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Kingston Senior Women Win District Curling Playdowns Here

A Kingston rink, skipped by Betty Reid, breezed through the Ottawa District Seniors competition with five straight wins and earned the right to advance in provincial finals at Sault Ste. Marie early in March.

Winchester curling club was the setting for the annual event and extremely cold, stormy weather proved no handicap as rinks from Kingston, Renfrew, Carleton Place, City View, Ottawa Curling Club and Winchester competed in the three-day round-robin spiel.

The local rink with Betty Barton skipping started off in a blaze of glory defeating Renfrew in the first game and then upsetting City View's Audrey Braid.

At this stage 'plate-glass skips' were envisaging the possibility of a multi-rink play-off with a distinct possibility of Winchester going all the way.

Kingston also scored two convincing wins in the opening games and the stage was set for the third round on Monday afternoon.

The Barton rink experienced some difficulty, however, and dropped a close decision to the strong aggregation from Kingston, but hoped to get back into the picture on Tuesday when play resumed early in the forenoon.

High winds and blowing snow greeted the girls when they returned Tuesday and Winchester drew Ottawa Curling Club for the first game. Ottawa ladies went into this game with a 0 and 3 record but managed to pick up their first victory and Winchester's flickering flame of hope went out.

After losing to the locals City View stormed back to win two in a row and all eyes were focused on the Kingston-City View game in the final round.

A win for Kingston would earn the girls a perfect record but, on the other hand City View could force a play-off later in the day.

Mrs. Braid appeared to have control of the game and held a two-point margin at the end of seven. A disastrous 'eighth' proved her downfall when she was short with her last shot and Kingston marked up four to move in front to stay.

Mrs. Reid added a single in the ninth and one more in the tenth to wrap it all up.

Mrs. Braid's loss, however, left her tied with Winchester for second position forcing a Tuesday night play-off. City View emerged the winners of this contest with a 12-5 score.

It was noted that second place must be determined to assure a rink will represent the district should the winning rink be unable to make the trip.

Personnel

Personnel of the competing rinks was as follows:

KINGSTON: Phil Starnan, May Lowe, Cleo Durant, Betty Reid, skip.

CITY VIEW: Marie Young, Kay Proudman, Jessie Dorzinski, Audrey Braid, skip.

WINCHESTER: Weedena Jennings, Norma Wylie, Sybil Curtis, Betty Barton, skip.

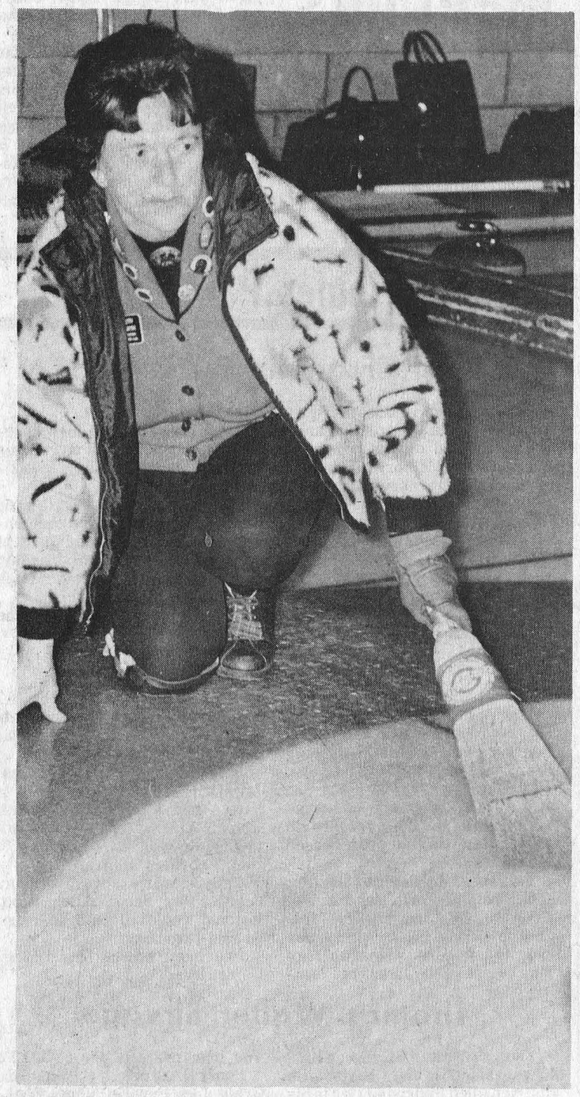
CARLETON PLACE: Dorcas Bennett, Inza Baird, Ede Miller, Shirley Shenfield, skip.

RENFREW: Jean Wright, Freda Evoy, Hilda Cox, Claire Kitts, skip.

OTTAWA C.C.: Ev. Elliott, Arlett Pelletier, Beth Martin, Ellen MacKenzie, skip.

Final Standings

	W	L
Kingston	5	0
Winchester	3	2
City View	3	2
Renfrew	2	3
Carleton Place	1	4
Ottawa C.C.	1	4



Look Of Dismay . . .

It may have been the storm or maybe something to do with atmosphere conditions but Winchester's Senior Ladies were slightly off their regular consistent style of play and allowed themselves to be the victims as the Ottawa Curling Club entry scored it's only win.

Skip Betty Barton appears a bit dismayed at the turn of events as she watches a crucial shot drift slightly astray. Mrs. Barton recovered quickly when reminded that in similar situations men curlers simply blame the ice.

-Press Staff Photos



. . . And Satisfaction

Kingston lead Phil Starnan expresses complete satisfaction as skip Betty Reid's guard glides gently over the hog line to block the only existing port.

The scene was the ninth end of the fourth game and the Kingston four were well on their way to another victory.

Following a brief rest they returned to the ice to win number five and emerge from the keenly contested event unbeaten.

-Press Staff Photo

Bud Olson Will Address Area Farmers

THE Hon. H.A. Olson, Federal Minister of Agriculture, will be at South Mountain next Monday night to address area farmers.

The meeting at Nationview Public School is being sponsored by Dundas County Federation of Agriculture and Mr. Olson will be accompanied by Gordon Blair, Grenville-Carleton M.P.

Scheduled to get under way at 8:00 p.m. it is understood a question and answer period will follow Mr. Olson's speech.

Federation members anticipate a large gathering and hope everyone interested in agriculture will make a special effort to be present.

THE NEWS in Brief

NDDEA Conducts Drive For Members

North Dundas District Educational Association is conducting an all-out drive for membership and according to a recent 'News Letter' many more members are needed if the organization is to survive.

In an effort to attract every family the association is offering 'Family Memberships' for $1.00 and plans to sponsor a fund-raising dance in March.

Insurance Man Completes Course

Jack R. McIntosh of Biccum and McIntosh Ltd., Insurance and Real Estate, Winchester has successfully completed a three-week training course at the Hartford Insurance Group advancement Centre, Hartford, Connecticut.

The course consisted of classes on reviewing established principles of insurance, study of new policies and development which Mr. McIntosh feels will prove very beneficial to his clients.

Russell Fire Department Wins Contest

National Fire Protection Association Fire Prevention Contest winners were announced last week and once again Russell Township Area No. 1 was judged first in its class.

The local unit is included in the 'Under 2,500' classification and already has many awards for efficiency through the years.

Student Teachers At NDDHS

For the past three years, McArthur College of Education in Kingston has sent student-teachers to North Dundas District High School for their practice-teaching rounds. The students go out for three sessions once in the fall, in February and in the spring.

For the first two weeks of February, Miss Catherine Truaisch has been associated with the library at N.D.D.H.S. A native of Belleville, Miss Truaisch received her Honours B.A. in English from the University of Toronto. This year at McArthur she is studying English and School Librarianship. During her stay, Miss Truaisch boarded with the Donald H. Cross' in Chesterville.

This week, Mr. Tony Liu who comes originally from Korea, will be associated with the school library. In addition, two other student-teachers will be with the History Department.

Hockey Schedule Nears Completion

Metcalfe 'Jets' play their last two scheduled games this weekend and two wins could earn them first place over Morrisburg who presently leads the combined divisions by a single point.

Morrisburg has one game left and Metcalfe is faced with tough opposition for both encounters.

Both are home games (at Embrun) with Alexandria the visitors on Friday night and Cardinal on Sunday afternoon.

Play-offs get underway early next week.

Lotteries Require Licence

Printers, (including The Winchester Press) recently received a memo from the Department of Financial and Commercial Affairs concerning printing connected with lotteries.

What the Department is saying is simply that organizations planning lotteries must have a license to do so. This means approval from the municipality concerned and, for a small fee, a number is assigned for that particular application.

Those planning to raise money in this manner may well save valuable time by obtaining the 'license number' before ordering printed material.

Too Much Winter For Carnival

Sometimes a winter carnival can be hampered by 'too much' winter and such was the situation at South Mountain last Saturday.

Snow, high winds and biting cold combined to force officials to call a halt to all activities at the rink and re-schedule the program for this coming Saturday (February 26th).

The action will begin at 7:00 p.m. and because no opposition could be found to play Mountain Girls' hockey team the challenge has been picked up by none other than the fathers of the players.

Costume judging, races, Snow Queen contest, chuck-wagon races and tire-rolling for girls should all add enjoyment, not only for contestants, but also for spectators.

Many valuable prizes will be given away including the major $25.00 award when the newly-crowned Queen will select the winning ticket.

Plan to visit South Mountain this Saturday.

Centurians Make Donation To Guides, Brownies

Members of Winchester 100 Club agreed at last week's meeting to make a donation of $50.00 to assist the Girl Guides and Brownie Pack. Both groups have large and enthusiastic memberships and the financial assistance should greatly assist their programs.

Eighteen members were present for the regular meeting and Rev. MacDonald asked the blessing while the Creed was recited by Basil Dawley.

A special feature of the evening was musical entertainment provided by Allan Hume and Al Vardy and all members were high in their praise of the two local boys.

The 'Boost' was won by Al Vardy and Basil Dawley agreed to donate the prize for the next meeting.

The winter carnival which had proved so successful was discussed and Walter MacDonald thanked Rev. MacDonald for his efforts in presenting the very appropriate kick-off church service.

Claire Chamberlaine submitted a comprehensive report of the club's various activities during the carnival and noted that the bake sale, skating party and games night has all proved financially successful.

Members were reminded that Howard Willard is preparing a memorandum concerning reclassification of memberships and should have his report ready in the near future.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of $100.18.

Monthly meeting committees have been set up as follows for the coming term:

MARCH - St. Patrick's Day, Walter MacDonald, Jack Hatcher and Raymond Earl.

APRIL - Guest Night, Harold Lannin and Bill McRoberts.

MAY - Tour Night, Sam Ault, John Barrett and Max Boyd.

JUNE - Bar-B-Q, Cook-Out, Ray VanNoy, Keith Guy and Doug Keys.

JULY and AUGUST - To be announced.

SEPTEMBER - C. Holmes, J. Poole and S. Black.

OCTOBER - Nominating Committee Report. Program Committee: C. Anderson, B. Dawley, B. Graham.

NOVEMBER - Ladies' Night, F. Cass, E. Boyd and D. Kenney.

DECEMBER - Christmas Party, B. McRoberts, Dr. Byers and Rev. A. MacDonald.

JANUARY 1973 - A. Scott, K. Ault and A. Rice.



Russell Carnival Queen

Judges at Russell Carnival last Saturday night selected Miss Helen Hay (above) from among a bevy of seven lovely girls to reign as Queen of the exciting winter carnival.

Miss Hay, 15, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hay and a Grade 10 student at North Dundas District High School.

Runners-up in the competition were Shirley Hamilton and Donna Wilson. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Loucks, Ottawa and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kelly, Greely all agreed reaching a final decision was a difficult task.

This portion of the carnival program was sponsored by the Junior Farmers with Jim Graham as Master of Ceremonies.

-Press Staff Photo-

$5,000 Grant For S.C.S.

Hon. Lucien Lamoureux, M.P., Stormont-Dundas, announced on Tuesday afternoon that a Federal Citizenship Grant of $5000.00 has been approved which will pay part of the salary, for ten months, of a full-time qualified community Development Officer to be hired by the Seaway Community Service Organization for the Keelerville-Glen Becker Community, near Morrisburg, Ontario.

The Officer will work with community members to promote social and economic changes to improve living conditions, through the co-ordination of resources from Government Departments and Agencies, volunteer organizations, schools and churches, and by establishing contact with available sources of employment.

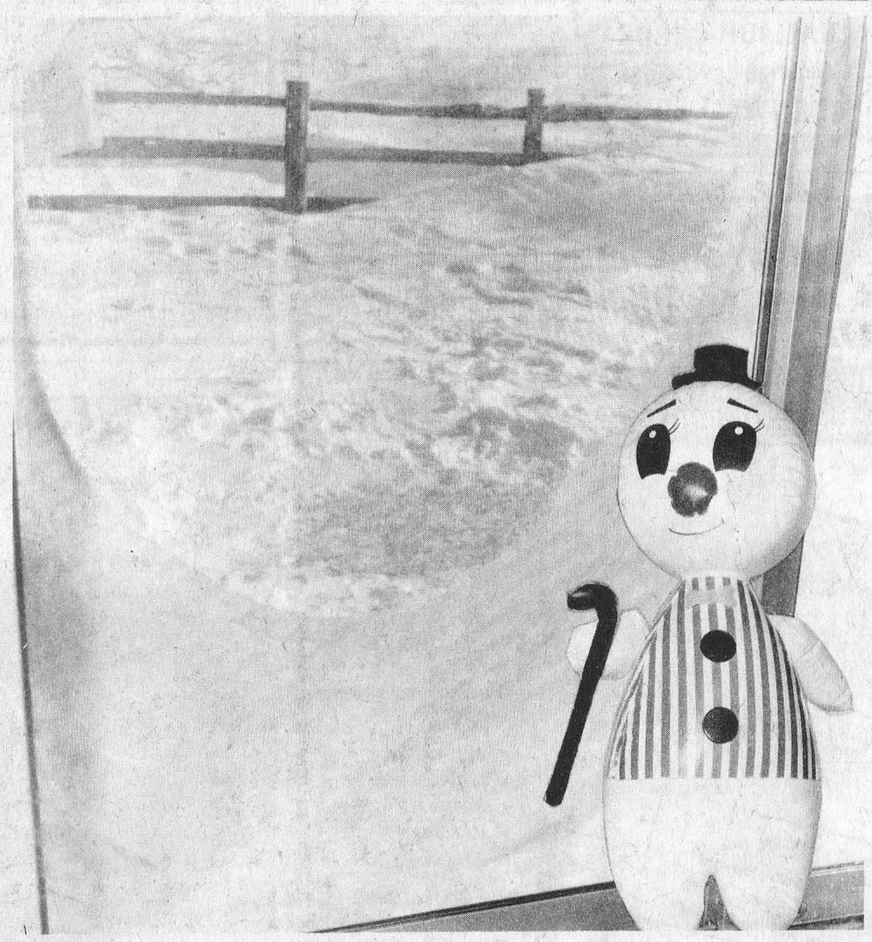
The Seaway Community Service Organization of Winchester Springs, Ontario, which is sponsoring the project, was established in 1965. Its membership includes individuals, clubs, churches and voluntary associations of the Keelerville-Glen Becker area.

