

Haldimand Library Report

The Library Board of Haldimand met on Tuesday, May 14th in the Hagersville Library and tackled a busy agenda.

Important topics on the agenda included the duties of the Secretary-Treasurer, the responsibilities of the Library Co-ordinator, and adoption of regulations for the borrower. A great deal of time was spent discussing terms of an employment policy for the libraries.

Among the duties of the Library - Co-ordinator, Mrs. Ann Corlis, are the following: she will give regular reports on the operation of the Caledonia, Cayuga and Hagersville libraries at each Board

meeting; she is the executive officer of the Board and is responsible for seeing that Board policies are being carried out in the libraries; she must insure that expenditures are kept within budget limits, and is responsible along with a Board committee, for drawing up the budget.

The Library co-ordinator will also choose and purchase books, records, periodicals and other material as needed for all libraries. It is hoped that savings can be realized with this new purchasing policy.

Regulations concerning borrowing have not changed appreciably. Memberships will be given, on application,

free to all residents of the Town of Haldimand for a two year period, effective January 1, 1975.

Membership cards from other Libraries in the Niagara Regional Library System will be acknowledged. A borrower in good standing (with no overdue books) may take out six books and/or three recordings for a two week period. All periodicals are to circulate for the two week period, with the exception of the current issue which will be available only in the library.

The Employment Policy of the Public Libraries includes monthly salary (payments) and compassionate leave on the death of a member of the immediate family. Vacation leave varies from one week after six months employment, to two weeks after one year, three weeks after five years, and four weeks

after fifteen years. Sick leave of one day per month, cumulative to a total of twenty days was included. The retirement age for all employees was set at 65 years. Employees currently employed by the Board who are affected by this policy will have individual consideration.

Mrs. Anne Corlis, Library Co-ordinator, gave her report in which she emphasized that a positive approach to the public will be the theme in all three libraries. She also reported that an Olivetti Photocopier will be installed in the Caledonia Library; this machine produces copies for ten cents a page. Special summer programs for each of the libraries are in the planning stage and will be finalized by our next meeting. Mrs. Mary Edwards has been employed as librarian in the Children's Department at the Caledonia Library.

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A few years later, Wm. Davison built the stone pillars which mark the park's two entrance ways.

The Kinsmen Club of Hagersville provided the park with a playground, and a wading pool, and in 1969,

HAGERSVILLE Highlights

Hagersville Lions Entertain Ladies

Hagersville District Lions entertained their ladies and other guests in the Hagersville Legion Hall on Tuesday evening, May 14 to a lovely roastbeef dinner.

Head table members included Lion Chief Jim Misener and wife Carol, 1st Vice Jack Willis and wife Emily, 2nd Vice - Ed Langley and wife Isabel, Secretary - Paul Personnic and wife Lois, Zone Chairman - Sid Cronk and wife Eva, and District Governor Mort Cooper.

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flowers were then presented to her. Mention was made, and appreciation given the special guests who were in attendance. This was done by Lion Doug Thomas, with guests being Leslie and Bill Hoskins, Audrey and Jiggs Montague and officers Sid Cronk and Mort Cooper. Tribute was extended to Lion Mike Davis for all his past work in the local Lions, and since his move to Aylmer he will be a definite loss to the local Club.

Lion Doug expressed thanks to the Legion ladies for their usual delicious and plentiful meal. Doris Taylor responded.

Music for the later hours of the evening was supplied by the A.J.W. trio with a Spot prize won by Lois and Paul Personnic and the lucky draw winners of the turkeys being Molly Smith and Fred Kenos.

Clanbrassil W.I.

Mrs. John Reid was hostess for the May meeting of the Clanbrassil W.I. when the new president, Mrs. Herb Roberts welcomed members and visitors. This was followed by a reading, "How we kept Mother's Day", taken from Stephen Leacock's book entitled "Laugh With Leacock".

Members of the Haldimand West W. I. will be going to the Erland Lee Home for the entire day on June 3. A gift was presented to Mrs. Tom Hunter in recognition of her receiving her Provincial Honours in Homemaking Club projects.

Mrs. Earl Piette will receive a crib blanket, since she is a new member with a recent arrival to the

family. Mrs. Victor Anderson, the program convener, called upon Mrs. Fred Smith, who in turn presented the motto, "Support your Government and it will support you".

Mrs. Roy Douglas read several interesting stories from the book "Travelling Light", by Mary Joyce Caps, - all pertaining to interesting everyday living by a mother.

A gift of appreciation was presented to Mrs. Douglas, followed by an amusing penny sale conducted by the program convener, assisted by Mrs. Craig Ebert.

President Roberts extended the courtesies to Mrs. Reid and all those assisting in the program.

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Branch 164 Elections Held

Nominations and Elections for the coming year of Branch 164, were conducted by Zone Commander, J. Taylor on Tuesday evening, May 7th in the Legion Auditorium.

