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**Self-Help Centre Report for October.**—An encouraging report of an active month was reported by the committee of the East Kildonan Self-Help Centre and Employment bureau at a meeting in the community hall, Friday, to consider the October reports. During the month the employment bureau found nine days work for men, 20 days for women and placed two girls in steady employment. This brings the totals for the three months the centre has operated to 23 days for men, 32 days for women and 16 girls in steady employment. Collections of used furniture and clothing were made for distribution. Commencing this week the Centre at Washington ave. and Roche street will be open Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4 o'clock, instead of Fridays.

**Christmas Cheer Committee Formed in East Kildonan.**—As a result of the appeal published in "The Herald", a meeting was held in the St. Stephen's parish hall last Friday with nine organizations represented. Reeve W. P. Larsen and Councillor T. Sorley represented the municipality. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Rev. H. Sherstone for his work as chairman of the Xmas Cheer committee in the past and for his offer of assistance to the new committee. Mr. A. J. Taylor, 154 Helmsdale ave., was appointed chairman, with Councillor Thomas Sorley as secretary. The functioning committee comprises Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Bullock, Rev. H. Sherstone and Father O'Donnell. It was definitely arranged that a "Tag-Day" be conducted on December 5th, and that the services of the Girl Guides be enlisted for this work. Several sub-committees were struck to make arrangements for the conduct of affairs to raise the necessary finances for this urgent work and to appeal to all organizations not represented at the meeting to associate themselves with the work. The Committee is hopeful that with the early start made this year and the co-operation of all churches and other organizations in the municipality, the prospects of providing some cheer for the needy should be good.