New Outlet For Press At Morrisburg

The Winchester Press is now on sale weekly at Charlie's Sports Shop.

Readers in Morrisburg have become accustomed to picking up their copy at Weegar's Confectionery but the recent closing of the business made necessary an immediate change.

We greatly appreciate the kindly service offered by Weegars over the years and trust readers will find the new outlet convenient.



He Came In From The Cold

January's relatively mild weather may have been the 'calm before the storm'. Frigid actic air and snow began moving into the area this month and appears to intensify with each succeeding day.

The weekend blast brought traffic to an almost 'standstill' in most parts of the Golden Triangle, but by late Monday most highways were passable.

There was little rest, however, for weary plow operators. Gale force winds greeted early risers on Tuesday morning and by noon area schools were closing down and most events being cancelled.

Old timers had a quaint way of referring to exceptionally bad weather.

Noting that even 'snowmen' are moving inside prompts paraphrasing the old chestnut and explaining the weather this way: 'Neither fit for man nor beastner snowman.

-Press Staff Photo

Area Couple Mark Fiftieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Loucks marked the 50th anniversary of their wedding day at their Kemptville home on February 15th. The couple were married at Aultsville in 1922 and family members made the occasion a happy one by honouring them at a special dinner last Saturday night.

Pioneer Hotel, Williamsburg, was the setting and guests included Mr. and Mrs. Louck's five children: Major Donald Loucks Ottawa; Mrs. Dwain Hess (Helen) Williamsburg; Mrs. Lee McIntosh (Marjorie), Winchester Springs; Mrs. Frank Smith (Shirley), Bramalea, Ontario; Mrs. Jack Warner (Jean), Glen Cairn and ten grandchildren.

Sisters and borthers of both Mr. and Mrs. Loucks were also present and the beautifully decorated table was centered with a huge wedding cake. Granddaughter Shirley Hess asked the blessing and all enjoyed a delicious dinner.

Master of ceremonies Donald Loucks read congratulatory messages from Governor General Michener, Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, Premier William Davis, Lieutenant Governor W. Ross MacDonald, Secretary of State Gerard Pelletier and Donald Irvine, local member of the Legislative Assembly.

The happy couple received a purse of money from children and grandchildren and were particularly proud of a framed Scroll from Th Hon. William Davis, as well as, many other beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hitsman Observe Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hitsman, RR4, Winchester, Ontario, observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage this past weekend.

Daniel Hitsman, son of Mr. Wm. Hitsman, of Russell, and the late Mrs. Hitsman, married Mary Bolton, daughter of Mrs. Ethel Bolton, of VanCamp, and the late Mr. Andrew Bolton, on February 20th, 1947, at Inkerman United Church Manse, Inkerman, Ontario.

Prior to the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Hitsman were pleasantly surprised when Mrs. David Timmons, Winchester Springs, and Mrs. Wallace Byers, Cass Bridge, arrived at their home to present them with a large mirror, and gifts of chalet glass and china, on behalf of neighbours and friends from Winchester Springs, Cass Bridge communities.

Their second surprise followed on Saturday evening, when family and relatives joined them at their home to help in the celebration of their anniversary. During the evening, flowers, a special Anniversary Cake, a guest book and several miscellaneous gifts were presented to Dan and Mary.

The couple have one daughter, Mrs. Glendon Casselman, (Donna) of Vancamp, one son, Roger, of Ottawa, and two granddaughters, Annette Debra Casselman, and Tammy Anne Hitsman.

BIRTHS

The following is a list of recent births at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital.

On Tuesday, February 15, 1972, to Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wilson, of Winchester, a daughter.

On Tuesday, February 15th, 1972, to Mr. and Mrs. Eric Johnson, of Ingleside, a son.

On Tuesday, February 15th, 1972, to Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan, of Brinston, RR2, a son (baby died).



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Enjoys Winter At 92

Mrs. Thomas Coulthart quietly celebrated her 92nd birthday at her comfortable Winchester home Monday. Having spent the greater part of her life on the farm she finds the rugged winter weather no hardship and is enjoying excellent health.

A former Morewood area resident she moved to Winchester when her husband died in 1952.

-Press Staff Photo-

Winchester United Hi-C Members Defy Weather

Eleven members of the Winchester United Hi-C turned up in spite of the weather to begin study of their new kit, entitled 'Who Am I?'

The first session emphasized that all families have a history affecting each member. The members were asked to picture the aspects of their own family background that had had the most impact on them. Being born on a farm, or having parents with a farm background was mentioned several times. Childhood frights were another influence often recalled. The next session will deal with 'Family Relationships'.

The Business, under the leadership of Lois Francis, included a report from the Treasurer, Bruce Gray, who said the group had taken in $17.00 for the Community Centre Fund while entertaining guests who were waiting for their suppers at the Carnival Smorgasbord. Plans were made for a Skidoo Party to be held at the home of Donna, Larry and Brian Steele at Winchester Springs. Lunch was served by Joan Robinson and Donald Anderson.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holmes wish to announce the engagement of their daughter Patricia Linda to Merle Reaney son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reaney of Winchester, Ontario.

Wedding to take place April 1st, at 2 o'clock in Inkerman United Church.

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Greely's First Winter Carnival Termed A Great Success

Greely's first annual winter carnival ended last week and organizers were overwhelmed by the success of all events.

Highlight of the event was crowning of the Queen and lovely Sharon Brownrigg was chosen to reign over all activities. Runner-up was Emerald Franey.

The snowmobile run attracted over fifty machines and both broomball and hockey events were well attended and keenly contested.

Ice sculpturing, log-sawing, tug-o-war, sleigh rides, eating and dancing rounded out the exciting program.

Rolf Kuhn, Community Centre president, had words of praise for all who had helped in any way and drew attention to the next event in the community - a hockey dance on February 26th. Indication of the keen community spirit existing at Greely was Mr. Kuhn's report that all tickets have already been sold.

Ladies' Groups Hold Meetings

Vernon Baptist Mission Circle

Ladies of the Evening Group Mission Circle, Vernon Baptist Church, met in the Sunday School room for their February meeting.

Iris Stewart was in charge of worship service, theme of which was 'God's Voice Within'.

Isobel Lewis reported briefly on the president's conference at Bethany Church, following which she presented the second portion of the study on Bolivia.

Plans for the Spring Rally, which is to be held in the Vernon Church, were discussed. In March Margaret McDiarmid will be the hostess for a supper work meeting when items for the White Cross will be prepared.

At the conclusion of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed when Alice Craig and Verda McNaughton provided refreshments.

Mrs. Cooper Hosts WCTU

Winchester W.C.T.U. members held their February meeting at the home of Mrs. J. F. Cooper

The meeting was opened with a suitable reading by Mrs. H. Robinson.

The chart 'Dial a Drug' was shown and its use explained. This chart has already been used several times and will be loaned to the different schools.

Further discussion and plans for the 'Youth of the Year' contest followed. Plans are being made for the Medal Contest.

Mrs. Sullivan was in charge of devotions, reading an article entitled, 'My Son', in which the world was asked to accept and provide a good place for sons to live.

The question and answer period was in charge of Miss E. Smith.

The meeting was closed with a hymn followed with prayer by Mrs. W. H. Prosser.

South Mountain C.W.I. Gathers

Members of South Mountain C.W.I. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Vriezen last week and reports indicated two recent euchre parties were very successful.

The first part at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Koekkoek was convened by Mrs. Koekkoek and Mrs. Albert Koekkoek; the second, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hall was convened by Mrs. Hall, Mrs. John Havekes, Mrs. Edward Berube and Mrs. Martin Hall.

Thirteen members were present at the meeting and treasurer, Mrs. Ceylan, reported a healthy balance of $199.45.

Mrs. J. Hall, president, presented two Lentin readings and World Day of Prayer (March 3rd) was discussed.

Three members were named to bring in a slate of officers for the annual meeting April 10th and a delicious lunch was served by the committee in charge.

A unanimous vote of thanks was extended to hostess Mrs. Havekes.

Fifteen Attend Mountain W.I.

Fifteen members of Mountain W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Henrietta Carlyle last week with president Mrs. Bessie Boyce in the chair.

During the business session plans were completed for representation at the 75th anniversary celebration and leaders for the 4-H Garden Club were tentatively named. Penny 'round-up bags' to aid the mentally ill were ordered and a nominating committee set up.

In keeping with the anniversary theme the history of the organization was reviewed with emphasis on the local unit and some of the interesting highlights. Such highlights included the visit by Lady Tweedsmuir and the work on the Tweedsmuir history book. Special mention was made of the unit's long-time curator, Mrs. Eva Simms.

Prior to adjournment a challenging quiz was conducted by Mrs. Nancy Hyndman and a delicious lunch was served.

New Youth Group Formed At Metcalfe

Youth of St. Catherine's parish at Metcalfe met at the school last week to discuss the possible formation of a youth group.

Twenty-five young people were present and all agreed such an organization could do much not only to assist in church work and at the same time promote worthwhile activities, as well as, create an atmosphere for constructive controversy.

Selecting 'St. Catherine's Youth Organization' as an appropriate name, the following officers were elected: president, Nancy Klein-Sowmink; vice president, Leo Campbell; secretary-treasurer, Eileen Moriarity; Councillors: Liturgy, Jo-Anne Rowan; Choir, Bonnie Wade; Social Convener, Peter Nooyen; Advisor, Stephen Miller; Press Reporter, Susan Rowan.

General meetings will beheld the first Thursday of each month with the executive meeting every second week.

Final Tributes Paid Citizens

George Franklin Beckstead

A well known resident of Hulbert for 76 years, George Frankling Beckstead died at Winchester District Memorial Hospital on Sunday, February 13th, 1972, in his 86th year. Born at Grantly he was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beckstead.

In 1918 he married the former Gladys Coughler who survives. Also surviving is one son Arthur; two grandsons, James and Franklin, both of South Mountain; one brother Earl.

One sister, Fanny; three brothers, Marcus Arthur and James Edward, a brother Roy, predeceased him.

A member of Hulbert United Church, funeral service was conducted at the Armstrong Weagant Funeral Home on Wednesday, February 16th, by Rev. James Stewart.

Burial at Spruce Haven in the spring.

Mrs. Peter F. Poole

Mrs. Peter Franklin Poole, the former Bertha Ethel Scott, died February 8th, following a long illness. She was in her 81st year.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scott she married Mr. Poole at Smiths Falls in 1921. Her husband predeceased her in 1969.

Two sons, Ralph, Bowmanville, and Donald of North Bay survive, as well as, one sister, Mrs. George Coons (Ida), Winchester and two brothers, Richard also of Winchester and James of Fielding, Saskatchewan. Two brothers, William and Alex predeceased her.

A member of Winchester Wesleyan Church funeral service at Vice and Craig Ltd. Funeral Home, Winchester, was conducted by Rev. R. L. Leroy at 2:00 p.m. February 10th.

Pall bearers were Clifford Scott, Alex Scott, Allen Scott, Howard Poole, Ronald Shaw and Arnold Hogaboam.

Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Thomas Walter Sirvage

Thomas Walter Sirvage, a lifelong resident of the Chesterville district, died February 19th in his 95th year.

A son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Sirvage he operated his farm until retirement several years ago.

One brother, Grant, also of Chesterville survives as well as several nieces and nephews.

Educated in district schools he was a member of the L.O.O.F.

Funeral service at Vice and Craig Ltd. Funeral home, Chesterville, was conducted by Rev. Fred Slocombe at 2:00 p.m. February 21st.

Pall bearers were Lyle Loucks, Charlie Hummel, Lorne Byers, Leonard Masterson Leo Coyne and Victor Moss.

Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

Mrs. Ross Melvin Scott

Mrs. Ross Melvin Scott, the former V. Faye Van Allen, died February 17th, following a brief illness. She was in her 83rd year.

A daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Myran Van Allen, she married Mr. Scott at Morrisburg in 1907. He predeceased his wife in 1919.

The late Mrs. Scott is survived by one son and three daughters: R. Melvin Scott, Cornwall; Mrs. W.H. Smith (Olga), Kitchener; Mrs. Clair J. Locke (Audrey), Iroquois; and Mrs. Harry D. Mount (Jean) of Montreal.

Also surviving are two grandchildren, Mary Drennan, Edmonton and Ross Mount, Montreal, as well as, one great grandchild, Scott Drennan, and one sister, Mrs. E. O. Gordon, Winnipeg.

One sister, Mrs. Robert Stevens (Gladys) predeceased her.

The late Mrs. Scott was well known in Winchester where she resided for the past 65 years and played an active role in all community endeavours.

A member of Winchester United Church, funeral service at Vice and Craig Ltd. Funeral Home was conducted by Rev. A. MacDonald at 2:00 p.m. February 19th. Rev. MacDonald was assisted by Rev. George Clifford.

Pall bearers were Arnold Duncan, Douglas Angus, Lloyd Dixon, Gerald Helmer, Max Boyd and Ed. Boyd.

Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery.

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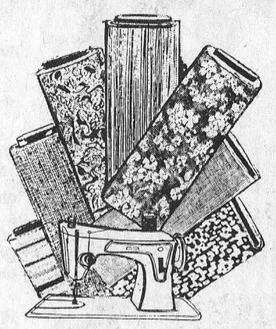

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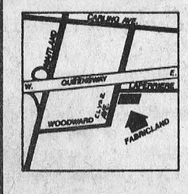

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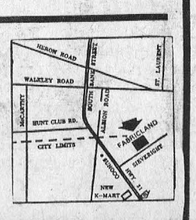

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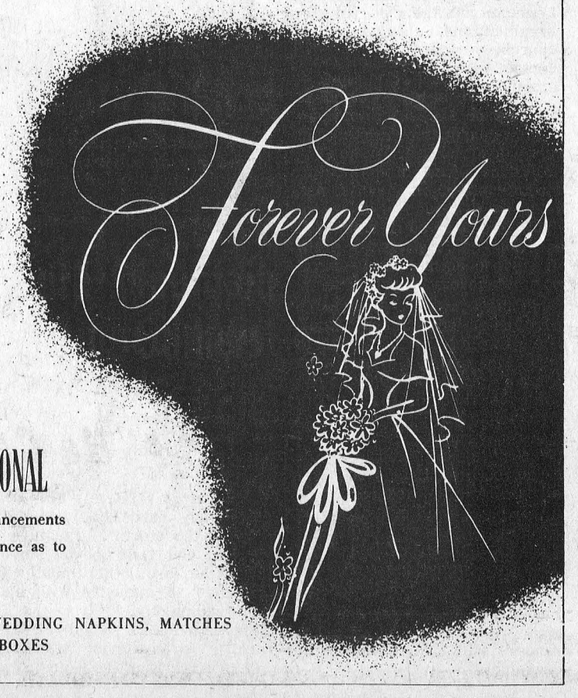

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Winchester Organizes Brownies, Girl Guides

The first enrollment for the newly organized 1st Winchester Brownie Pack and Girl Guide Company attracted a large group of parents at the Town Hall last Thursday night.

