

# Women

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## I.O.D.E. Soon Holds Its 58th Annual Meeting

The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire (I.O.D.E.) Canada, patron Her Majesty the Queen, have issued a brochure on national head office, 132 Lowther Avenue, Toronto. This brochure is entitled "What It Is and What It Does." It will be published in this paper in two instalments. The following is part one.

What is the I.O.D.E.? It is the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, founded in 1900. It is the largest voluntary, patriotic, non-sectarian, non-partisan, and philanthropic women's organization in Canada. Its motto is, "One Flag, One Throne, One Empire."

The Order has a membership from the Yukon to Newfoundland of more than 32,000 women in 977 chapters (May 1957). It has chapters in Bermuda and the Bahamas, and is associated with the

Victoria League in England, and the Daughters of the British Empire in the United States. All members of the I.O.D.E. are voluntary. The Order has no paid officers.

Who may belong? Any woman or girl who is a British subject and holds true allegiance to the British Crown. A group of ten or more may form a new chapter.

How is it organized? The Order is organized into Chapters: (a) Junior Chapters—(under the age of eighteen years), (b) Primary Chapters, (c) Municipal Chapters—have jurisdiction over primary and junior chapters within a locality, (d) Provincial Chapters—have jurisdiction over junior, primary and municipal chapters within a province, (e) National Chapter has jurisdiction over the Order generally.

### BURTON C.W.L.

The monthly meeting of St. Mark's Lot 7 sub-division of the C.W.L. was held in the parish hall Sunday afternoon May 4, with a good attendance of members.

The president, Mrs. Peter D. ton, presided. The meeting opened with the League prayer offered by the spiritual director Rev. J. N. Trainor.

In the absence of the secretary the minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Melvin MacGregor. Owing to the absence of the treasurer there was no financial report.

Correspondence consisted of letters from the provincial president Mrs. B. W. DesRoches, and from Prince County Catholic Welfare Agency. Social committee reported visits were made to the sick and two needy families were assisted.

It was decided to ask the "Kinkora Dramatic Club," to present their 3rd play "The Millionaire" in the parish hall in the near future. Plans were made to sponsor weekly dances in the parish hall during the summer.

The president on behalf of the members thanked Mrs. Bernard MacDonald and Mrs. Charles McInnis for a donation of artificial flowers for the Altar at Easter.

The Rev. Director addressed the meeting and explained the C.W.L. Scholarship available at S.D.L. Charlestown for Co-ed students. The president introduced to the meeting Rev. Sister Mary Eugene O.S.M. Executive Director of Prince County Catholic Welfare Agency, Summerside who gave a very interesting and constructive talk on the importance of Welfare work.

A number of posters explaining the work in detail was viewed with much interest. A vote of thanks was extended to Sister Mary Eugene by Mrs. Melvin MacGregor, seconded by Mrs. Frank Butler and presented by the president.

A very interesting meeting was brought to a close with the Act of Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Rev. Director's blessing.

### ST. CHARLES C.W.L.

On Sunday evening, April 20th, the St. Charles sub-division of the C.W.L. met to hold their annual meeting.

The director, Rev. Charles Gallant opened the meeting with prayer. The president, Mrs. William Cahill occupied the chair. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Ray Peters acted as secretary for the day.

The treasurer reported a substantial balance on hand. The spiritual convener suggested that each member receive Holy Communion on Saturday April 26, Feast of our Lady of Good Counsel.

Social Action convener read a letter of thanks from St. Vincent's Orphanage. It was decided to send ten dollars to the Catholic Welfare Bureau and five dollars to Sacred Heart program.

Membership conveners were asked to collect membership fees for the May meeting.

Four members were appointed to sweep the church. It was reported that one baptismal candle had been given out during the month.

The director, Rev. Charles Gallant gave an inspiring talk which was enjoyed by all. It was reported that Mrs. Peter Gallant act as secretary for the coming year. Meeting closed with prayer.

### TRACADIE C.W.L.

The monthly meeting of the Tracadie C.W.L. was held Sunday May 4th, with the president and eighteen members present.