President Jackson presided for the regular meeting. Due to the absence of Secretary Phillips, the minutes were read by Comrade Bob Mayor. Several Associate members introduced were Wendy Krauskopf and Nora O'Meara, with a transfer received for Comrade J. Ireland. Ordinary membership was received from Louis C. Hooykaas.

President of the ending term, Comrade Clarence Jackson, expressed sincere appreciation to all his officers and the committees for all support given him during his presidency.

The Joint - Installation for all Legion and Auxiliary officers will

be held Friday evening, May 24th in the Legion Auditorium.

Hospital Auxiliary; Mrs. Eva Hobbs, re Camp Fund; and Margaret Fleming re hess held in Hall by the Gore Women's Institute.

Comrade Ted Brooks reported on the Ways and Means Committee, stating expenditures from his efforts for the month of April covered the following: Cancer - \$100.00; Ball Park - \$100.00; Easter Seals - \$50.00; HAAA Penny Sale - \$10.00; T.V.'s Hospital - \$10.89.

A report on pricing for the floor in the front hall bathroom was moved and seconded. Public Relations Chairman Comrade A. Esselment thanked the Branch for their generosity in offering the use of the hall for the various card parties for charity, and also on behalf of the Cancer Chairman for the 1974 campaign, a thank - you was heartily given. He stated that as well as the \$100.00 donation from the Branch to cancer, the amount of \$239.08 was also raised from two hess parties and three Penny raffles (winners being Karen Esselment, Emile Cote and Ron Walsh).

Comrade J. Stinson reported on the convention when he and Comrades Brooks and Whitbread represented Branch 164. A letter was read from Minor

Baseball regarding a donation to their activities; further moved that a donation of \$300.00 be made in answer to this request; a letter from the Salvation Army requesting our sponsorship of one child for the Selkirk Camp, at a fee of \$25.00; and a request from the Minor Soccer Association for a linemarker - this letter referred to the local Recreation Committee.

Comrade J. Taylor will attend a meeting in Cayuga regarding the upcoming Legion-sponsored Bike - a - thon. A thank - you letter from Comrade D. Myke was read, thanking the Branch for the donation for the fence in the Park.

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Afternoon U.C.W. Meet

Group Leader Mrs. Jerry Hyde opened the meeting of the Afternoon U.C.W. in the Church parlour on Tuesday, May 7th.

Thirteen members and one visitor were present for the reading of "Flowers Appear Upon The Earth", after which Hymn "This Is My Father's World" was sung, with Mrs. E. James accompanying at the piano.

Mrs. Mary Hewitt read a poem, "I Think That I Shall Never See", followed by a devotional study presented by Peggy Hyde. She told of the beauty of nature all around each one of us. She read of a man who was blinded after years of sight, but he said, "God Took away my eyes and He made my soul more aware".

She stated, "like it is with so many people who have their eyes open, but are still blind to God's beauty of the trees, flowers and nature".

Mrs. Laura Swing closed in prayer, with

Mrs. Hyde stated artificial ferns for the

church and several pictures were purchased with the donation from Time Out. Mrs. Shirley Mitchell will be in charge of the June meeting.

The Junior choir gowns were discussed, with committee members being appointed to alter or repair the gowns - Mabel Wilson, Trudy Plato, Irene Johnson and Peggy Hyde.

Irene Johnson reported on the cleaning of the kitchen and the date had to be changed. Everyone repeated the Mezpah Benediction, prior to Peggy Hyde introducing Mr. A. C. Smith and his wife Mildred, who showed pictures of their recent trip to Spain.

During the commentary, Mr. Smith stated Grenada not only was noted for the beautiful architecture, but was also the gypsies capital city. He told how they boarded the plane to Madrid, then went on to Southern Spain on the Mediterranean Sea. Mrs. Smith said the weather they encountered for their entire trip was near - perfect.

Other noted places they visited included Casablanca, Morocco, etc. The Smiths were thanked for their most interesting and colorful afternoon trip in pictures, by Mrs. Vi Graham.

Mrs. Smith had various souvenirs on display which included camel - hide purses; hand - made silk coat; brass serving dish, etc.

Mrs. Aline Cunningham and Michelle of Brantford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham and Laura.

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THE HALDIMAND BOARD OF EDUCATION

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Parents are asked to register their child at the school where their community children presently attend kindergarten. Pupils must be five years of age as of December 31, 1974. Parents are requested to bring proof of age of their child as well as immunization records.

REGISTRATION SCHEDULE

May 28 - Anna Melick Caledonia Centennial	1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.	- former Oneida - former Seneca Unity Area - former Town of Caledonia
Canboro Central Dunville Central Jarvis	1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.	
J.L. Mitchener Rainham Central Seneca Central Walpole North Walpole South	9:30 - 11:30 a.m. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.	
May 29 - Fairview	9:30 - 11:30 a.m.	- former Dunn and Part of - former South Cayuga, - former Sherbrooke - former Moulton - former Town of Dunnville (Fairview Area)
Parkview	1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.	
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