District commissioner Mrs. Sheldrick of Morrisburg officiated for the impressive ceremony and the Brownies, with their Grand Howl, voiced their appreciation.

Later in the evening a delicious lunch was served by Tawny Owls Joyce Henry, Wilma Ganter and Cathy Durst assisted by Guide Lieutenants Diane Plummer and Sharon Raistrick.

Brown Owl and Guide Captain Ida Wilson who became the mother of a prospective new Brownie on February 15th, was understandably unable to be present.

GIRL GUIDES: front row, left to right: Marjorie Moore, and Linda Annable. Second row, Kim Durst, Heather Cooke, Bev Hanes and Jo-Anne Graves. Back row, Eleanor Lobb, Janine Gates, Susan Helmer, Diane Duncan, Brenda Gray.

BROWNIES: front row, left to right: Kim Tubman, Sheila Clark, Cathy Collins, Anne Marriner, Jill Vasey, Tracy McIntosh, Donna Stewart and Vicki Workman.

Second row: Kim Steele, Lorie Guy, Brenday Guy, Lori Byers, Patricia Henry, Cathy Buchanan, Joanne Holmes, Carolyn Ball, Mary Ann VanBreugan, and Dana Gibson.

Back row - Valerie Walker, Lisa Durst, Rhonda Wilson, Kelly Johnson, Pamela Henry, Theresa Laporte, Angela Hutt, Lizabeth Workman, Colleen Shelp and Angela Armstrong.

(Cindy Vasey, due to illness, was unable to be present.)



Girl Guide Company



1st Winchester Brownie Pack

-Press Staff Photos-

President Says Year Of Tremendous Changes Within V.O.N.

The fledging home care program adopted in 1971 by the Victorian Order of Nurses brought about tremendous changes within the organization says president Joan Shaw.

At the annual meeting Mrs. Shaw said the program meant the broadening of board management; the assumption and integration of new responsibilities; a major increase in nursing staff; the assimilation of a wider area of service and the reorganization of revenue sources.

Christine Christensen, nurse-in-charge of the Cornwall branch, was complimented for the work of the past year.

In her report it was disclosed in January 1971, the 3 nurse staff made 308 visits while in December 1971, four nurses made 974 visits and 56 hours of co-ordinating for home car program, three times as much service.

The 1972 V.O.N. executive includes Mrs. Joan Shaw president.

Irvin Brown, past president; Miss W.M. Jerom 1st vice president; Mrs. W. J. Palmer, secretary; Mrs. Farrand Miller, corresponding secretary; Don Murray, treasurer; Christine Christensen nurse in charge.

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Fun And Games At NDDHS Carnival '72

Fun and games errupted at N.D.D.H.S. on February 10 and 11 as Carnival '72 got underway. The first item on the fun packed schedule was snow sculpturing. The snow sculptures were judged and the first prize went to 'Cynd's Fantasy'. The second prize went to 'Gulf Shoe'. The third prize was award to 'Pandora's Place' and the fourth prize went to 'Igloo'. The judges had a very difficult time picking the winners because all the sculptures were well done. Those that received honourable mention were as follows: Alligator, Cooky Monster, Elephant, Whale, Snoopy, Bear (Mouse??) Head, Humpty Dumpty, Car and Man, Locomotive Engine, Telephone, Boat and Indian, and Toilet Bowl.

The Kick-Off Parade was held at 1:00 to announce the official opening of the Carnival. The prize for the best costume was awarded to Linda DeRooy and Laurie Chambers. They were dressed as Raggedy Ann and Andy.

The '72 Snowmobile Races were next on the agenda. Tom Sirvage placed first and Mr. Grubb took second prize.

One of the funniest events of our Carnival '72 was the Twit Race Derby. If you are wondering what a twit is the closest definition of the word is simpleton. Winners this year were Wendy Earl and Gerry Heymans. Second place went to Brad Sullivan and David Weatheral.

Throughout the Carnival there was floor hockey, volleyball, toboggan races and many other events.

Thursday evening there were hay rides, films and then the Carnival dance. 'Powerhouse' played to a large crowd. Dave Van Bridger and Marjorie Moffat were crowned Carnival King and Queen.

There was an all night shower marathon, rocking chair marathon and a dance marathon, which was won by Janice Wylie, Lorraine Moss and Susan Raistrick.

Friday morning famous pancakes were dished up by Mr. Craig. Later on in the day the Pie Eating Contest was won by Laurie Chambers who ate a 10 inch chocolate custard pie in 1 minute.

The Bubble Gum Chewing Contest was won by Dale Armstrong who managed to fully chew 38 jaw breakers. The Scavenger hunt was a big success. Top single was Sonia Sartor and top doubles were Brenda Como and Joanne Wouters.

In the Log Sawing Contest there were many winners - Boys - 17 years and over, Andrew Woods and Garnet Woods; Girls - 17 years and over Nancy McMillan and Debra Kelly; Boys 16 years and under - Denis Fife and Eric Bjergso; Girls - 16 years and under Helen Hay and Christine Fleming. Men teachers - Mr. Garlough and Mr. Westbrook.

All during the Carnival there was a Coffee Shop in the Music Room, and a Folk Group in the Library . There were plenty of hamburgers in Mr. Helston's 'Slop Shop' and pizzas were served at the Pizza Shop.

Teachers With Pull

The setting was North Dundas District High School gymnasium during carnival activities last week and it is very obvious teachers at the local school have a lot of 'pull'.

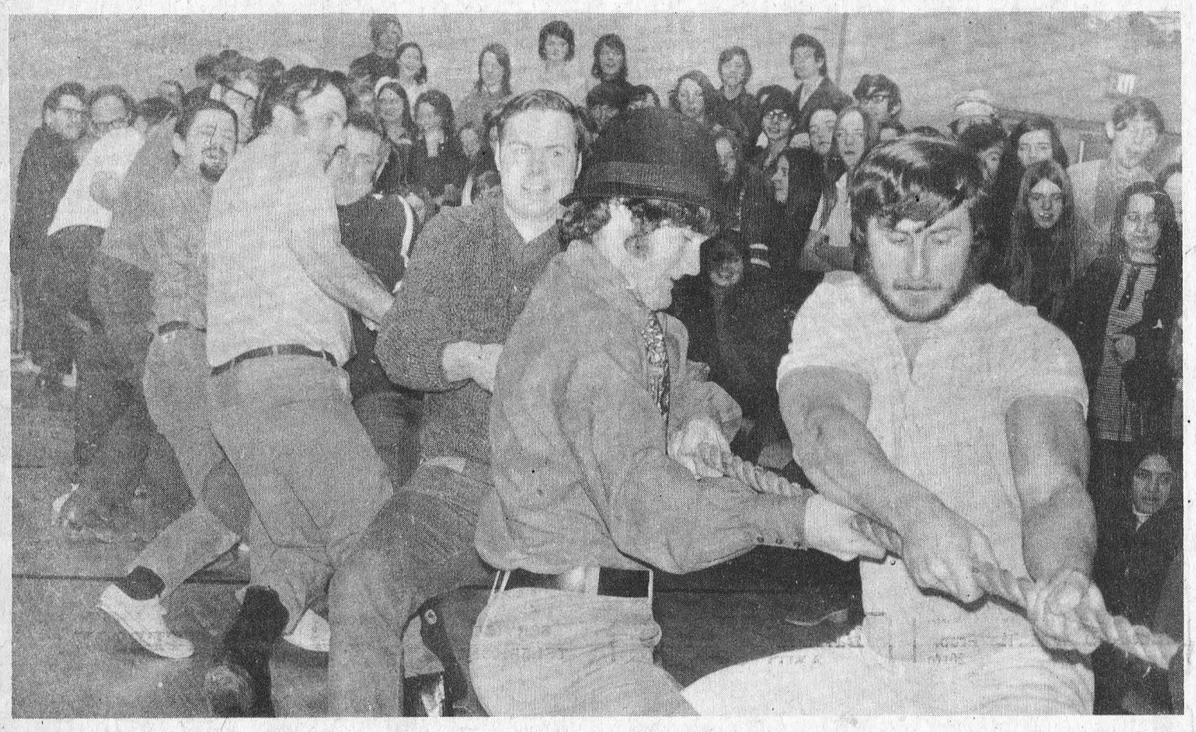
Students appear delighted with the antics and the expressions leave little doubt which team they support.

Experienced woodsmen viewing the log-sawing contest may have had difficulty hiding their utter disgust, unless of course the saw being used was naturally curved.

If this is some new type of saw then one can envision 'scolloped' firewood.

-N.D.D.H.S. Photos -





Knit Wits Meet At Metcalfe

Five members of Metcalfe No. 3 4-H Club 'The Knit Wits', met at the home of Debbie Morrow last week when three important sewing topics were discussed. "Getting Ready to Sew", "Pressing Tips' and 'Fitting the Garment' all proved interesting and the girls were pleased to receive a letter from the Ice Capades confirming their application for tickets for the March 15th show.

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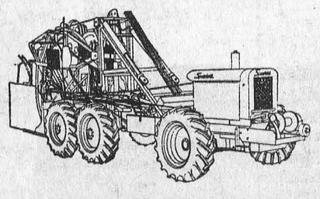

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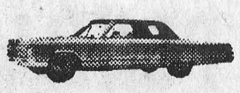
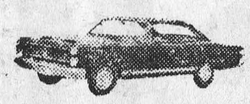


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CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Bertha Poole wish to extend their thanks and appreciation to all their friends and relatives for cards, flowers and other expressions of sympathy in the loss of a beloved mother and sister. Our deepest appreciation to her pastor, the Rev. R. L. LeRoy and to all her kind and thoughtful neighbours for their many acts of kindness during her long illness at the home of her sister and while in the hospital.—Ralph and Donald Poole. George and Ida Coons. 43p

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Frank Beckstead wish to thank all those who helped in any way during our recent loss of a beloved husband, father and grandfather; friends, neighbours and relatives who so kindly sent food and took over the care of the house for us. Thanks to Rev. James Stewart, Dr. Marston, and all the staff on second floor. These acts of kindness will always be remembered.—Wife Gladys, son Arthur and family. 43p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to express my appreciation to my family, friends, neighbours and relatives for their many acts of kindness to Ida and to me while I was ill in hospital and since my return home. Grateful thanks to Dr. Slowey, Dr. Howard Justus, the hospital nursing staff and to all who visited me and sent cheery cards. — Willis McKercher. 43c

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to express my thanks to friends and relatives who visited me while I was a patient in the Winchester District Memorial Hospital, and also to the ones who sent cards. Special thanks to Dr. Howard Justus and nursing staff of first floor.—Mrs. Rita Fowler. 43p

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE OF APPLICATION to The Ontario Municipal Board by The Corporation of the Township of Osgoode for approval of a By-law to regulate land use passed pursuant to Section 30 of The Planning Act.

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Osgoode intends to apply to The Ontario Municipal Board pursuant to the provisions of Section 30 of The Planning Act for approval of By-law No. 16-1971 passed on the 28th day of June, 1971.

ANY PERSON INTERESTED MAY, within fourteen (14) days after the date of this notice, send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Township of Osgoode, notice of his objection to approval of the said by-law, together with a statement of the grounds of such objection.

ANY PERSON wishing to support the application for approval of the by-law may within fourteen (14) days after the date of this notice send by registered mail or deliver to the Clerk of the Township of Osgoode, notice of his support of approval of the said by-law together with a request for notice of any hearing that may be held giving also the name and address to which such notice should be given.

THE ONTARIO MUNICIPAL BOARD may approve of the said by-law, but before doing so it may appoint a time and place when any objection to the by-law will be considered. Notice of any hearing that may be held will be given only to persons who have filed an objection or notice of support and who have left with or delivered to the clerk undersigned, the address to which notice of hearing is to be sent.

THE LAST DAY FOR FILING OBJECTIONS WILL BE MARCH 15th, 1972.

Dated at the Village of Metcalfe this 21st day of February, 1972.

FRED WILSON, Clerk,
Box 130, Metcalfe, Ontario.

EXPLANATORY NOTE CONCERNING THE ABOVE-NOTED ZONING BY-LAW

The Township of Osgoode Zoning By-law 16-1971 was enacted in June, 1971, for the purpose of implementing the Official Plan and is designed to regulate the use of land within the Township and the use and character of buildings. The Zoning By-law accordingly authorizes the uses set forth therein and prohibits any use of land and any construction or use of buildings not specifically authorized. Land or buildings which, at the time of the passing of the by-law, were used in a manner contrary to the by-law may, subject to certain qualifications, continue to be so used. Application to change the zoning in any part of the Township may be made by a landowner at any time.

Until the passing of the said by-law there was no comprehensive zoning in the Township appropriate either to its rural use or to its present urban development. The proposed zoning by-law applies in various ways to the whole of the Township and provides a much needed protection against undesirable development.

A copy of the above-noted by-law has been mailed to each property owner in the Township of Osgoode. If anyone concerned has not yet received his copy, he should contact the Clerk at the Township Office.

43-44c

Cards of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Grace (John W.) Gilroy wish to take this opportunitiy to thank all those who helped us in any way during the recent loss of a beloved wife and mother. Thanks to friends, neighbours and relatives who helped in any way, also those who gave flowers and donations to charities. These many acts of kindness will always be remembered. 43p

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Mrs. Carrie Wells sincerely thank relatives, friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, floral tributes and donations to the Heart Fund, Bible Society and Missions, during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to Rev. D. L. Gordon and Mr. Mervyn Peters, also other clergy; to Dr. H. Justus and staff of Winchester Memorial Hospital; to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tupper and staff of the Dundas Nursing Home, and to all who sent cards, treats and visited her during her long illness. These kind deeds will ever be remembered. 43c

CARD OF THANKS—The family of the late Clarence Scott wish to take this opportunity to say thank you to all who helped in any way during the sudden passing of a loving husband and devoted father and sincere brother. To friends, relatives and neighbours who sent cards, food and made personal calls; the many lovely floral arrangements, and donations to the Heart Fund and other charities. Spceial thanks to the pall-bearers, Rev. A. MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Younge. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Davidson, Rev. Gordon, Vice & Craig Ltd., and everyone who I may have forgotten. These many acts of kindness were a consolation and comfort for myself, children, the Scott family and the Younge family. Sincere thank you and may God bless one and all.—Mrs. Clarence Scott, Larry and Shirley, the Scott family, the Younge family. 43p

Cards of Thanks

CARD OF THANKS—To everyone who assisted in making our Silver Wedding Anniversary such a happy occasion, we say most sincerely "thank you." Special thanks to our neighbours and friends of Winchester Springs for their beautiful gifts and to our family and relatives for the wonderful surprise party on Saturday night and the gifts presented to us.—Dan and Mary Hitsman. 43p

CARD OF APPRECIATION — The family of the late V. Faye Scott wish to express their grateful thanks to the many friends for their thoughtfulness expressions of sympathy, floral tributes, donations to Winchester and District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Memorial Fund, Winchester United Church, and the Research Foundation during the recent loss of a dear mother, grandmother and great grandmother. Heartfelt thanks to the Rev. A. J. MacDonald and the Rev. George Clifford of Cornwall, Ronald Freeland, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Robinson, and Robert W. Vice of Vice and Craig Ltd. for their acts of kindness and assistance to us who are left to mourn. 43c



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—Edith, Pauline and family.