The opening prayer was read by the director Fr. MacMillan. The conveners gave their reports. Fr. MacMillan spoke to the women on the progress of the Diocesan drive. The meeting was adjourned by Mrs. Lee Lund.

The annual meeting followed the monthly meeting. Minutes of the previous annual meeting were read. Mrs. Alex McDonald gave the financial statement for the year.

The conveners gave their reports. It was moved by Mrs. Phil Long and seconded by Mrs. Lee Lund that the first chicken supper be held the last Wednesday in July (30)th.

The president gave her report. It was moved by Mrs. Lee Lund and seconded by Mrs. Alex McDonald the report be adopted. The nominating committee gave their report and read the election of new officers: President, Mrs. Ray Hughes, secretary, Mrs. Jos. McQuaid, 1st. vice - president, Mrs. Bernard McGinnis, 2nd. vice - president, Mrs. James Kelly, 3rd. vice - president, Mrs. Thomas Smith, treasurer, rs. Alec McDonald.

## Souris C. W. L. Report A Most Successful Year

The annual meeting of the Souris sub-division of the Catholic Women's League was held on Sunday, April 27th, in the parish hall. The president, Mrs. J. J. MacDonald, occupied the chair and the meeting was opened by the League prayer by Rev. Father Steele. There was a large attendance of members who were cordially welcomed by the president.

The minutes of the last regular and annual meetings were read by the secretary, and were adopted as read. She then read the annual report, giving a complete outline of the work accomplished during the year. Then the following conveners gave reports which were adopted: Souris River Unit, Mrs. Francis McDonald; Souris Line Road North Unit, Mrs. Peter McInnis; Souris Line Road South Unit, Miss Helen McIsaac, Chepstow and Little Harbour Unit, Mrs. Stewart MacAulay; Red Point Unit, Mrs. Lawrence Sutherland.

Membership, Mrs. James Paquet; Sick Visiting, Mrs. John McCormac; Education, Mrs. Paul McPhee; Child Welfare and Girl Guides, Mrs. Artemas Paquet; Press, Mrs. St. Clair Paquet; Spiritual, Mrs. Joseph Campbell; The Nominating Committee brought in a slate of officers for the coming year as follows: President, Mrs. J. J. MacDonald, re-elected; 1st Vice President, Mrs. J. B. St. John, re-elected; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. John McCormac, re-elected; 3rd Vice President, Mrs. James Paquet, re-elected; Treasurer, Mrs. Paul McPhee; Secretary, Mrs. Emmett Pierce.

The officers were duly installed by Father Steele, who spoke words of appreciation for all the work done during the year for the parish, both spiritual and temporal, for assistance to the church fund and all charitable donations.

The president also thanked the members for their loyalty and whole hearted co-operation in all work undertaken, and urged them to continue to work together and so uphold the motto of the League — For God and Canada.

The meeting adjourned, with the act of consecration to the Blessed Virgin recited in unison, after which the members knelt for Father Steele's blessing. A delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge at the social hour which followed.

Mrs. St. Clair Paquet secretary of the C.W.L. of Souris sub-division gave a most comprehensive report. Ten regular and one executive meetings were held. There are now five active units doing outstanding work. The treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Campbell, reported total receipts of \$1045.15. Expenditures \$844.62. Together with the units receipts for the parish are \$2515.86 and total expenditures \$2029.79.

Many contributions were made to various causes. Mrs. Paquet closed her report by saying: "On looking over the year's work, we find that it has been a successful one from a financial viewpoint, and we have had many spiritual advantages.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who have assisted us in our endeavours, and with the same generous co-operation from every member and under the wise guidance of Rev. Director and Rev. Father Steele, we look forward with high hope for greater things in the future and we strive to uphold the motto of our league — For God and Canada.

### CORNWALL W. M. S.

Te Aril meeting of the Cornwall Auxiliary of the W. M. S. met at the home of Mrs. Earl Lowther.

The subject of the devotional period was "Women's Work in the Church." This was led by Mrs. Walter Boyle. An interesting panel discussion was conducted by Mrs. Boyle, assisted by three other members. The chapter from the study book was reviewed by Mrs. Patterson.

