two and one-half miles west of Number 6 Highway, between Hagersville and Willow Grove.

Volunteer firefighters saved a refrigerator, freezer, television and some bedding but much of the clothing was either burned, damaged by smoke or water-logged.

"The only thing we were able to determine was the fire started by the chimney in the attic", stated Six Nations Fire Chief Ken General, whose Fire Department also responded to the call. He further estimated dam-

age to the building and the contents which were not intended to be around \$10,000. Fire damage to the western side of the house was quite extensive, with smoke and water damage to the remainder of the house. However, the house is repairable.

The Brantford Expositor of February 6 stated Caledonia and Hagersville Fire Departments refused to answer calls on the Six Nations Reservation.

This is definitely not true as far as the Hagersville Firemen are concerned, stated Hagersville Fire Chief William McClarty, "we've never turned down a house fire call yet, as there might be someone inside." Those left homeless are presently with the Willie Montour family, but Mrs. Montour is hopeful that another place to live will be located soon.

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Heart Canvass Underway

Volunteer canvassers in Hagersville have begun collecting for the Heart Fund. Receipts to date amount to \$146. Area residents wishing to donate may do so at the Imperial Bank of Commerce.

Help Your Heart Fund, Help Your Heart.

History Of Hagersville

GENERAL HOSPITAL

The hospital had its beginnings with the help of Dr. Hyde, Laird Miller and several groups in the community. It was dedicated in the early 1960's and a hospital was located in West Haldimand, and due to its central location in the western section of the county, Hagersville was chosen.

The two storey fifty-bed hospital was designed by the Architectural firm Shore and Moffat and built at a cost

of one million dollars, financed partly by local people and two thirds from government money. The building was completed in the spring of 1964 and had its grand opening on March 1, 1964, followed by a tour of the building. The minister of health, Mathew Dymond, cut the ribbon at the opening ceremony.

The first patient admitted that day was Sandy Schwyer, and the first child born there was David Sloat, son of Marilyn and Carl Sloat on March 2.

The third floor was added to the building in November, 1967 bringing the total number of beds in the hospital to eighty.

Administrators of the hospital have been: C.C. Paylor, 1964 - 1969; W. Van de Ven, 1970 - 1972; B. A. Bohan, 1970 - present.

The Women's Auxiliary operate a coffee shop on the ground floor of the hospital, where lunches are served for visitors, and an assortment of gifts may be purchased for patients in the hospital.

Branch 164 Member Seeks Mideast Post

A dozen Hamilton Army Reservists are getting fed up with being what they call "Saturday soldiers" and have volunteered for a six month tour of duty in the Middle East with the United Nations peace-keeping force.

They are members of the Royal Hamilton Light Infantry and the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders Reserve units who have volunteered for duty with Canada's contingent in Egypt.

The Defence Ministry announced recently that for the first time, the Militia will make up 10

per cent of the Canadian forces serving in the Middle East. One of the group of twelve is a member of Canadian Legion Branch 164 at Hagersville, Captain Peter Gelling, age 28. He said this decision was made out of duty to his country. "It is a part of the function of the Militia to support the regular forces, and that is what I am hoping to do".

Mr. Gelling sees the Peace keeping role in Egypt as a chance to prove to himself that his twelve years experience as an Argyll have been most worthwhile.

Sunshine Club

On Thursday, February 7th, thirty-three Seniors responded to the bright sunshine, the lure of a good card game and a general happy afternoon of good fellowship.

Congratulations to the boss prize winners Mrs. Edna Fallis, Mrs. Winnie Preston, Mr.

Freeman Field and Mr. Howard Krouse.

A draw was made for the February door prize, donated by one of the lady members, Mr. Howard Krouse held the lucky match.

Mrs. Pearl Marr and Mrs. Evelyn Brown graciously accepted full honors for their creative endeavours in full charge of the lunch.

On Thursday, February 14th 12 o'clock sharp the card tables will do a quickie and become a Valentine banquet bearer of the members choice cuisine pot-luck delights.

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Communications Festival Held

Six area finalists competed to see who would represent Haldimand County in the Zone level at the City of Hamilton on Saturday, February 13 at 2 p.m.

This Oral Communications Festival which is a co-operative program by the Ontario Public School Trustees Association and Ontario Hydro, was held in the Cayuga Secondary School Gymnasium on Wednesday evening, February 6.

Chairman for the event, Mr. Harry Howald, said there are presently 28 Elementary Schools in Haldimand County which were divided into Three Sections for preliminary competitions, with two representatives speaking from each of these pre-run-offs.

Representing Section #1, was Oneida and Caledonia Schools; Section #2 - Jarvis and Parkview Schools, and #3, St. Michael's and Fairview of Dunnville.

He stated the English program in schools emphasized the good qualities in a student's reading, their speaking and thinking, which was all displayed at these Oral Communications Festivals.

Winning the evening competition was twelve year old Sydney Allan of Oneida Central, a grade 7 student whose topic was "Being A Kid" and said "kids certainly

have their ups and downs, BUT mostly up he thought". His chosen book for a section of reading as designated by a judge, was "The Grizzly". Allan's sponsoring teacher was Mr. Small.

Placing second was grade 8 student Jean Reu, 13, of Jarvis, whose speaking topic was "The Family Circle." She said "living at their house was like being on a big merry-go-round", and closed with "Let us all start to care about our families and brag a little". Her book was "Jonathan Livingston Seagull" with sponsoring teacher being, Mr. Mackereth.

The other four students who competed were Karen Esselment, 12, a grade 8 student at Parkview, teacher Mrs. Thorpe, speech topic - "Gossip"; and book "The Pearl"; Sharon Wei, 12, a grade 8 student at St. Michael's, teacher Mr. Brophy, speech topic - "Female Revolution"; and book "Jonathan Livingston Seagull"; Michael Cannon, 11, a grade 6 student at Fairview, teacher Mrs. Teeft, speech topic "Penguins"; and book "Voyageur II"; Alison Ratchford, 12, a grade 7 student at Caledonia, teacher Mrs. Douglas, speech topic "Lucy Maude Montgomery"; and book for reading presentation, "Anne of Green Gables".

There were three sections of this competition, the speech, reading a section of the book as designated and answering questions as put forth by Mr. J. Franzen. Official time-keeper was Mr. Franzen, with judges being Mr. E.A. Smith, and Mr. D.G. Bishop, who said the judging was most difficult with only one point difference in some cases.

Trophies and suitable awards were handed the winners, as well as Silver Dollars to all competing and suitable crests which represented the Communication Contest for 1974. These were all presented by Mr. Franzen, on behalf of the Men's Teachers Association of Ontario Schools.

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