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Other appointments by By-law were Messrs. Cass & Cass, Barristers and Solicitors; Auditor John D. Lewars, C.A., of Belleville, Ontario.
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Williamsburg

Mrs. Ralph Casselman is a patient in the Winchester District Memorial Hospital. All hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barclay spent Friday in Kingston.

A good crowd enjoyed a covered dish supper at United Church Hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Roy White and Mrs. Arthur Johnston of Morrisburg called on Mrs. G. L. Barclay on Thursday.

Mr. Graham Smith and Mr. ted Mrs. George B. Wingard on Wednesday.

Mrs. A.J. Casselman spent a few days in Winchester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Barclay visited friends in Ingleside Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Wells night with his mother Mrs. Graham Wells and Carson.

Callers at the home of Mrs. John Erratt recently were: Mr. and Mrs. Morley Erratt of Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Erratt and family and Mrs. Ruth Simser of Morrisburg.

Winchester Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Allison spent the week end with Rev. and Mrs. Dale Allison and family at Capreol, Ontario.

Callers on Mrs. T.J. Keyes, were Mrs. Arthur Bell of Brinston, Mrs. G.L. Barclay of Williamsburg, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hammond of Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Johnston of Iroquois.

Miss Janice Casselman of Toronto is spending a week at her home here.

Elma News

Recent Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dillabough were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Dillabough, Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hutt and Lorraine, Chesterville; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dillabough.

The U.C.W. met at the home of Mrs. Bernice Barkley, on Thursday evening.

Congratulations are extended to Misses Susan and Cathy Herriman who won the public speaking competition in their respective grades at Seaway Valley High School.

Mrs. Milton Carkner, Morrisburg, and Miss Jean Armstrong spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Anna Carkner of Winchester.

Valentine Wine And Cheese Party Held At Morrisburg

On Saturday, February 12th, St. Mary's and St. Cecilia's Parish Council, held a Valentine Wine and Cheese Party at Morrisburg. the atmosphere was well set with Valentine decorations and glittering candles on tables surrounding the dance floor.

Michael Saver acted as chairman and introduced the parish guitar group, June Boulerice, Therese Chartrand, Paul Cordes, Sister Foley, Sister Leonard, and Wayne Johnston. The guitarists played and sang old and new songs at different intervals throughout the evening.

The council praised all who participated in the event and especially those who worked so hard to make it a success.

The Lenten Series, sponsored by the Council, is well under way now and a programme of an educational nature is planned for each week. The first of these was held on Ash Wednesday evening, on the topic of Abortion.

The Council looks forward to a good response to these events as much effort has gone into organizing them.

Euchre Party Held At Brinston

The euchre party held Friday night in the I.O.O.F. Brinston, sponsored by the Rebecca Lodge was well attended. The door prize was won by Beverly Young, Elma.

Euchre winners were: Mrs. Ken Beckstead, Morrisburg; Mrs. Sommerville, Iroquois, Bill Lewis, Dundela, Mac Ellis, South Mountain.

The next euchre will be Friday night, February 25th.

Cornwall Girls Win Morrisburg Tournament

-By Lynne O'Brien-

Cornwall Recreation Department girls broomball team captured the honors at the First Annual Morrisburg Girls Broomball Tournament last Saturday.

Despite heavy snowfall, all teams were able to get through, some were short players. Cornwall defeated Morrisburg 4-1, Alexandria and Eamers Corners battled to a scoreless tie. Nancy Hughes gave Alexandria a 1-0 win in the overtime period. Osnabruck Township with 7 players shutout Prescott 3-0.

In the Consolation round, Eamers Corners shutout Morrisburg 1-0 to meet Prescott in the final game. Joan MacLennan scored 3 and Valerie Mason 1 to lead Eamers Corners to a 4-0 win to win and the crests. Cornwall shutout Alexandria 3-0 to meet Osnabruck Township in the final game. Goals by Betty Campbell, Monique Fontaine and Marsha Legue gave Cornwall a 3-0 shutout over Osnabruck. Crests were presented to Cornwall by Rev. F. L. Howald, Recreation Director for Morrisburg. Bob Bright, Morrisburg Councilor presented crests to Consolation winners.

Napanee Ousted From Intermediate A Play-Offs

In a move, described by many hockey fans as a 'low blow', O.D.H.A. officials have ousted Napanee from the Intermediate 'A' play-off picture on what appears to be a technicality.

"At best", said one Embrun Panther player, "it will be a very shallow victory for the ultimate league winners with the top club in the league sitting on the sidelines".

It is understood the situation that prompted O.D.H.A. officials to make the decision was the fact Napanee was not registered on an 'A' card.

To qualify for O.D.H.A. playdowns every player must have a signed card stating the level of competition in which his team is participating. Napanee signed 'B' cards but later realized there was no Intermediate 'B' league in the area and the 'Comets' applied for entry in the 'A' loop.

Their application was accepted and the team competed in the league with Embrun, Renfrew and Shawville.

Shortly before Christmas, it is understood, the team was notified by the O.D.H.A. that they could finish the season in 'A' league competition but could not participate in play-downs.

One reason given for such action was failure to sign 'A' cards and the fact they had an obligation to defend the 'B' title they won last season.

Despite repeated appeals by Napanee management O.D.H.A. officials handed down the final judgement on February 15th and the club will begin 'B' play-downs very soon.

As a result of this unusual situation Embrun moves into the league final by virtue of a bye and must sit out the best-of-seven Renfrew-Shawville series.

This series is already under way with Renfrew edging Shawville 3 to 2 in the first game.

Elects Officers

The first and second meetings of the Williamsburg 4-H Bedroom Bunnies were held at the home of Mrs. G. Pemberton. Thirteen girls are taking part in this project where they will be making 'Accessories For The Bedroom' such as dresser scarves, wastepaper baskets, lamp shades, desk pads and cushions.

Resulting in the election of officers was:

President, Jane Allison, Vice President, Susan Wells.

Storm Cancels Intermediate Play-Off Game At Morrisburg

-By Lynne O'Brien-

The second game of a best of 7 ginals in Seaway Valley Intermediate hockey League was cancelled due to the heavy snowfall. This game will be played Sunday, February 27th, at 2:30 p.m. Passes given out to the area school children will be honored at this game only, and prizes of hockey sticks and a bike will be given away.

In the first game of the finals, Morrisburg Loyalists swamped Alexandria 14-4. John Hutton and Fred Harper scored a hat trick each, with pairs by Jack Duncan, and Rick Rushford and singles by Ron Alguire, Tom McCabe, Big Doug Casselman, and Bill Lawlor. Ken MacDonald scored twice for Alexandria with singles by Dave Liddle and Bob MacDonald. 4 minors were handed out, 3 to the Loyalists.

Loyalists led 3-0 after the first period and 10-3 after the second. Don't forget, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 27th, 2:30 p.m. - Alexandria vs Morrisburg Loyalists. All children admitted free if accompanied by a parent or adult.

St. Lawrence Junior B Play-off Positions Decided

St. Lawrence Junior B Hockey League play-off positions have already been decided, although a weekend of play still remains in the regular schedule.

Winchester Hawks will meet Alexandria Glens in the Northern Division (this is a quarter final series) and Metcalfe Jets will draw a bye. The reason for the Jets' bye is the result of Maxville's earlier withdrawal from the league. The winner of the quarter finals will cross over to the Southern Division to compete in the semi-finals.

In the Southern Division Morrisburg Lions will tangle with Prescott Saints and Cardinal Broncos will meet Spencerville Bruins, both quarter final series, with the winners meeting Northern Division winners.

Following are the league standings as of February 22 and as team positions cannot mathematically change, should be considered as final.

NORTH

	GP	W	L	T	Pts.
M. Jets	32	24	7	1	49
A. Glens	33	19	13	1	39
W. Hawks	32	14	13	5	33

SOUTH

	GP	W	L	T	Pts.
M. Lions	33	25	8	0	50
C. Broncos	32	17	11	4	38
P. Saints*	34	15	15	4	34
S. Bruins*	34	8	22	4	20

* regular schedule completed



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A New Session

The air is full of election talk as Parliament re-opens. Whether the Session will be long or short, it will be vigorous and controversial. There is important work to be done.

The full effect of the Cabinet changes made during the recess remains to be seen. While no major changes in policy are likely to result, there will be important changes in emphasis. John Turner, the new Minister of Finance, has already made it clear that his principal concern will be providing work for able-bodied Canadians and not the discussion of economic theory.

Throne Speech

By the time this column is printed, most people will be bored by the discussion of the Speech from the Throne. It would be a refreshing change if the Opposition did not condemn the Throne Speech out of hand and equally if the Government did not load it with self praise. The Speech should outline the major problems of the day and proposals for dealing with them.

Even a cursory reading of the Throne Speech indicates our principal national concern. More than half of the speech is devoted to economic affairs, both national and international. The reducing unemployment, fostering economic development and promoting growth are given the most prominent places in the Speech. Proposals to deal with the foreign ownership in our economy will be presented and this may become the main issue of the Session.

The Speech puts great emphasis on the quality of life, including the creation of new National Parks, better conservation for wildlife, greater emphasis on housing and an imaginative proposal to create Heritage Canada to assist in maintaining important historical records. The Speech eloquently refers to the problems faced by ordinary citizens living in a society increasingly dominated by bigger governments and businesses. Protection of the right of privacy, compensation for victims of crimes and the extension of legal aid at the Federal level, will constitute great advances in this area.

Canada Fundamentally Sound

During the recess some important foreign organizations commented on Canada, praising us for our economic progress in the past year and uttering encouraging words about our future as did "The Economist" in a recent issue devoted to Canada:

"Difficulties in Canada certainly speak for themselves. But economic advance, more civilized living and cultural progress have been there to see over the years and they will gather heightened pace over the future."

Naturally it is pleasant for me to see objective opinion from outside Canada emphasize the fundamental strengths of our country. We should not sell it short regardless of the conflicting views we might have now or in the strenuous political campaigning which lies ahead.

An indication of the kind of people we are is proved by the sad report of Eddy Jack, the inventor of the wartime Mosquito Aircraft. The newspapers reported that he was almost down and out and that the mortgage on his home in Toronto had been foreclosed. Along with other Members I have been called by generous constituents who wanted to help Mr. Jack. This shows the best side of all of us - a generous spirit of concern for our fellow man.

Olson To Open Forum On Agriculture

There will be an excellent opportuntiy for people to hear about Canada's agriculture policies and problems at first hand. The Minister of Agriculture, the Honourable Bud Olson, will attend a meeting arranged by the Dundas Federation of Agriculture at Nationview Public school, South Mountain, Ontario, on February 28th, at 8 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to permit everyone to put questions to Mr. Olson about all aspects of agriculture. It should be a lively and informative meeting and I hope many of you can attend.

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Farm Safety Council Sponsorship Shifts To WCB

The Farm Safety Council of Ontario, organized in 1959 under the financial sponsorship of the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, will, effective April 1, 1972, receive that sponsorship from the Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario.

This change was announced by the Hon. Wm. A. Stewart, Minister of Agriculture and Food for Ontario, at the Annual Meeting Banquet of the Council in Toronto on February 8, 1972.

The Minister congratulated the Farm Safety Council for its achievements, and offered particular praise to those who had given so much voluntary effort in the futherance of Council programs.

Mr. Stewart said that the sponsorship transfer, was a logical move, inasmuch as there are more than 27,000 Ontario farmers with employees and some 2,000 self-employed farmers with out employees, covered by Workmen's Compensation. The extension of Workmen's Compensation coverage to farm people was seen by the Minister as one of the most significant steps taken in the field of farm safety in recent years. By accepting sponsorship of the Farm Safety Council, the Workmen's Compensation Board was in effect reinvesting a small portion of the farmer's premiums in the farm safety program, something that could hopefully result in fewer accidents and a net reduction in the premium rate.

Mr. Stewart commented that too many people consider Workmen's Compensation coverage a 'fringe benefit for their employees', when in fact it was a 'controllable cost' of the farm operation. He noted that the cost was controllable in that all farmers working together to prevent accidents could effect a steadily declining premium rate.

He concluded by pledging the continuing cooperation and assistance of the Department of Agriculture and Food in the farm safety movement in Ontario.

Jehovah's Witnesses To Convene

One of the most active evangelizing groups in south-eastern Ontario will hold a three-day training seminar in Ottawa this weekend, February 25 to 27.

Jehovah's witnesses from 11 congregations south of Ottawa will meet at the Ridgemont High School on Alta Vista Drive to discuss strengthening Christian congregations for ministerial work.

"The convention theme, 'Conscious of Our Spiritual Needs,' is taken from the famous 'Sermon on the Mount'," said Daryl Shellborn, chairman of the Kemptville congregation.

"However, the convention is not a matter of looking out for only our own spiritual interests.

"Its program has the community in mind, starting at the family level," he said.

Among the topics to be directed to youth will be a Saturday eveing discussion on "What are your reading habits?"

"The emphasis is on quality, not just quantity," said Mr. Shellborn.

"Young people want and should have a good foundation on a variety of subjects," he said. "Reading is an important factor in learning. For a successful life, regular Bible reading should be among the things that have priority in one's schedule."

Convention sessions will be open to interested persons.

Mr. Shellborn said the highlight will be a 'forceful' public lecture on Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. when Gichard A. Grant of Toronto speaks on the subject "Are You 'Marked' for Survival?"

About 1,000 people are expected to attend the gathering.

Elect Ottawa Presbyterial President

Mrs. Hugh Lindsay was elected president of the Ottawa Presbyterial, Women's Missionary Society at the annual meeting recently.

The meeting was held at Knox Presbyterian Church, Ottawa and Mrs. R.D.P. Montgomery, immediate past president, conducted the program with Mrs. W.D. Dow leading in opening devotions.

The National president, Mrs. J. M. Burnett, addressed the gathering showing slides taken during a recent visit among workers in many countries.

Miss Doris Blaise, Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Donald Hope led groups in discussion on the program and work of the society.

Mrs. W.D. Dow of Metcalfe was unanimously elected an honorary president in recognition of her faithful service to the society.