During the business period the minutes were heard and nineteen members answered roll call. Two quilt tops were displayed and one was given out for quilting.

The C.G.I.T. leader announced that the re-affiliation service would be held soon. A letter from the corresponding secretary was read explaining plans for Presbytery, also a letter from the literature secretary. Considerable discussion took place concerning the formation of three separate mission bands, each making its own report to headquarters but nothing was decided upon at this time. An announcement was made requesting articles for a box for Korea.

May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Waldon Lowther. The devotional leader will be Mrs. Brewer Boyle and the study period by Mrs. Harold Scott. The word for rollcall is "Mother." Lunch committee will be Mrs. Brewer Boyle, Mrs. Reg. Macdonald members. Te chapter from son. Mrs. Herlihy will provide the program.

A program, consisting of a concert conducted by Mrs. Earl Moore and piano selections by Mrs. Gregor, was much enjoyed. The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

### SPRINGVALE W.I.

The monthly meeting of Springvale W.I. was held at the home of Miss Edith MacLeod, on Tuesday evening April 8th. In absence of the president the vice-president, Mrs. Everett Clow presided and the meeting opened by singing "School Days" followed by repeating the Collect.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed. Donations for the Red Cross were handed in to the Secretary. It was reported that a water fountain had been purchased for the school.

School committee reported school needs attended to. Sick committee reported sending Easter treats and fruit sent to three who were ill.

Members decided to send membership fee of one dollar to C.A. C. Thank-you notes were read from those receiving treats. Other correspondence was read and discussed.

Eleven members renewed their subscriptions for the Institute news and one member donated to the birthday box.

Members made plans for a crokinole party for April 17th, committee in charge, Mrs. Dale Proude, Mrs. Murdoch MacSween, Mrs. Ivan Sentner and Mrs. Omar Neill.

An interesting demonstration featuring setting a table by Miss Edith MacLeod and Mrs. Golden Dollar was enjoyed by all the members. Bills were presented and paid.

May meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Dale Proude. Roll call to be exchange of flower slips or seeds. Lunch committee Mrs. Herbert Dollar, Miss Miriam Dollar, Mrs. Kenneth MacDonald and Mrs. Lester Johnston. Meeting closed by singing the "Queen" and lunch was served by the hostess and committee in charge.

ST. MARY'S ACADEMY

The following is the honor roll for St. Mary's Academy, Summerside, for March and April, Senior Department:

Grade X. 1. Salome Wedge, 2. Catherine Murphy, 3. Joan Underhill.

Grade IX A. 1. Frances Leclair, 2. Joyce Clow, 3. Carrol Clow.

Grade IX B. 1. Joan Ann Hefell, 2. Sandra Gay, 3. Lorraine Arsenault.

Grade VIII. 1. Delphine Arsenault, 2. Myrna McCormick, 3. Bernadette Trainor.

Grade VII. 1. Anette Arsenault,

2. Sylvia Bernard, 3. Marlene Olskamp.

Intermediate Department:

Grade VI. A. 1. Marsha McClellan, 2. Barbara Chlow, 3. Mary Helen Arsenault.

Grade VI B. 1. Joan Murphy, 2. Elizabeth Gaudet, 3. Lynda Olskamp.

Grade V A. 1. Diane Morrison, 2. Phyllis Gallant, 3. Annie M. Arsenault.

Grade V B. 1. Carolyn Arsenault, 2. Marion Praught, 3. Theresa Driscoll.

Grade IV Girls A. 1. Donna Sonier, 2. Mary C. Gallant, 3. Diane Richard.

Grade IV girls B. 1. Marilyn Gaudet, 2. Sandra F. Arsenault, 3. Patricia Wedge.

Grade IV Boys. 1. Ronald F. Gaudet, 2. Paul Hogan, 3. Danny McNeill.

Grade III girls A. 1. Sandra Casey, 2. Joanne Gallant, 3. Claudia Gaudet.

Grade III girls B. 1. Jean Bernard, 2. Brenda Driscoll, 3. Pauline Arsenault.

Grade III boys. A. 1. Ronald Kelly, 2. Tommy Perry, 3. Blair Gamble.

