

Scouting and Cubbing in ACTON

WOLF CUBS

A special "Going Up" ceremony was held last Thursday night at the Scout Hall as eight cubs advanced from cubbing to scouting. Standing before Akela, the "Wolf" pack, all eight renewed their cub promise before moving on to the scouts. After a short review of the boys' cubbing over the past few years, Akela bid the boys farewell and good hunting.

Introduction to Scoutmaster Hay Costerus followed, with each cub being introduced in turn to his patrol leader who welcomed them to their respective patrols. Cubs "going up" were Max Haggitt, Andrew Tarrant, Gary Masales, John Dunn, Ron Heller, Michael Rogers, Clifford Wedge, Jack Wensley and Max Haggitt. Many parents of the boys and Akela Murray Scoyne attended the meeting.

The troop hike last Saturday led the boys to Bellfontain where a bridge was inspected and a survey of the town was made. This completed the scout hike through the Forks of the Credit and up the Caledon hills where many a cave was discovered and explored. Everyone made a camp fire and cooked their meal. Refreshments were supplied by Dave Hills, district commissioner.

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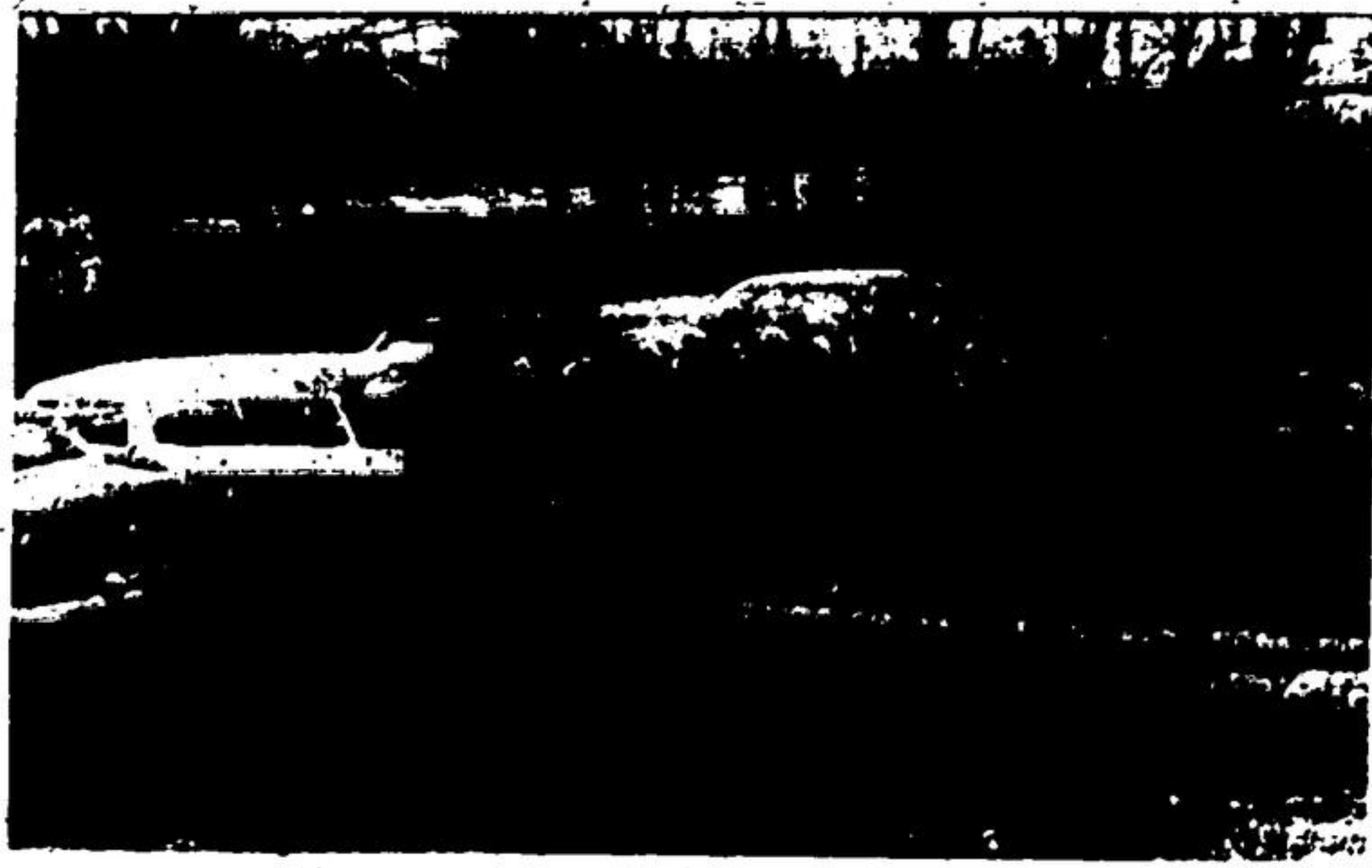
BOY SCOUTS

SCOUTERS say COSTERUS HAY COLES Thursday the 24th was the scene of the "going up" ceremony for the cubs of "B" pack. The nine cubs who took this big step were Gary Masales, Andy Tarrant, Andy Smith, John Dunn, Ron Heller, Michael Rogers, Clifford Wedge, Jack Wensley and Max Haggitt.