Elected to serve on the executive panel with Mrs. Lindsay were: Mrs. E.T. Armstrong and Mrs. J. Dagg, Vice-Presidents, Mrs. Robert Bell, Secretary, and Miss Dorothy Sinclair as treasurer.

Other secretaries are: Miss Neita Mitchell, Mrs. Walter Frith, Mrs. Donald Hope, Mrs. J. K. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. C. W. McLeish, Mrs . W.W. Miller, Mrs. R.D.P. Montogmery, Mrs. J.H. McKibbon, and Mrs. W. Pottinger.

Morrisburg Horticultural Society Approves New Slate Of Officers

Members of Morrisburg Horticultural Society staged their first 1972 meeting at the Civic Auditorium last week and the slate of officers submitted at the Annual Meeting in November was unanimously approved.

J. Robert Bright, treasurer, (1971) reported the society's financial position as satisfactory and an expenditure of $100.00 for the flower bed at the junction of Highways 2 and 31 was approved.

Approximately 175 were in attendance and an interesting program, including presentations by the Senior Citizens' Club, was greatly enjoyed.

Newly-elected officers follow:

President: Miss Gladys M. Bayne; 1st Vice-President: Mr. Graham Wells; 2nd Vice-President: Mr. Fred Casselman; Secretary: Mrs. George Smith; Treasurer: Mr. V.M. Pyette;

Directors for One-Year Term: 1972:

Mrs. J. W. MacDonald; Mrs. John W. MacIntosh; Mrs. Harry Steward; Mrs. Gordon W. Thom; Mr. Lorne Laurie.

Directors for two-year term: 1972-1973:

Mrs. Wilfred J. Foss; Mrs. Basil Glover; Mrs. Isobel York; Mr. Leeman Ouderkirk; Mr. E. Bruce Tuttle.

COMMITTEES:

August Flower Show: Mrs. Graham Wells.

Door Prize: Mrs. Donald M. Magee; Mrs. Mac A. Robertson.

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Programme: Mrs. James Harvey; Mrs. B. Mac Strader; Mrs. J. W. MacDonald; Mr. E. Bruce Tuttle;

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Newsletters -Edior - Mr. E. Bruce Tuttle; Assistants: Miss Blance Van Allen; Miss Mary VanAllen.

Auditors: Mr. W. E. Roberts Mr. S. Gordon Walroth.

Pleasant Valley United Church Women Hold February Meeting

The February U.C.W. was held on Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Don Francis. Ten members present. Mrs. Francis had charge of the devotions and as the meeting in January had to be cancelled owing to the stormy weather, Mrs. Francis took as her topic New Years. Hymn 571 was sung. Bible reading read by Mrs. Walter McShane - Genesis 10 Chapter 1-10. Reading of the scripture, Mrs. Don Francis. A number of readings were given - 'Life Send A Bill', Mrs. George Francis; 'The Open Bible', Mrs. Herbert Wallace; A Prayer To God' Mrs. Ken Hunter; 'Kindly Smiles', Wanda Francis 'The Attitude To The Age' - Mrs. Mansel Wallace. Mrs. Don Francis read an interesting papter on New Zealand.

1972 nomination of officers went well for most of the members took their old positions, Mrs. Cecil Somerville felt she was not able to take her position as sick and visiting, also gifts to the sick and Mrs. Ken Hunter was kind to take over Mrs. Somerville's work. Also in the passing of the late Mrs. Hilliard Gilmer, Mrs. Mansel Wallace will take over the Temperance readings. Collection amounted to $3.10 and the ladies paid their fees. The meeting closed by the Lord's Prayer and the West Group served a delicious lunch . The U.C.W. were invited to Mrs. Herbert Wallace for March meeting. Mrs. Wallace will have charge of the Devotions.

Mrs. Clelland Hamilton Hosts North Russell Women's Institute

The monthly meeting of the North Russell Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Clelland Hamilton with president, Mrs. Keith Dugdale in the chair. Following Institute Ode and Mary Stewart Collect, the roll call was answered by telling 'How I can be more thoughtful of Senior Citizens'.

Mrs. Gerard Oosterholt was chosen to be delegate to the Officers' Conference at Guelph on May 2 and 3rd. Mrs. Helen Boothe, Mrs. Eldon Paul and Mrs. Richard Morrow volunteered to form a committee to assist with the Senior Citizens' Evening, a feature of the Russell Carnival sponsored by the Russell Lions Club. Further plans were made for a programme to be held in Anglican Church Hall on March 17, celebrating the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the W.I.

Mrs. Morgan Johnston read excerpts from the Code of Human Rights, and a resolution, drafted by Mrs. Robert McCallum, regarding compulsory use of safety bottles for pills was read and tabled for future consideration.

After the singing of the Institute Grace, lunch was served by Mrs. Orval Fawcett, Mrs. Clelland Hamilton and Mrs. Richard Morrow. A lucky prize was won by Mrs. Gerard Oosterholt.

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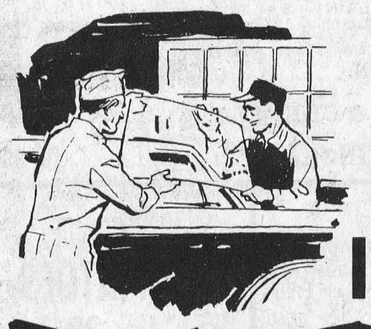

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WINNING GOAL DISALLOWED

Hawks Shout "Robbed" In Tie With Spencerville

Spencerville Bruins left the Kemptville District Community Centre last Wednesday night with their third tie of the season against the Winchester Hawks. A 5-5 count to be exact, but according to many of those fans present, Winchester was robbed.

The Hawks hold the only victory, a 10-6 win, in four meetings between these two teams this year.

After two periods of fast and exciting hockey Spencerville held a 4-3 edge in scoring and appeared to be wearing down the short-handed Hawks. Winchester outscored the visitors 2-1 in the final stanza for the tie. A disallowed goal late in the period cost the Hawks a win.

Bob McClintock opened the scoring at 4:03 of the first twenty minutes with the Bruins' Duckfield off for tripping. David Kaylo drew Spencerville even at the 6:43 mark and Bill Jasnmon gave the visitors a 2-1 lead four minutes later. Bob Volks celebrated his return to action by setting up the Hawks second goal by Tom Patterson, before the period ended.

The Bruins held a slight edge in play during the second period and they got goals from Wadd Smail and Jack Westrate with Jacques Landry replying for the Hawks.

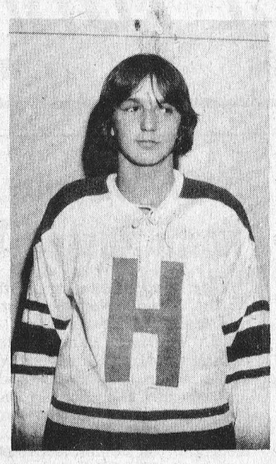
Trailing 4-3 to start the final period, the sparsely manned Hawks momentarily sagged and then caught fire. For the final fifteen minutes of the hockey game Winchester outplayed and outskated Spencerville and with any kind of a break should have won this game. Jacques Landry and Randy MacDonald scored for Winchester in the final and Jack Westrate got the Bruins' tieing goal with only second left on the clock.

BLUELINE BITS

This tie was hearbreaker for the Hawks. Although it meant nothing as far as the final standings were concerned, a good percentage of the fans thought that disallowed goal was in, but the goal judge and referee said no.

An ailing Dave VanBridger played a standout game . . . Jacques Landry returned to form with two goals and an assist and Bobby Volks made an impressive return to action.

Randy MacDonald would have to be picked as a star of this contest on the basis of his hustle and drive. This young forward was skating both ways and came up with a big game for the Hawks, picking up a goal and an assist.



Randy MacDonald

Terry Largy was this writer's pick on the Bruins squad. This young puckstopper was called on twice during the game to fill in for regular goaltender Brian Bush. Bush was cut by a high shot at the 7:00 mark of the first peiod and retired for stitches. Again in the third, Brian was decked by one of his own players and was forced out of the game. On both occasions, young Largy filled the breach with some outstanding goaltending. Terry was a combination of spectacular and lucky in the last few minutes of the game as the Hawks fired everything but the seats at him.

Other Bruins who caught the eye were Jack Westrate and David Kaylo, along with John Westrate.

Hawks have two games remaining in the regular schedule. They play in Morrisburg this Friday and in Cardinal on Saturday. Hawks open their quarter-final play-off series against Alexandria Glens, in Alexandria, on Tuesday, February 29th. The second game of that series will be played in Kemptville on Friday, March 3rd.



He Shoots . . . He Scores

-Mike Armstrong, wearing No. 13 for Winchester Bantams, cleverly outmanouevered Metcalfe Danny Crerar, and as the camera clicked, was in the act of scoring goal number 2 to give the home team and early lead in the game played at the community centre last week.

The lead was short-lived, however, for the visitors stormed back to fire home twelve unanswered markers before the game ended.

The Metcalfe boys, sponsored by Metcalfe and District Lions Club and wearing McKee Gas Bar sweaters are presently engaged in what might be considered double play-downs.

Competing in both Grenville-Carleton League play-downs and also O.D.H.A. play-downs the lads are away to a flying start.

The total-point series against Osgoode last week not only moved them into league finals but also moved them up one step in district play.

The young team outscored Osgoode 8 to 1 in the two games.

Dobronski of Osgoode managed to net one in the first game but for the balance of the series Al Herr (shown in net in accompanying photo) was unbeatable.

Moe Robinson, Scott Herr, Brad Sullivan, Eric Shouldice and Larry McEvoy were marksmen in the first game. Danny Crerar picked up three assists.

In game two Moe Robinson again opened the scoring with Crerar adding two insurance goals.

The team now advances aginst Richmond in the District play-downs and against Kemptville in the race for the league championship.

Coach Peter McCooeye says his boys are improving with each game and had special words of praise for diminutive Eric Shouldice.

-Press Staff Photo-

Top Bowlers For The Week

South Mountain

Only seven players scored over the '600' at South Mountain Bowling Lanes last week with Gord Richardson leading the race. Gord, with singles of 206, 224 and 270 for 700 edged Jim Scott by only 17 points.

Bob Taylor with 667; Glen Hess, 640; Wayne Kenney, 629; Deb Wyatt, 624; and Denzil Allen, 618, finished in that order.

Sutton's Lanes

Fireside Men's League - High Single and High Cross, Lloyd Guy, 265; 674;

Over 600: Earl Graves, 634.

Gay Twenties: High Cross-Chuck Goodwin, 698; High Single Charlie Walker -258.

Over 550: Milton Robinson, 662; Frank Acres, 610; Charlie Walker, 589; Bruce Acres, 577.

Happy Gang: High Single, Judy Fisher, 217; High Cross, Eleanor Marriner, 652 (250).

Over 500: Judy Fisher: 585; Muriel Levere, 521.

Glamour Girls: High Single: Sandra Tysick, 249; High Cross-Mary Levere, 624.

Over 500: Marion Carkner, 581; Sandra Tysick, 557; Alma Douglas, 556; Janet Holmes, 539; Eileen McConnell, 517; Joyce Angus, 516.

Bantam Tourney At Morrisburg Saturday

-By Lynne O'Brien-

The Annual Morrisburg Bantam Tournament will get underway at 8 a.m. Saturday morning, February 26th, with 8 teams participating. Schedule follows:

8 a.m. Morrisburg vs Long Sault.

9 a.m. Cardinal vs Iroquois

10 a.m. Kemptville vs Spencerville

11 a.m. Athens vs Richmond.

The final game for the 'B' champs wil start at 4 p.m. with the final game of the tournament underway at 5 p.m.

Morrisburg won the tournament 1966, 1968, 1970, Potsdam, 1967, Cardinal 1969 and Ottawa South 1971.

"Bogie Benders" Announce Rally Winners

The snowmobile rally, sponsored by Russell 'Bogie Benders' and run in conjunction with the annual winter carnival, proved very successful despite a blinding snow storm accompanied by gale-force winds. Officials have released the following results;

Speed race: 1st, Roy McCooeye, Metcalfe, 2 hours 19 minutes. 2nd, Hugh Robinson, Winchester.

Rally Winners: 1st, Garrett Lowe, Bearbrooke, 2nd, Robert McCooeye, Metcalfe. 3rd, (tie), Edgar Amyot and Bob Martel both of Metcalfe. 4th (tie) Steve Morrow, Russell and Bob Levere, Winchester. 5th, Bob Sauve, Metcalfe. 6th, Brian Magladry Russell. 'Booby' Prize, Brian Fetterly, Winchester.

WILLIAMSBURG LEGION CASH BINGOS
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Cash Bingos will commence on Wednesday, January 5th, 1972 at Williamsburg Legion, Bouck's Hill, and will continue every Wednesday evening beginning at 8:00 o'clock. Jackpot $120.00. Admission $1.00. 35tfc

INFORMATION CENTRE OPENS AT MORRISBURG

A General Information Centre, sponsored by the Seaway Community Service, is being established at "The Dugout" in Morrisburg. It will operate on Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons from 2 to 4 p.m. and Friday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. Come and see us, or phone 543-2119. 41-46c

SNOWMOBILE RALLY AT WINCHESTER SPRINGS

Winchester Springs Snowmobile Rally this Saturday, February 26, 1972. Registration 12:30 p.m. at the school. Entry Fee $3.50 (includes supper for two). 43c

EUCHRE AT S. MOUNTAIN

C.W.L. of St. Daniel's Parish, South Mountain, will be held in the Church Hall, Wednesday, March 15th, beginning at 8 p.m. Good prizes. Lunch served. Admission 50c. Everybody welcome. 43 & 45c

PROMINENT SPEAKERS AT NATIONVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL NEXT MONDAY

The Dundas County Federation of Agriculture is sponsoring the Hon. H. A. Olson and Gordon Blair, M.P. to speak at Nationview Public School, South Mountain, on Monday, February 28th, at 8 p.m. Question and answer period afterwards. 43c

NEW LIBRARY TO OPEN AT VERNON

A New Library, sponsored by the Osgoode Township Library Board, will be officially opened in Club 31, Vernon, Feb. 29 at 8 p.m. by Dr. W. A. Taylor who is Reeve of Osgoode Township and also a member of the Library Board Mr. Larry E. Shelman and Mrs. Joan MacLeod, of the Regional Board, will also be present. Come and support your Library. Refreshments will be served. No admission.

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EUCHRE PARTY

Dundas Junior Farmers will hold a Euchre Party at Morewood Public School, Friday, February 25, at 8:00 p.m. Ladies please bring lunch. Silver Collection. Everyone welcome. 43p

WINCHESTER SPRINGS ANNUAL WINTER CARNIVAL

Winchester Springs Annual Winter Carnival, February 25th and 26th. Friday evening. 6:30—Broomball, H.S. staff vs. Springs; 7:30, Skating and Costumes, Races and Games. Saturday, 9 to 12, 4-team Atom Tournament; 12:30, Girls' Broomball Game; 1:30, Ladies' Broomball; 2:30, Games, Tug-of-War; 3:00, Pee Wee Hockey Game. Supper at the school beginning at 4:30. 43c

ATTENTION, FARMERS!