Grade III boys. A. 1. Ronald Gaudet, 2. Richard Hall, 3. Danny Trainor.

Grade II girls. 1. Sandra Allen, 2. Norah Cameron, 3. Linda Landry.

Grade II boys and girls. 1. Colleen McNeill, 2. Joyce Duffy, 3. Anne Kelly.

Grade II boys. 1. Richard Arsenault, 2. Lorne Gallant, 3. Roger Gallant.

Grade II boys. 1. Joseph Praught, 2. David Sullivan, 3. Ronald MacIntyre.

PLANES FOR BELGIUM

OTTAWA (CP)—A third group of CF-100 jet interceptors will leave Uplands Airport today for transatlantic ferrying to the Belgian Air Force under joint Canadian-American mutual aid, the air force said Tuesday. The flight of 11 will bring to 42 the number delivered. Belgium will get 53 of



## A TORONTO WEDDING

The marriage took place recently in Toronto of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edward Quillen. The bride is the former Janet

Ethel Tanton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tanton, St. Eleonors. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quillen, Toron-

to. Mrs. Celeste Wiles, sister of the groom was matron of honor and Mr. Bruce Turner was best man.

## Canada And Its People Helped Greatly By I.O.D.E.

The Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire are holding their 58th annual meeting in Halifax from May 31-June 4, 1958. The following is the second instalment taken from an I.O.D.E. brochure entitled What It Is and What It Does.

What does it do? It stimulates patriotism; fosters unity within the Commonwealth and Empire; provides an efficient organization ready for prompt and united action in times of emergency and furthers good works for the betterment of Canada and its people.

How is this done? Through the following departments:

I. Educational. The regular educational work of the Order is undertaken in co-operation with the Departments of Education with a view to developing leadership and building up a sound Canadian Citizenship by instilling into the minds of the young people of Canada an intelligent patriotism.

This is done by means of placing libraries and visual educational aids in schools and awarding Bursaries and Scholarships in schools and universities in almost every field of endeavour. School children in Canada are encouraged to correspond with children in other parts of the Commonwealth and Empire.

Approximately a quarter of a million dollars is spent each year on the work of this department.

II. War Memorials. In memory of the men and women who died in defence of the Empire in World Wars I and II, bursaries are granted in Canadian Universities and scholarships are awarded in British Universities (Overseas) for post-graduate study.

(a) First War Memorial. The I.O.D.E. has expended over a half a million dollars since 1920 in bursaries and scholarships from the First War Memorial (July, 1957). In addition, more than 400 thousand dollars is invested to maintain these overseas scholarships in perpetuity.

Since 1920 the I.O.D.E. has awarded 277 overseas scholarships from its First War Memorial Fund. These post-graduate scholarships are open to students in Canada, men or women, and are valued at \$2,000 each.

259 students were awarded I.O.D.E. bursaries in Canadian Universities, valued at \$1,200 each. These bursaries were given only to the sons and daughters of men killed or permanently and seriously disabled in the First World War.

(b) Second War Memorial. An I.O.D.E. Second War Memorial of 600 thousand dollars was inaugurated, along similar educational lines to the First War Memorial. Since 1949 the I.O.D.E. has awarded 78 bursaries for Canadian Universities—value \$1,600 each and, since 1952, 16 overseas scholarships in the Humanities—value \$2,000 each.

III. Services at Home and Abroad. Approximately half a million dollars a year is spent on the work of this department in Canada and overseas.

(a) Canada: Co-operates with government and recognized social agencies and gives emergency relief. Provides equipment to all types of hospitals and institutions, assistance to welfare camps, community centres and help to nurseries and clinics.

(b) Overseas: Shipments of clothing and bedding are sent regularly to Britain for distribution by the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association (S.S.A.F.A.) and to the British Save the Children Fund, London, England, for distribution to their Welfare Centres in Austria, Greece, Italy, British Occupied Zone in Germany, Yugoslavia, British Somaliland, Kenya, Sudan, Korea, and Malaya.

Provides amenities to veterans service personnel and their families and directs them to the proper authorities for advice and aid and provides care for military graves.

