



Ontario flashback

At the Erland Lee Home, on Ridge Road outside Stoney Creek, Grace Russell, of Iona Station, Ont., practises the ancient craft of spinning yarn. Mrs. Russell, incoming secretary-treasurer of the officers' conference of the Federated Women's Institutes of Ontario, was taking part in Women's Institute week, which ends tomorrow. The house,

home of the WI, is open Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., other times by appointment, all year except February.



The Sprucedale and White Oaks community gave a farewell party to retiring senior nurse, Margaret "Parky" Parkinson of Jarvis, last Friday. Dr. David Marshall (left) and John Bain (right) paid tribute to her for her many years of dedicated service. (staff photo)

Party Honors "Parky"

"Parky" - The kids all loved her and it was a privilege to work with her.

That's how the White Oaks and Sprucedale School for Boys community feels about Margaret Parkinson of Jarvis, kind and witty senior nurse at the school since 1966. Last summer she took a medical leave of absence and just recently retired.

On Thursday, staff members gave a farewell party to honor "Parky" and present her with a farewell gift, a gold watch, to remember everyone by.

John Bain, superintendent of the school from 1965 to 1973 and now regional administrator for Juvenile Institutions in Western Ontario, credited Mrs. Parkinson for being "one of the key people to help get Sprucedale and White Oaks off the ground."

Dr. David Marshall, head of Medical Services,

presented her with roses and praised her work at the school and West Haldimand General Hospital, prior to working at Sprucedale. He also paid tribute to her late husband, Kenneth Parkinson, who was a

former warden of the county.

"Parky" cut a beautifully decorated pink and white cake which was made by Sprucedale chef Charlie Robertson and wished her the best of luck.

News Of Surrounding District

Haldimand Council Names Kenneth Parkinson Warden

CAYUGA — Reeve Kenneth Parkinson, of Walpole Township, was named Warden of Haldimand County yesterday at the inaugural meeting of county council held in the court house here.

He was escorted to the warden's chair by David Featherstone, county warden in 1958, and Frank Young, reeve of Seneca Township.

A Walpole township farmer the new warden will be serving his ninth year in municipal politics and his sixth term as a member of county council.

HE WON HIS FIRST seat in 1950, Haldimand County's centennial year, and served three years as a township councillor.



KENNETH PARKINSON
Named Warden

Rev. Howard D. Smith Ordained and Inducted

Although the Presbyterian congregation in Jarvis is in its one hundred and second year, there is no record of an ordination ever having taken place in this church until Thursday evening last. At that time Howard D. Smith, B.A., a recent graduate of Knox College, having accepted a call to minister the congregations of Knox Church, Jarvis and Chalmers Church, Walpole, was ordained and inducted.

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Elizabeth Church
a. Miller
R. Bailey
Bartlett
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Bartlett.

His Porter.