

Area Photographer Author Sells Story

An Eden Mills resident who is well-known to Free Press readers, Mrs. Hazel Mack, had a story, "Our Four-Legged Foster Baby," published in the Family Herald. She tells the story of her two dogs, and with the full-page account are three photographs. Two of the photographs are taken by Mrs. Mack. The third, however, is a shot of Mr. and Mrs. Mack with the dogs, and it was taken by Free Press photographer Derek Milnes. Mrs. Mack takes many photos for the Free Press and kindly sends in accounts of news events in her locality.

The story is in the Free Press window this week.

Seven Receive Queen's Scout Badges Beside Campfire in Woodland Clearing

Against a background of evergreens and standing before a blazing camp fire, seven Acton Boy Scouts received their Queen's Scout badges Monday evening. This is an outstandingly high number of boys to receive the coveted award at one time, their scoutmaster, Hartley Coles, pointed out to the group of 50 parents and friends grouped around the fire.

Culmination of years of scouting progress, the badges, featuring a crown, were pinned on the left sleeve of the uniforms of Brian Otterbein, Ken Gardner, Bob Hinton, Lawrence Doby, Glenn Barr, Peter Newton and Ricky Currie.

Five Were Cubs

In making the presentation, Assistant District Commissioner Murray Seyne mentioned with pride that five of the seven Scouts had been Cubs when he was first a cubmaster in Acton several years ago. Their constant application to scouting projects since then, earning them an impressive series of

badges resulted in the Queen's Scout awards. A full scout meeting preceded the presentations, and the sky was glowing a deep blue by the time the fire was lighted for the brief but important and impressive ceremony.

An escort of scouts John Leatherland and Brian Sproston, brought the seven Scouts forward to stand before their scoutmaster, and then guided ADC Seyne to the front of the group where he spoke briefly.

Full Program

The Scouts of "A" Troop held their regular meeting with a full program about a mile west of Blue Springs scout reserve, in a tree-fringed clearing owned by Mansell Nellis.

Parents, members of the group committee and Scout and Guide Mothers' Auxiliary and friends ranging on up from toddlers, enjoyed the fresh breeze and sunshine, but later drew in closer to the fire and pulled blankets about them as the program progressed.

The boys started with their regular opening, the salute to the Flag and inspection. Background music was provided by Lawrence Doby pacing through the clearing playing the bagpipes.

District Cubmaster Ron Smith led the group in several familiar camping songs at intervals, including one in parts which had everyone shouting and a melodious spiritual.

Skits Comical

Each of the patrols staged a skit. Highlight was the Beaver's skit which, scoutmaster Coles remarked, seemed to have "turned into a three-act play." Star was Ken Gardner as a tramp, complete with his golf socks (18 holes).

Demonstration of a tangle-foot knot was given by Brian Otterbein's Hawk Patrol, composed of John Leatherland, Paul McGeachie, Brian Sproston and John Goy. Bandages were demonstrated by Andrew Smith.

Set New Record

"A" Troop is Acton's newest, and these seven outstanding scouts are its first Queen's Scouts. Apparently never before has a troop had so many boys who have reached such a high rank at once. Group committeeman Tom Watson recalls that some years ago the town's only troop had five King's Scouts.

The seven Queen's Scouts receive their certificates from the lieutenant-governor at a ceremony later.

OBITUARY

Kitchener Man Was Well-Known Here

Funeral Mass was sung at St. Ann's church, Kitchener, on Monday, June 22, for Peter J. Duval of Kitchener. Rev. L. S. Berry officiated, and interment followed in Woodland Cemetery, Kitchener. Mr. Duval, who was a frequent visitor at the home of relatives in Acton, had been ill for a short time and passed away in St. Mary's Hospital, Kitchener, on Thursday, June 18.

He was retired, and lived at 25 Belzner Ave., Kitchener, with his wife, the former Lillian Zittel who survives him.

Survivors

Surviving are a daughter, Patricia (Mrs. Jerry) Ornsky, of Kitchener, two sisters, Mrs. Selma Papillon and Mrs. Percy Evans of Acton, four brothers, Joseph of Winnipeg, John of Queen Charlotte, B.C., Edouard of Calgary and William of Acton.

He was born in Beausablon in 1894, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Duval. He was married in Kitchener in 1922.

Relatives and friends from Acton were among the many who attended the funeral. Mr. Duval's survivors were: nephews, Tony, Archie, Ronald and Kenneth; nieces, Wilfred Duval, J. of Acton, and Paul Cook of Bradford.

Much Brighter

This week's hit... The story of the... (text is partially obscured and difficult to read)

SEVEN HAPPY SCOUTS of the first-Acton "A" Troop received their Queen's Scout badges during a special ceremony Monday when Assistant District Commissioner M. Seyne presented the badges. Pictured above the seven scouts are shown with their Scoutmaster and Scouter Seyne. Left to right are Scoutmaster H. Coles, R. Currie, G. Barr, B. Otterbein, K. Gardner, P. Newton, B. Hinton, L. Doby and Assistant District Commissioner M. Seyne. Many parents and friends attended the ceremony held near Blue Springs Scout Camp.

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LIMEHOUSE

Rev. B. A. Nevin Guest Speaker

Rev. B. A. Nevin preached at Limehouse Presbyterian Church on Sunday in the absence of Rev. A. Calder, who was guest speaker at

the 130th anniversary services at Boston church.

The WA served hot roast beef dinners to about 100 in Limehouse Memorial Hall on Tuesday evening of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Benton and Mr. Neil Benton visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson, Milton on Sunday.

Former Resident

A number from the village attended the service at Churchhill United Church Sunday evening when Miss Muriel Stephenson, a missionary on furlough from India was speaker. She had lived here when her father was resident minister at the United church.

Mr. and Mrs. John Markay and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Patterson and Marilyn, all of Rockwood visited the Pattersons on Sunday.



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Mrs. Kenneth Allen and Miss Ronald Saunders held a farewell party on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Saunders for Mrs. Robert Tyler, who was leaving on Tuesday for Arizona. Mrs. Tyler was presented with a string of pearls. She made a fitting reply.

Thankoffering Held

Thankoffering was held at Churchhill church on Sunday evening with a large attendance. Miss Fred McArthur was chairman for the evening.

Hymns were played by the pianist and orchestra, duet by Mrs. Bud Anderson and Miss Norman Turner, scripture reading by Mrs. Charlie Landström, vocal selection, Miss Muriel Stephenson, solo, Miss Foster, Miss Anderson, Mrs. Taylor and Miss Stephenson.

Miss Stephenson's gift was a wonderful talk on the 18th of the mission field, and some of the articles they use. Mr. McArthur gave the benediction and prayer.

Friends extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. William Butler on the death of his son, James Butler, who was killed last week at Glensville.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. ... (text is partially obscured and difficult to read)

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