A Grains Meeting will be held March 1st and 2nd, Wednesday and Thursday. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Cornwall. This meeting is of special interest to all farmers who grow corn. Other grains besides corn will also be discussed. A special invitation is extended to all prospective buyers in the area. Doug. Yonge will be the guest speaker and will try to answer all grievances where prices and amount of product for sale will be estimated. Everybody welcome. 43c

SNOWMOBILE RALLY AT STAMPVILLE

Stampville Snowmobile Rally. Saturday, March 4th, starting at 12 noon, Brinston Hall. Prizes. Entry fee $5.00 includes beans and weiners, scalloped potatoes, and Dance. Open to all. Supper and Dance only $4.00. Featuring Country Cousins. Tickets available at Johnny's Spot, Iroquois Shopping Centre, or call 652-2132 after 5. 43-44c

1972 ICE CARNIVAL AT WILLIAMSBURG

The Annual Williamsburg Ice Carnival will be held on Friday, February 25th, starting at 7:30 p.m. This carnival is sponsored by the merchants and businessmen of Williamsburg and area. Prizes for all classes in costume and races. Admission free. 43c

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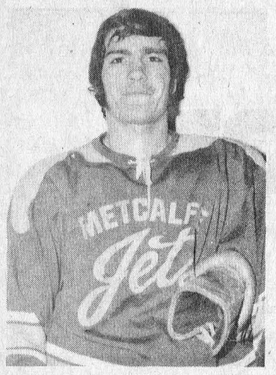

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HIS FADING HOPE

Society's death wish arises out of historical, or maybe biological, necessity, rather than out of any rational, or even irrational, considerations. Cultures, like regimes and families, are ultimately wound up.

Little comfort can be offered to those who cling to the hope that the pendulum will swing back, or another revival succeed. There is too much truth in what Kenneth Boulding, an eminent economist and social thinker, writes, "The world of today is as different from the world into which I was born as that world was from Julius Caesar's".

There is likewise too much truth in what John Diebold, the American automation expert, writes, "The effect of the technological revolution we are now living through will be deeper than any social change we have experienced before."

It is in this context that one has to say that imperialism, racism, and decay in morals have gone too far. Western man's hand on the throttle is ever weaker. The "world" that has held many traditions and structures dear to not a few of us is passing away. The high-powered engine that pulls it is hell-bent for destruction.

What, then, can be said for the encouragement of faltering lives? It was said long ago when, as yet, a proud Roman "world", that was also starting to disintegrate, paid scant heed to the Nazarene's followers. These were exhorted by an apostle, "Do not be conformed to this world but be transformed by the renewal of your mind. Have this mind among yourselves, which you have in Christ Jesus."

His mind knew fading hope too!

The 6th chapter of St. John's Gospel marks the watershed of his ministry. He had commenced with the ideal of God's kingdom shining in his eyes. Why should not that kingdom be realized, at least in Palestine, while he went about teaching and doing good?

Our Lord emphasized the inwardness of God's kingdom. This was the key to his parables about the sower, the yeast, and the salt of the earth. The kingdom was not foreign to human effort, but it was foreign to human sin. Here lay the source of his fading hope.

The episode of feeding the five thousand meant a transition. The multitude was so thrilled that it wanted to take Christ by force and make him a temporal soverign. But what was all this preaching about bread from heaven? "Many of his disciples drew back and no longer went about with him."

The chief inspiration of our Lord's ministry is found in its second part. As his first hope faded, it was gradually replaced by what became a sure and certain hope. "He steadfastly set his face to go to Jerusalem." Calvary would let loose the full meaning of his mission, and complete all that he had said and done.

How? Men would see a new kind of strength, a new order of chivalry, a new estimate of greatness, and a new concept of brotherhood. Besides, his followers would be pioneers of a spiritual democracy because, on the Cross, he had been the pioneer and perfecter of faith. The seed was planted, the yeast added, and the salt sprinkled as never before or since.

No wonder one of the Savior's converts uttered these timeless words, "If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, will he not also give us all things with him?" No wonder the Gospel disturbs each succeeding culture, is fully at home in none, and always has an inner genius to mould the next new one!

No wonder and yet the wonder of it! We have a unique treasure to cherish and pass on. Christ puchased it, not Karl Marx. St. Paul made sure that it would reach us, not Henry Ford or Hugh Hefner.

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EDITORIALS... *the way we see it!*

Ratepayers Educational Association? - Yes

A few weeks ago we published a rather scathing letter from the president of the North Dundas District Educational Associaton. In his letter he pointed a finger of scorn at one very important factor — the continuous complaints by parents too complacent to take steps that might remedy an unfortunate situation.

We agree there is an urgent need for educational guidance from, what politicians refer to as, the grass-roots level.

The society we live in is geared to "big business" and we must reluctantly admit our present educational system is operated by "remote control." This is not to say our elected representative is not ably fulfilling his role. The question is simply this: How can one man possibly replace the many dedicated men and women who once served on small boards? These were ratepayers who had their fingers on the very pulse of the "section" they represented; people who were easily approachable, and willing to listen to the educational problems of every parent.

Ten years from now possibly someone will be able to tell us why the present extravagant experiment failed, but meanwhile the burden must be shouldered and anxious parents need some type of liaison body. Such an organization will surely benefit not only parents, teachers and students, but the Board of Education as well.

We recently talked with a trustee elected to represent an entire township in another area. He outlined a few of the complex problems he must face daily and stated rather emphatically, "I need help." That help, he felt, could be provided by an educational association made up of interested ratepayers, but unfortunately none existed.

Here in the school district known as North Dundas there is such an association, but it is being slowly strangled by complacency. "If you can't beat them, join them" may well be an old chestnut, but it is still applicable.

Let's quit knocking the system and, instead, transmit constructive criticism to the Board level through our educational association.

Do we need a "Ratepayers' Educational Association"? The answer—"Yes, and urgently."

Parable Of The Corn

There was a man who was in the business of raising chickens. However, he raised no corn to feed the birds and the hens refused to lay eggs unless they were fed.

Nearby there was a farmer who grew large quantities of corn, so the chicken farmer went to him and offered to work one day each week for a wage of $5.00.

The agreement was made, the chicken farmer went to work each week, earned five dollars and gave the money back to the farmer in return for five bushels of corn.

For a time everyone was happy. The hens got their corn, their owner earned five dollars a week and the farmer had the labor of the chicken farmer one day each week.

Then one day the chicken farmer went to the farmer and said: "The price of everything is going up so much that I cannot work for less than $7.50 per day." The farmer agreed that that seemed fair enough, but added: "I agree that prices are going up and that you should get $7.50 per day, but prices have gone up for me too and I can't sell you a bushel of corn for less than $1.50."

The chicken farmer agreed that that was fair, so he worked for $7.50 per day and paid $7.50 for five bushels of corn.

Finally he got $10.00 per day and paid $2.00 a bushel for corn.

And the farmer was happy and said to his wife: "Things are good. I get two dollars a bushel for my corn." And the chicken farmer said to his wife: "Things are good. I get ten dollars a day for my labour."

And the statistician said: "Isn't this wonderful; National incomes are at new high levels."

And the politicians bragged about it and said: "It was our party that did this for you."

Everybody felt so good about it that they voted for the politicians.

(from Chitty's Law Journal)



BILL SMILEY WRITES

the way it was for Billy The Kid

In a nostalgic mood today, I've been thinking that, with the onslaught of the Speed Age, many of our fine old Canadian traditions have fallen by the wayside, died on the vine, or simply lain down and curled up their toes.

One of the first to go, of course, was the blacksmith. It hurts me to face the truth: that most people today under thirty have never known the sensory joys of a blacksmith's shop.

At this time of year, small boys used to squeeze through the ramshackle door, and edge as close as they could to the fire, freezing their bums and roasting their cheeks. There was a fine acrid stench of horse manure and scorched hooves. There was the leaping flame as the bellows blew. There was the ringing clang as the smith beat out the white-hot metal between hammer and anvil, and the satisfying hiss when the hot metal was plunged into the cold water.

At a certain age, most male kids would have settled happily for the life of a blacksmith, a free soul who spent his days doing the most fascinating work in the world.

The decline of the smithy, of course, was brought about by the gradual phasing out of another tradition – the horse-drawn vehicle.

I wonder how many kids of this generation have ever spent a winter Saturday "catching bobs". This was our term for jumping on the backs of farmers' sleighs.

All day long the farmers came and went to and from town. And all day long we hopped on behind a load of grain, left that for a load of supplies going the other way, picked up a sleigh piled with logs for the return trip, and shivered with delighted fear as the farmers shouted at us, and even sometimes flourished their whips in our direction.

As we grew a little older, about 12, we graduated to catching on the wing a cutter. This was more daring and more dangerous because they could really fly, the runner was much smaller, and the farmer could turn around and belt you one on the ear.

Most of them, of course, were pretty decent. I know now that they were more worried about us getting hurt in a fall than they were about the extra weight their horses had to pull.

Then there were the butchers' cutters. These consisted of a sort of box with runners beneath, and a step at the back for the driver to stand on. The horses were not plugs, but real road-runners that went like a bat out of hell. They were every bit as exciting as a Roman chariot, and the drivers were the envy of every boy, in fur caps, reins in one hand, whip in the other, as they tore through the town like furies.

And I wonder how many boys have played hockey all day on a frozen river, when a hard shot the goalie missed might slide for a quarter of a mile. We never had to worry about ice-time, or changing lines. We could play until we were pooped, then sit by the bonfire until rested, and have another go. And there were always twenty or thirty playing at once, so everybody got a whack at the puck. Some great stick-handlers came out of that era.

Think of the depths to which we have sunk. The smithy, with its light and shadows, its reds and blacks, its earthy smells, its sense of life, has been replaced by the garage, a sterile thing with its cement floor, its reek of gas and oil, and its unspoken assurance that this-is-gonna-cost-you-plenty-buddy.

The cutter, swift and light as a bird, no longer skims the snow. It has been replaced by a stinking, snarling, skidding beast that only modern man could abide – the snowmobile.

No more meat-cutters, careening around the corners on one runner, delivering in any weather. Now, we plod like zombies through the supermarket, to moronic piped-in music, and pick up the odourless, antiseptic, cellophaned packages the great gods Dominion, Loblaw or Safeway have assigned to us, and carry them humbly to our cars, three blocks away.

Our kids have to get up at five a.m. to play hockey, and if they're not real "killers", get about four minutes ice-time.

Ah, those were the days! And I haven't even begun on the most vital of all winter equipment – the puck consisting of a frozen horse-bun.

The Seventh Column

Come to think of it, we've had several weeks of ideal snowmobiling weather and, to date, have heard no complaints concerning property damage, excessive noise or other bothersome factors. Either the sportsmen (and women) have become more law-abiding or people more complacent — or both.

We still get "shook up" when someone mentions the word "level crossing." Little wonder considering the deplorable condition of Highway 31 where the C.P.R. tracks slice through it at Winchester Station. A current television commercial demonstrates the riding comfort of a certain make of car using a glass of water, the auto, and a railroad track. Anyone like to guess what would happen to the water (and the glass) if the test was tried at Winchester?

According to recent reports 486 of the electronic technicians out on strike (at time of writing) are classified as "designated employees." This means persons deemed essential to maintain electronic and communications systems for military as well as commercial flying. The Public Service Staff Relations Act reads: "Section 101 (1) (c)—No employee shall participate in a strike who is a designated employee; Section 104 (1)—"Every employee who contravenes section 101 is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding $100." We agree completely with Section 101 but it is very obvious the penalty in 104 needs much sharper teeth.

Winchester Town Hall was the scene of an impressive ceremony last Thursday night when ten Girl Guides were enrolled. Proof, if any were necessary, that village girls are receiving able adult guidance was the presence of 30 Brownies at the ceremony. We must assume, since no reports to the contrary have been received, that Scouts and Cubs have also found willing helpers.

To date Old Man Winter has favoured most Carnivals with appropriate weather, although South Mountain and Russell may agree last Saturday was a bit too much of the good thing. This Saturday all eyes will be on Vernon where a gala event, complete with crowning of a Queen, will be staged. Vernon, like South Mountain and Russell, must depend on an open-air rink, but apparently this will create no problem. Bill Porteous has assured us soft moonlight and moderate temperatures will prevail in "his" town for the very special event.

Couldn't resist printing this one, even at the possible cost of losing some good friends. TEACHER: "The jackass walked down the street." KID: "Whattsa jackass?" TEACHER: "You mean to sit there and look me in the face and say you don't know what a jackass is?"

The recent train derailment at Morrisburg caused some unexpected excitement when it was discovered cargo on one of the wrecked cars contained a "bubbly" substance. If reports sifting across the desk are correct guards had some difficulty protecting the stuff from would-be samplers. Of course, should such an unfortunate accident chance to happen in our town guards would not be necessary. We're a "dry" town you see and . . .

This may not have been in Winchester but the story goes something like this. A customer, entering a bank, noted the pretty teller was busy counting a stack of bills, and as he approached the wicket he heard her say, "fifty-seven, fifty-eight," and she placed the bundle in a drawer. Not being in a hurry the friendly gentleman suggested she might finish her counting chore before cashing his cheque. With a winning smile she replied, "it's O.K., if it's right up to fifty-eight it's likely right the rest of the way."

Have you noticed that governments and, as a matter of fact, practically all progressive organizations are being run by youngsters? You have? Then you're getting old too!



Donald Rose Among Top Ayrshire Breeders

Donald S. Rose, Mountain, was listed among the winners when the Ayrshire Breeders' Association of Canada presented special Production Plaques and Production Trays to owners of high producting cows at their Annual Banquet at King-Edward Hotel, Toronto, last Thursday.

Mr. Rose was declared the winner in Group C. for herds with 26-40 records. His 30 cow herd averaged 14,335 lbs. milk, 590 lbs. fat, 4.12% with B.C.A.'s of 177 for milk and 178 for fat.

His average has increased over 30 B.C.A. index points in the last two years. Twenty of his cows are by high plus proven sires and three of them have 305 day records over 700 lbs. fat.

FARM NEWS

South Nation River Conservation Authority

Russell Township Reeve Burton Re-Elected Chairman

W. E. Burton, Reeve of Russell Township, was returned to office for a fourth term as chairman of the South Nation River Conservation Authority at the annual meeting last week.

The meeting was held at Berwick and Mr. Burton reported that work on the Plantagenet Rock cut had been completed except for settlements with two landowners. He also reported on the SWEEP program for students and on the progress of the cleaning of the landslide near Lemieux.

