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**Rotary Club of Carleton Place and Mississippi Mills**

**Meeting of October 27 , 2014**

**There were 11 members and 10 guests present for the meeting which was largely devoted to a talk by Brian Tackaberry on the recent book titled “The Lost Generation of Mississippi Mills” which commemorates 100 individuals from the area who fought in the “Great War” of 1914 to 1918. Brian hi-lighted the history, the war experience as well as the fate of a selection of those 100. The North Lanark Historical Society (and its museum in Appleton), with funding assistance from the Town of Mississippi Mills undertook the two-year research effort behind this publication. Copies of the book are available at the Appleton Museum. Brian’s talk was a very moving experience for those in attendance.**

**There was a brief business session after the dinner covering the following:**

* **The Highway 29 clean-up has been rescheduled for Saturday November 1 and members are urged to participate. There will be a pre-clean-up breakfast at 8:30 at the Thruway and volunteers will then gather at the Pentecostal Church on Highway 29 at 9:30.**
* **Members were reminded that Rose Sale orders must be turned in to Marion by November 6 so that she can get the order placed with the supplier.**