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Next week, more new chums will be welcomed to fill the vacancies left by cubs who have gone on to scouts. A special guest, Constable Murreau of the local O.P.P. detachment, later lectured the cubs on bicycle safety. The boys' interest was aroused by the educational talk by the police constable and he had to be rescued from a sea of questions fired at him by the boys. A.C.M. Lorne Youngblut expressed the thanks of the pack for his presence.

Tonight (Thursday) the boys will be attending the regular meeting in Halloween costume. A special program for the night is planned.



GATHERING TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS for the day-long hike are the Acton Scouts of "A" Troop. Last Saturday, the troop under Scouters H. Coles and R. Costerus drove to Bellfontain where they hiked to the Forks of the Credit and through the Caledon Hills, stopping only to cook their meal. Part of Boy Scout training, this was the first hike of the season.

Dedicate New Rectory For St. Alban's Church

On Sunday, October 20, at three o'clock in the afternoon, the Venerable S. A. Kirk, L.Th., Archbishop of Traralgar, dedicated and blessed the new St. Alban's church rectory situated at 185 Jeffrey St. The dedication procession, consisting of the rector, Rev. Evan H. Jones, B.A., L.Th., followed by the two church wardens, Mr. L. A. Doby, People's Warden, and Mr. Wm. A. Denny, Rector's Warden, and Mr. C. O. Kanney, Acolyte, followed by the Archdeacon.

OBITUARY Mrs. T. P. Guthrie Buried in Fairview

After a short illness, Mrs. Thomas P. Guthrie of Crewson's Corners passed away October 19, 1957, at the home of her son, Hector, 118 Foxwell Ave., Toronto. Margaret Stuart Mackie was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1883 and moved to the U.S.A. when a young girl. She was married to Thomas P. Guthrie in 1907 and settled in Saskatchewan, later moving to Crewson's Corners in 1920. Her husband passed away in 1963. She leaves to mourn her loss two sons, Hector of Toronto and Douglas of Acton, a daughter, Barbara (Mrs. John Cornell) and a son, F.O. Jerry, R.C.A.F., who predeceased her. Funeral services were held Monday, October 21, at the Humby funeral home with Rev. Andrew McKenais officiating. Interment was in Fairview cemetery.

—It's a pleasure to hear the town clock striking again.

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CAMPBELLVILLE

Presbyterian Head Speaks at Village

The Women's Missionary Society of St. David's church held their fall Thankoffering meeting in the church school room on Thursday afternoon with the president, Mrs. W. Greenlee, presiding. The meeting was opened with the call to worship. A printed Service of Thanksgiving program was followed. Those assisting were Mrs. L. Sharpe who read Psalm 100 and Mrs. J. K. Mahon who led in the prayers of intercession. Mrs. Griffiths of Ebenezer W.M.S. sang beautifully the solo, All My Days and All My Hours, accompanied by Mrs. I. Crawford.

Y.M.C.A. NEWS

Dry land swimming classes are continuing at the Y under the supervision of Jim Buckland. Last Thursday evening instruction on artificial respiration continued. The Y was crowded last Friday due to the pupils having a holiday for the teachers' convention with children playing badminton, basketball and table tennis. Saturday saw the junior badminton players out in full force in the morning and the senior players in the evening. Last Monday the Gra-Y club held their regular meeting with 12 members present and plans were made for a Halloween party on Friday.

Sweet lessons are continuing in the Robert Little school on Monday and Wednesday after school. The woodworking class under the supervision of E. Russell has almost completed its first project. The sale of candies with proceeds to help purchase Y equipment is continuing.

HALTON MANOR

Hobby Class Prepares Gifts

The Hobby Class met for its regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon, October 23. In gratitude for the arrival of our Queen on her own home soil, God have the Queen was sung. During the regular business period, the thought for the week was given by Mrs. Wm. Hughes. Suggestions were given by Mrs. Locke as to how the members of the class could make little Christmas gifts to give away and the tags to go with them. A sing-song with all the members joining in to sing some old familiar songs and a lovely solo, The Lord Chord, by Mrs. Locke, preceded the work period. Plans were made for a Halloween social for both the manor residents and the women residents on Wednesday evening, October 30. Mrs. Allen was asked to look after the refreshments.