Twenty-one of the thirty municipalities comprising the Authority were represented and A. W. Chalk, Resources Manager, reported the transaction for purchase of Crysler dam had been nearly completed by solicitors. He also explained the Land Compensation Board hearing with respect to the Russell Reservoir and sponsorship of 4-H Forestry Clubs.

A. J. Campbell of the Ontario Department of Lands and Forests told the meeting the Authority forest is growing rapidly. 250,000 trees, he said, will be planted in the spring.

Dave Strelchuk of Ontario Department of the Environment outlined the problems of constructing a dam near Lemieux.

Members agreed to carry out preliminary engineering on the dam at Crysler after puchase was completed. The dam, it is understood, will be repaired over a period of years.

It was learned a levy of $24,674.00 will be made on the various municipalities in 1972 for all purposes, according to equalized assessment.

Other officers elected were as follows: vice chairman, Kenzie MacGillivray; secretary-treasurer, Arnott Empey; executive members, P.E. Levesque, Cecil MacNabb, Roger Ouellette, Eric Casselman, L.E. Brisson, W.E. Burchell, C. E. Blair, Harry R. Shaver and Harry Williams.

Frazer and Otton were appointed auditors and McInnis and MacEwen solicitors.



O.F.A. Delegation Meets Premier Davis

Last Tuesday Ontario Federation President Gordon Hill and a delegation of 14 other farmers met with Prime Minister William Davis and his cabinet. They met in Committee Room one in the Legislative Buildings at Queen's Park.

The federation delegation sat one side of the room. The cabinet ministers sat the other side. Davis was flanked by his two ministers most interested in farming, Agriculture Minister William Stewart on his right, Municipal Affairs Minister Darcy McKeough on his left.

Hill presented the Federation's recommendations to the Ontario government - including proposals for special loans to egg producers and to increase beef-calf production - and then the two sides began discussion.

"I think it was a good meeting," Hill said later. "Of course they did not say they would do everything we asked them to do. But they save us a good hearing. They are seriously concerned about the income predicament that farmers find themselves in".

Then on Thursday last week Hill and his delegation met both the Liberal and New Democrat members. In more informal meetings, the federation members presented their submission and discussed its contents. The Liberal's Robert Nixon and the NDP's Stephen Lewis both agreed that they should talk to federation people more often.

Picture: Prime Minister William Davis (right), Agriculture Minister William Stewart (Centre) and Ontario Federation of Agriculture President Gordon Hill share a joke just before sitting down to discuss the federation's submission to the Ontario government last week.

ALL CANADIAN CHAMPION

Moose Creek Girl Places Second In Holstein Judging

There were 475 valid entries received for the 4-H Junior Judging Contest held in connection with the All-Canadian awards. In addition, a total of 170 ballots were received with no 4-H Club affiliation marked. These had to be discarded, since the contest is open only to 4-H members. Actually, a check of the entries in this group revealed the names of many well known members of the Association who evidently overlooked the fact that there was no open contest this year. Among the invalid entries there must be many 4-H members who neglected to complete the entry form by filling the name of their 4-H Club.

Eight of the 4-H contestants had perfect scores of 120 points. In a draw for position amongst them first prize went to Doug. Wagner, New Dundee, Ontario, and second to Karen Campbell, Moose Creek, Ontario, with the other six following in this order: Peter Faris, Cookstown, Ontario; Morris Petherick, Campbellford, Ontario; Tim Masterson, Niagara Falls, Ontario; Cam Jaynes, Stouffville, Ontario; Leonard Yungblut, Fonthill, Ontario; and Terry Masterson, Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Second prize winner, fourteen-year-old Karen Campbell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Campbell, Moose Creek. She has been a member of the Sandringham 4-H Dairy Calf Club for two years. The leader of this club for the past twelve years has been Douglas MacLennan. Karen had the Reserve Grand Champion 4-H calf at Maxville Spring Fair and stood first in a judging competition for second year members in Stormont County. She was fourth in her club on the year's work and third at the Achievement Day. She was the secretary of the club in 1970 and reports that she is a cheer leader at school and an active curler, participating along with her mother and father.

"Canadian Holstein Cattle Can Make Tropical Adjustment"-Barr

"Canadian Holstein cattle can make it in the tropics," A.M. Barr, former Principal of Kemptville Agricultural School, told members of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada at their annual meeting held here today.

Mr. Barr has represented the Canadian government as an advisor on dairy farming for the past five years, first in Trinidad and then in Uganda. He has had an excellent opportunity to observe how Canadian Holsteins, which have been shipped to both these countries, adapt to the tropics.

Based on his observations, Mr. Barr recommended that shipments to tropical countries consist of open heifers, since these tend to resist tick-borne infections better than change from our winter weather to the heat of the tropics would not require such a severe adjustment.

Small farmers in the new dairying areas of countries where Canadian Holsteins are sold, often lack the knowledge necessary to properly care for high producing cattle and require a program of training. Such programs had been instituted in Trinidad and Uganda with very good results. However, a great deal more could be done.

Mr. Barr said, "By and large, the Canadian cattle which I have seen in Trinidad and Tobago, Barbados and Dominica in the Caribbean and Uganda in East have given a good account of themselves when given a fair chance in feed and care. It would be expected that additional demand may come from these and other developing countries for more dairy cattle. If the Canadian cattle breeder is to cash in on his share of these markets he must supply value for money expended, which means cattle that can meet the competition from other countries willing and ready to meet that demand, and there are quite a number in that position."

"Yes, Canadian Holsteins can make it in the tropics, and Canadian breeders can do their part by providing good sound cattle."

date to remember . . .

From Carleton Agricultural Extension Personnel

Carleton, with its close to six hundred milk producers, produces sufficient milk to be recognized as a leading milk producing county in Ontario. Indeed, many farmers in Carleton depend on milk for their heaven or hell on earth.

The Milk Marketing Board, since its birth, has been praised and dammed by producers. It is fair to say, however, that dairymen have the opportunity now to realize a good living. Surely the Milk Marketing Board can claim some credit for this situation. The Carleton County Milk Committee is holding its annual meeting on Tuesday, March 7th at 8:00 p.m. in the Richmond Community Centre. Attendance at past annual meetings has been disgustingly low.

Milk producers manage farm operations for no other purpose than to produce and sell milk in order to realize money on which to live. The Milk Committee at the county level is an organization representing milk producers. To carry out their responsiblities, they seek counsel, advice and support of all producers.

The annual meeting presents the opportunity for producers to learn more about the Ontario Milk Marketing Board, The Canadian Dairy Commission and the Carleton Milk Committee.

The Carleton Milk Committee invites all producers to attend this meeting. The date to remember is Tuesday, March 7th. The place is Richmond Community Centre. The time is 8:00 p.m.

Tri-County Beef Association Elects President Harold Lannin

Harold Lannin, well-known Hereford breeder from Winchester, was elected president of the Carleton-Dundas-Grenville Beef Improvement Association recently. He replaces retiring president Graham Hudson of Kinburn. Elected Vice-President was R.B. Sparrow of Kinburn.

Delegates named to attend the Ontario Beef Improvement Convention being held in the Skyline Hotel, Toronto on February 24th and 25th include, Harold Lannin, Geo. Green, Clarence Stevenson, A.P. Murdoch, Earl Neely and Martin Schneckenburger.

At this same meeting members called for improved market reproting services, an increased product campaign and the inclusion of line fencing costs in the Ontario Capital Grant Program.

Hybrid Seed Corn Varieties Now In Ample Supply

Purchasers of seed corn are urged to follow the variety recommendations in the report of the 1972 Ontario Hybrid Corn Performance Trials, says John D. Curtis, Director, Soils and Crops Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food.

Ample supplies of all the recommended hybrid varieties are available, says Mr. Curtis.

The Trials report supplies data on grain yields, moisture at harvest percentage of broken stalks, and heat unit ratings.

All seed corn sold in Ontario bears a label indicating the reaction of the variety of southern corn leaf blight.

Copies of the 1972 Ontario Hybrid Corn Performance Trials and of Publication 296, 1972 Field Crop Recommendations, are available from the Information Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

Agriculture Workers Course Commences At Kemptville College

On January 10th, the third Agricultural Workers Course commenced at Kemptville College of Agricultural Technology. This course is sponsored by the Department of Manpower and Immigration, the Department of Agriculture and Food, ARDA Branch, and is administrated by the staff of Kemptville College.

The course is ten week in duration and the men will be graduating on March 17th, 1972. This course is the largest since the project was launched two years ago. There are fifteen (15) students ranging in age from fifty-six (56) young to seventeen (17) years old. These men some from varied backgrounds, some having a great number of years experience versus the younger men who have just recently finished their education. This course is again different from the previous two in that there are more single men than married men on this course. This was just the opposite to the previous course.

While on this course these men are taught better management practices eg. proper usage of milking machines, proper cleaning of all milking utensils, the benefits and methods of better maintenance of farm machinery. They are also shown the benefits of A.I. milk recording programs, better feeding habits for both calves and cows and they also treat minor medical problems in the herd such as calf scours, and mastititis.

United Counties Bookmobile List Visitation Dates

The SD & G United Counties bookmobile will visit the following locations during the week of February 28th, 1972.

Tuesday, February 29th, Williamsburg C., 11:30-12:00; Inkerman C., 1:30-2:00; Hallville, 3:15-3:30; Mountain, 3:45-4:15.

Wednesday, March 1st, Long Sault C., 11:15-1:00; Gallingertown, 2:15-2:30; Bouckshill, 2:45-3:00; Winchester Springs, 3:30-4:30.

Friday, March 3rd, Crysler, 11:50-12:30; Morewood C., 2:35-4:00.

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Holstein Breeders Make Important Decisions

Canadian breeders of pure bred Holsteins took an important step forward at their annual meeting, by approval of a program for the identification of grade cattle. This will provide larger numbers of production tested cattle, identified as to sire, to help in proving more bulls for the level of production they are transmitting to their progeny.

This action was approved by the more than 600 members present, after being recommended by the board of Directors. President Abner B. Martin, West Montrose, Ontario said: "Canada is the world's leading exporter of Holstein cattle, but can maintain this position only by following large scale breed improvement practices. A "must" for the future is the proving of a greater number of sires, and at present we are not production testing enough registered cattle to do this. Grade cattle of definite Holstein characteristics, properly identified as to sire, will help greatly. Some of these are available in the herds of purebred breeders on Record of Performance test sponsored by the Canada Department of Agriculture, but the greater number by far will be provided from herds on D.H.I.A. test operated by the provincial governments."

Association members also approved a raise in the fee for registration of an animal by $1.00 to $3.00 an an increase in the annual members' fee from $5.00 to $10.00.

Clarence Eby of Ayr, Ontario, was elected to the Board of Directors to replace retiring President Abner B. Martin, West Montrose, Ontario. All other Directors representing Ontario were re-elected. Directors to represent the other provinces had previously been elected.

Allison Fawcett, Winchester and Howard B. Dodge, Cardinal are both members of the executive from this area.

Mountain 4-H Homemakers Meet

The first meeting of the Mountain #3 Club was held at the home of Mrs. Keith Fawcett on February 15, 1972.

The meeting began by repeating the 4-H pledge and each member was told to think about a club name for the next meeting.

Assistant leader, Mrs. Dwight Hutt outlined the work and the requirements of the club. Some of the accessories that can be made by the members are a bedspread, dresser scarf, lampshade or throw cushions.

An election of officers were held and results as follows: President, Elaine Fawcett, Vice President, Cathy Suffel, Secretary Glenna Casselman, and Press Reporter for this week Norma Johnstone.

The girls then discussed colour and colour schemes from a diagram of a colour wheel consisting of six main colours, red, blue, yellow, green, purple and orange. The meeting was adjourned after refreshments were served.

Gordon Blair Announces Initiatives Program Grant

Gordon Blair, Member of Parliament for Grenville-Carleton announced today that a Local Initiatives Program Grant of $14, 169.00 had been awarded to the Nepean Township. The project will provide 10 jobs to persons in Nepean who would otherwise be unemployed.

Mr. Blair stated that the 13 projects approved under the Local Initiatives Program to date in the constituency of Grenville-Carleton total approximately $289,000.00 and provide for at least 142 jobs. The projects involved cover a wide range of activities beneficial to the communities involved.

Gratifying Response Given New Beef Carcass Appraisal Service

Agriculture Minister H.A. (Bud) Olson said today the response by cattlemen to his department's new Beef Carcass Appraisal Service has been gratifying.

Nearly 2,000 identification tags have been purchased by beef producers in the service's first month of operation.

'This is about the number we had estimated would be purchased this year,' Mr. Olson said.

An additional supply is being ordered by the Livestock Division and will be allocated to its district offices across Canada.

The service was introduced last month to provide beef producers with a system by which they could obtain details of carcass quality after their animals have been slaughtered at packing plants. The tags, which are affixed to the animals' ears, are specially designed and are numbered for identification of the owners.

The grade-out data returned to producers by the service is important to the evaluation of breeding, feeding and management programs.

Orders for tags so far have come from producers in five provinces. They were for amounts ranging from the 10-tag minimum order to one for 500 tags.

The cost to beef producers for the service is $1 per tag in 10-tag minimum lots. This price includes costs involved in maintaining records of tag purchasers and providing the carcass data.

Ontario Federation Favours Small Agricultural Units

The Ontario Federation of Agriculture urged Prime Minister William Davis and his cabinet Tuesday to introduce legislation prohibiting large corporations from owning and operating farm businesses.

The Federation, making its annual submission to the Ontario government, said that an agricultural industry composed of many small units is preferable to an industry controlled by a relatively few giant corporations.

According to the organization's brief the exact degree of control over the industry by corporations is difficult to measure, although there is no doubt that it is increasing. The brief advises the government ministers to look to the U.S. to see what could happen in Ontario. 'There, whole segments of the industry are already controlled from big-city board rooms.'

'We consider it important,' the brief continues, 'and we insist that this government consider it important, that the rural community retain control over its own economy.'