Cigarettes, books, magazines and amenities are sent to Canadian and British servicemen abroad.

(c) War Work: First Project—Boer War, 1900: The I.O.D.E.'s first undertaking was to supply comforts to Canadian soldiers who fought in the Boer War; subsequently the Order was instrumental in locating graves of Canadian soldiers, and in erecting a monument of Canadian granite in

Bloemfontein in memory of those who fell in the South African War.

World Wars I and II. Five and a half million dollars was expended on various wartime projects during World War I, 1914-1918. Six million dollars was expended on war work during World War II, 1939-45.

IV. Civil Defence. I.O.D.E. members work in close cooperation with their local Civil Defence organizations.

V. Immigration and Citizenship. Extends a welcome to immigrants both British and foreign-born; helps to arrange English and Citizenship classes and social functions; presents Naturalization Greeting Cards to new citizens and assists with Empire and Citizenship Day ceremonies.

VI. Commonwealth Relations. Promotes friendship among the nations of the Commonwealth and Empire by generous donations to their medical, educational and cultural activities. To date, India, Pakistan, Africa and the West Indies have been assisted in this manner.

VII. Hospitality. Extends greetings to distinguished persons and welcomes visitors from all parts of the Commonwealth and Empire; acts as medium for the Victoria League in Canada; has representation on Committees of Friendly Relations with Overseas Students (F.R.O.S.).

VIII. FILM. Promotes interest in good film entertainment and is a member of the Board of the Canadian Estimates of Selected Entertainment Films. Purchases prints of patriotic, cultural and educational value for use by the Order, and by other groups, including students.

IX. Empire and World Affairs. Directs and encourages within the Order, the study and better understanding of the Commonwealth and Empire and of world affairs.

X. Echoes. The I.O.D.E. national magazine, issued four times yearly features interesting developments and photographs of the Order's work, fiction, and articles on Canada and the Commonwealth and Empire.

H.M. Queen Mary's Carpet—1951. Raised \$105,000 for Britain by displaying the beautiful needlepoint carpet made by Her Majesty the late Queen Mary. Presented the Royal Carpet to the National Gallery of Canada (Ottawa) as a gift to the Canadian people.

If interested in joining a chapter of the Order, write for information to your nearest I.O.D.E. headquarters.

### LOWER MONTAGUE W.I.

The Lower Montague Women's Institute held their final card play for the season recently with twelve tables playing progressive auction.

Ladies prize won by Mrs. Albert L. Elsworth. Gentleman prize won by Mack McKinnon. Consolation prizes won by Mrs. Fred Aitken and Cecil Hicken. Door prize donated by Peter Partridge, won by Ches. Anear. Cake donated by Montague Bakery, won by Cecil Hicken. Cakes donated by Lanes Bakery, won by Sadie Millar and Howard Vatcher. Cakes donated by Enterprise Bakery, won by Russell Hicken and Mrs. Doug Beck.

Fruit cake donated by Mrs. Giddings, won by Mrs. Hazel McKinnon and Mrs. Catherine Anear. 2. Thermo bottles donated by Wm. Anear, won by Russell Hicken and Lorne Higginbotham. Proceeds of this card play donated to the Kings County Hospital.

### HOUSEHOLD HINT

Lightweight wool flannel makes a good two-piece. The skirt has a slip top under the nicely detailed blouse. This has a draped cowl neckline set inside a square yoke marked by stitching. Similar stitching is at the hem of the blouse, which is notched for easy fit. Nice in gray or navy flannel, it is a useful general-wear number.

Easiest way to putty windows is to mix the putty with paint the color of the frames. This eliminates the tedious job painting the putty afterwards.



### NEW SHOES

BY VERA WINSTON

SMART new footprints are being made by flat shoes that aren't quite so flat as they were formerly. Here is one of the new flatties, in yellow suede with slightly higher and narrower curved heel. The heel is of black patent and there is a black patent, tasselled strap pulled through the vamp.

Black patent, too, makes the heel of an attractive gray suede pump. Black bands are at the toe and vamp of this suit shoe. Back with us once more is the T-strap sandal; this one of black patent is good with suits or dresses.

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## ATTENTION

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