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LOCAL NEWS

A bright red and yellow helicopter was seen hovering over Acton on Monday. Tonight the familiar tap on the door for the shell-out of candies will be in order. Several Halloween parties have been held this week in advance of the big night.

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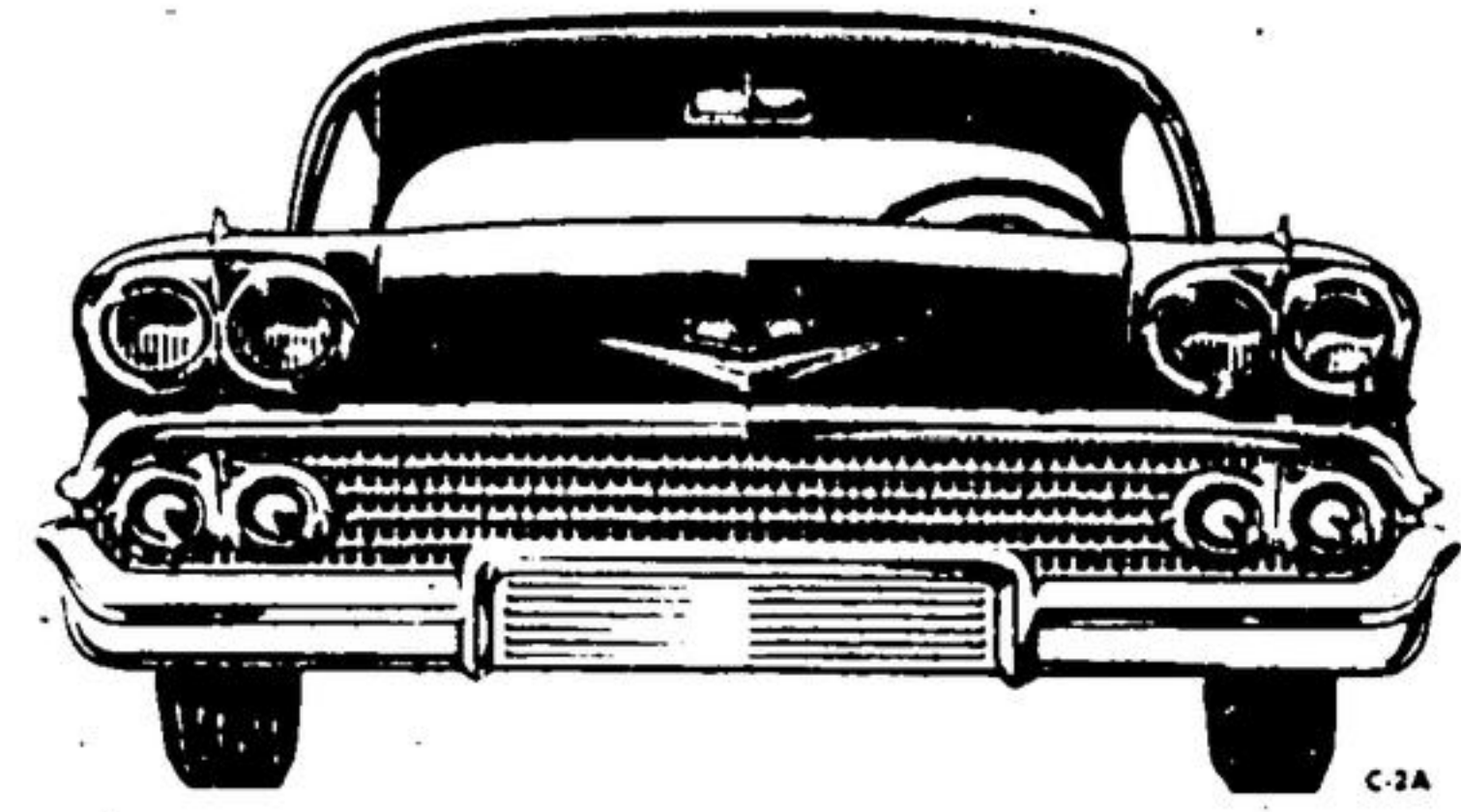
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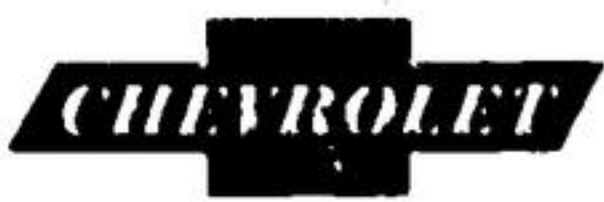
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