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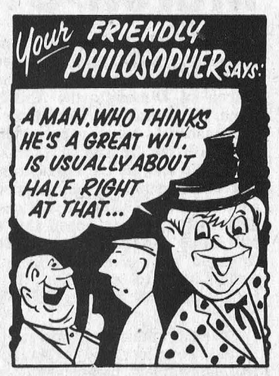

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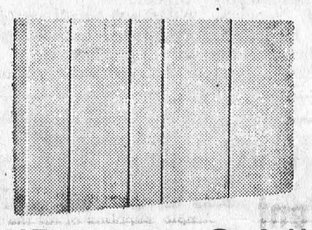

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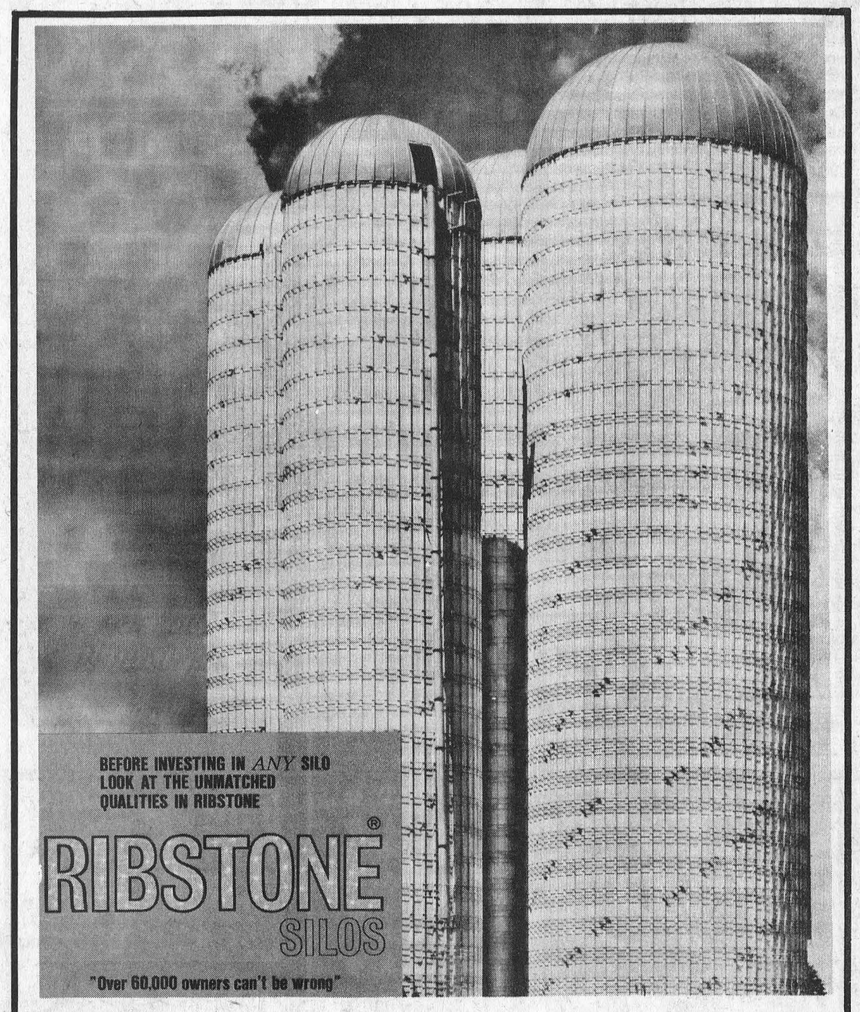

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Seaway Valley Presbyterial U.C.W. Holds Annual Executive Meeting

The annual executive meeting of Seaway Valley Presbyterial United Church Women took place recently in the United Church at Iroquois. A short worship service conducted by the President, Mrs. F.W.B. Shaw, opened the meeting. In attendance were 14 executive memebers and 21 local presidents or alternates. Minutes of the last meeting were read by the recording secretary, Mrs. David Frappier, and it was noted that Presbyterial Annual Meeting would be held in April, prior to the annual meeting of Conference UCW in May.

Annual reports were presented by the president, and by the various executive members, committee chairmen, and portfolio secretaries. Mrs. Wilfred Larmour, in her report of the nominating committee, revealed that several offices were still vacant.

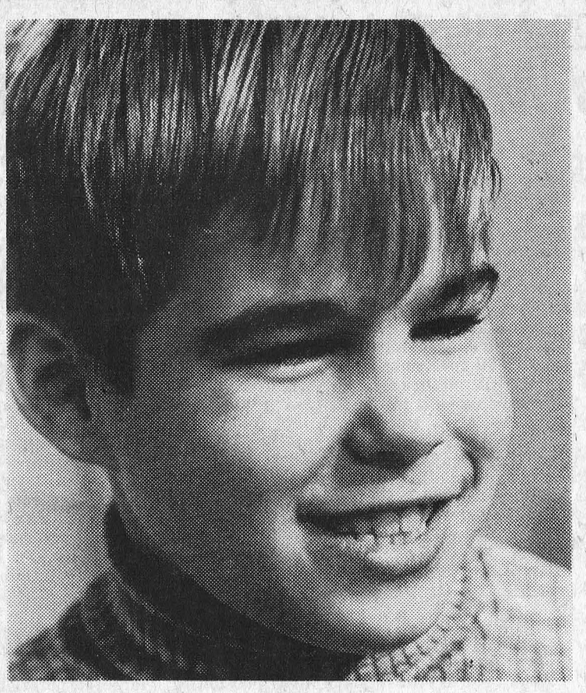
A main item of discussion was the annual meeting, which is to take place in Knox United Church, Cornwall, on April 19, afternoon and evening. Dr. A.B.B. Moore, Moderator of the United Church of Canada, will be guest speaker, also Mrs. Enid Wasson, President of Montreal-Ottawa Conference UCW. Registration will begin at 1.00 p.m. St. Paul's United Church in Cornwall will have charge of the worship service. Regional Vice-Presidents were asked to ascertain how many planned to attend from their respective regions, and to let Knox UCW know one week before, so that they may play for the dinner which will follow the afternoon session.

Another item of business discussed was Summer School 1972, this year in charge of Seaway Valley Presbyterial, with Mrs. Arthur Woodland and Mrs. D.J. Cooper as co-chairmen in charge of arrangements. Bible study is to be in the capable hands of Mrs. J.F. Reid of Kemptville. Suggestions for afternoon programmes were asked for - the co-chairmen wish to provide the type of afternoon programme which will be of interest to those attending Summer School.

Following the Treasurer's report by Mrs. Allen Van Allen, a motion was put forward, and passed, that a further donation be sent to the Mission & Service Fund in Toronto. Several questions submitted by UCW presidents were read and discussed.

It was announced that the date of the Montreal-Ottawa Conference UCW Annual is May 3 & 4, at Cowansville, Quebec, and six delegates, plus the President, are required to attend from Presbyterial.

Mrs. Shaw expressed the thanks of those present to Iroquois United Church Women for their hospitality, and the meeting adjourned.



Today's Child



BY HELEN ALLEN

HE LOVES SPORTS

Eric is 10, a sturdy, healthy boy with lovely dark eyes, brown hair and medium complexion. His background is Irish and French and his language is English.

Eric is a co-operative boy who tries hard to please. He gets on well with children, especially younger than himself and is friendly with adults. He is proud of his achievements and treasures any praise that comes his way.

A sports-minded boy, Eric likes vigorous outdoor activities. He swims all summer in a lake near his foster home and now spends most of his playtime skating or playing hockey on the same lake. He's also keen on baseball. Hockey games on TV are his favorite programs and he likes to make little bets on the outcome. Not with money, though. Eric is very thrifty about his savings.

Eric is not academically minded, but he tries hard and is doing well in Junior Opportunity Class. He needs a home where he will receive much love and reassurance, where the father will share his interest in sports and where intellectual achievements are not a major concern. o inquire about adopting Eric, please write to Today's Child, Box 888, Station K, Toronto. For general adoption information ask your Children's Aid Society.

28 Entrants In Miss Eastern Ontario Pageant - Only 12 More Accepted

Officials of the Miss Eastern Ontario Beauty Pageant at Perth report that already twenty-eight centres have entered a contestant and unfortunately only twelve more can be accepted.

Centres already entered include: Navan, Richmond, Cornwall, Kars, Iroquois, Perth, Elgin, Woodroffe, H.S., Osgoode, Rockland, Kingston, Smiths Falls, Merrickville, Pembroke, Westport, Ottawa Hollandia, Ottawa Lions, Almonte and Carleton Place.

The expansion of the Pageant to a 2-day event, Friday and Saturday March 24th and 25th, ha met with approval from all area according to a recent communique.

The list of awards is growing steadily and added this week to Miss Eastern's gifts were a luxurous mink stole, a 40-piece set of fine silver with walnut cabinet from International Silver, Perth, plus silver coffee spoons and silver cake server, a $400 charm and modelling course from Judy Welch, Ottawa, records from RCA, Smiths Falls, Hershey Chocolate gift pack, and smart insulated cooler bags from Gills Beverages, Smiths Falls.

Teacher's View

Fencing - A High School Activity

By Jean-Yves Jeurond, Glengarry District High

Recently, Mr. Robert Desjarlais, a well-known master of arms from Montreal, held an interesting fencing clinic at Glengarry District High School in order to promote the sport in this area. Fencing, an international sport of major interest in Europe, is getting more popular in Canada and the USA as an educational sport at both the high school and college levels, Three arms, the foil, the sabre and the epee now officially recognized in competition, have their own techniques and rules governed by the Federation Internationale d'Escrime (FIE) and its affiliated assocation. In larger cities fencing clubs exist under the auspicies of professional masters of arms.

Today's crossing of blades is a renaissance of the once serious practice of using the sword in cruel, bloody battles and in early morning duelling when a timely and skilled clash of cold steel scored the point in favor of death or survival.

The modern fencer, high school and Olympic levels, now breeds a deep feeling of "Loyalty to the Sword". A loyalty which means complete dedication striving towards excellence of performance, showing a sincere effort to challenge oneself by discovering and understanding one's own mental and physical capacities.

All sports inevitably achieve this goal, will you say. Yes, but fencing in high school presents another opportunity for the intellectual type who is neglected in terms of top performance in so many sports as basketball, football, wrestling which require a great deal of physical contact or call for a special type of physique. Fencing provides the students with a sport where they can experience with, develop and condition rigorously their mental agility, their physical fitness. It enables them to master psychomotor skills in order to be able to cross swords in competition with confidence, relaxation, enjoyment and, last but not least, the will to win, or to shake hands with a victor.

In competition the fencer must rely solely upon himself, his learned skills, speed, agility, strength, endurance, his self-control . . . if he does not, the sword will betray him. He must concentrate, anticipate, have faith in himself, cast away fears, go all out . . . pretend it is a game of chess played with lightning speed! He cannot cover up his errors or minimize his mistakes; he can only conquer by placing hits on the target.

Not only is fencing an athletically valuable exercise. It can also prove socially beneficial as both young men and women may practise the sport with great success and pleasure. On a class basis, it is an opportunity for the teacher to give fencing instructions adapted to each individual's needs, interests and personality; it is an opportunity for the students, and later as an adult, to go through a thrilling and revealing experience in which he will channel unconsciously some of today's frustrations, stresses and pressures of modern life.

Certainly, the exciting sport of fencing can be integrated into our physical education curriculum. If we inform ourselves we can offer through fencing another way for our students to discover and develop some hidden and probably vegetating abilities.

Whatever Happened To The Ontario March Of Dimes

in 1970 the Rehabilitation Foundation for the Disabled changed its fund raising slogan from the March of Dimes to the Ability Fund. This was done for several reasons: most people still associate the 'March of Dimes' with polio and, as the Foundation has been assisting handicapped adults since 1956 with various disabilities, it was hoped that a new name and image (a stylized fir tree with a limb missing) would help to establish this broader format with the general public.

Present Foundation programs include vocational and psychological assessment, patient services such as the provision of artificial limbs and wheelchairs and job training and work opportunities. Fourteen permanent facilities are presently being operated in Ontario with service to remote parts of the province also being provided through travelling clinics.

All of these programs and services are designed to develop the ability which individuals requesting assistance have. A car accident or stroke victim can become self-sufficient again once his abilities have been determined and developed. Your donation to the Ability Fund helps do this so that handicapped Ontario adults can help themselves.

Pleasant Valley News

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilmer of Iroquois were Wednesday supper visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hunter and called on Mrs. Mary Gilmer and Mr. Hilliard Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cowan and Mr. Roy Keck were callers in Iroquois on Thursday.

Sympathy from this community is extended to Mr. John Gilroy and family in the passing of a kind wife and mother, the late Mrs. John Gilroy.

The U.C.W. held their February meeting on Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Don Francis.

Mrs. Gerald Renkema and Richard and Mrs. T. Pall of Brockville were dinner visitors on Tuesday at Mr. and Mrs. David Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sears spent Wednesday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gilmer and boys of Millar's Corners' visited Mr. Hilliard Gilmer and Mrs. Mary Gilmer on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Somerville, Iroquois, were callers on Tuesday evening, at Mr. and Mrs. David Gilmer.

Mr. Malcolm Neilson is sporting a new car.

The Hulbert ski-doo rally went through this community on their rally Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Gilmer were callers this week on Mrs. Rae Merkley at her home who is confined with pneumonia and Mr. Rae Merkley who is a patient at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital, all wish them good health soon.

Mr. Gordon Corker was a caller in Iroquois on Thursday and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Rae Merkley on Wednesday at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross F. Gilmer were visitors on Sunday at their parents Mr. and Mrs. David Gilmer.

Mr. Rodney Gilmer of O.A.C. Guelph, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Gilmer.

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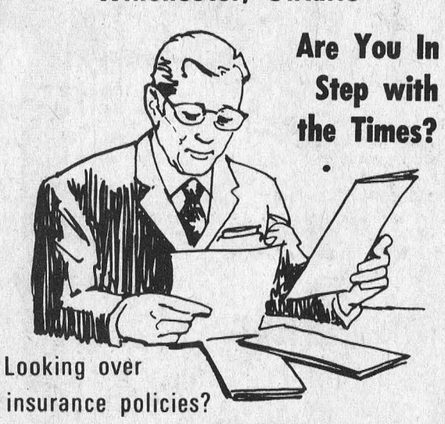
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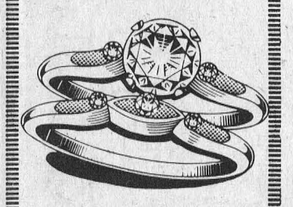
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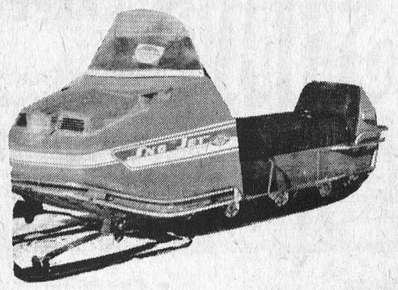
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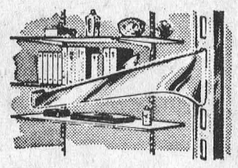
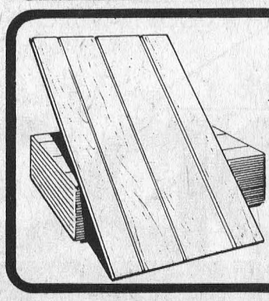
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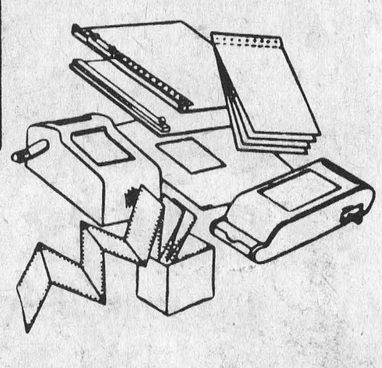
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