



**—It's Spring Thunder** and lightning with warm rain all day Tuesday.

—Don't forget the needs of the retarded in this, Retarded Children's Week.

—It's not too early to start thinking about it! Just 34 more shopping days!

—Evesquing council this week named Geoff Denny of Acton as assistant assessor.

—Jack Ford, Main Street is acting crossing guard for the public school at the Main Street crossing.

—A plaque in memory of the late Miss Nellie Anderson will be dedicated at Knox church next Sunday.

—Our vote for the most coveted place in town goes to the library! There's plenty of value for little money, though.

**—Next Thursday:** nomination night.

—Acton high school gridders came through with flying colors when they defeated Georgetown 80 for their first win of the season.

—It's the bazaar season, and there are a series of them lined up for coming weekends. Wars are attractive and the tea is invariably delicious.

—Cars driven by Mrs. Catherine Crowder of Guelph and Howard A. Yates of Woodstock suffered a total of \$500 in damage in a rearend collision on Highway 25 at Speyside Friday.

—Did you forget the blood donor clinic? If you get you free press Thursdays, and read it right away, you might still have time. You are still needed at the Legion Hall, and the clinic stays open until 9 p.m.

**ROCKWOOD**

**480 Enjoy Smorgasbord; Dedicate Church Plates**

(Intended for last week)

The W.A. of St. John's Church held a successful Smorgasbord dinner in the Parish Hall last Wednesday evening. Though weather conditions were not altogether favorable, a large number were present for the occasion, and when all had left for home, some 480 people had partaken of well-laden plates served by members of the Church.

In connection with Wellington County representatives of Ontario Mayors' and Reeves' Conference at the Canadian Civil Defence College at Antiprior, Ernest Benham of Eramosa Township Council is among those attending.

Three awards

Congratulations to Margaret Crabtree who took part in Highland Fling Dances Saturday at Guelph City Hall. She came third in Seann Truibhas, 12 years and under, Sarkor's Horapope fourth, and Irish Jig fourth.

Donald Dewar of Guelph was paper for all events.

Miss Mary Lloyd of Port Credit returned home Monday last from her trip to England and other places in Europe. Her many friends here were pleased to see her at the big dinner in Parish Hall Wednesday evening.

Mr. Robert Scamp of Orillia was a brief visitor in the village last week.

During service at St. John's Church Sunday Holy Communion was celebrated with Mr. E. Sippo as server, and Rev. H. B. Sisk as officiating.

**Dedication of Plates**

At the Presbyterian Church

Sunday, morning, John Birch of Acton presided at the dedication of the new Communion Bread Plates. Mrs. Wm. Swanson was present during the ceremony. For his Sunday morning subject, Mr. Birch spoke on "Goodness is not enough."

The Young People of the Presbyterian Church are holding their first meeting Thursday evening when new plans will be made for the year ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day and family, of Ancaster were weekend visitors.

Thos. Sawyer who was here during the summer and returned to Denver, Colorado, is back again to stay for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunbar.

As a result of the cold weather over the weekend thin ice was noticed on the river adjoining the highway Monday morning, as well as light snow.

**EDEN MILLS**

**Church Parade Held Sunday**

Eden Mills Scouts, Cubs and Brownies paraded Sunday to Eden Mills United Church, ideal weather prevailing. A Scout and Cub read the Scripture with Kenneth Griffith delivering the message. Brownies Patsy Wright and Chris Abram took up the offering.

**Cardette Club**

The Cardette Club have started their fall activities in the form of a cruise Tuesday evening at the Wickham home. Prize winners were Kaye Stevenson, Jean Orlich and Betty Marshall. The hostess provided a dignified lunch.

**Record Hop**

A record hop sponsored by the Community Club Saturday evening for the teenagers was a huge success with 50 attending. Spot Dance prize was won by Joanne Wright and Ron Martin.

Mrs. Brown of Detroit has spent the last two weeks with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. MacDermott.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright were in Bowmanville, guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. McArthur for the weekend.

Miss Violet and Bob McGimpsey Toronto were Saturday guests in the Wright home.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cann were Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Gackstetter and family of Guelph. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ostler and family of St. Mary's. Mrs. Rob Roy left for Athens to spend a week with her parents.

**St. Alban's Guild Welcomes President**

St. Alban's Guild held their November meeting on Monday, November 7, instead of Wednesday, November 2, owing to the parish hall being otherwise engaged. Mrs. E. Blum president was welcomed back to conduct the meeting after a term of illness.

Business was discussed and Mrs. F. Franklin gave a talk on a meeting which she and Mrs. A. Newton attended on behalf of the Guild on the organization of the Cancer Society in Acton.

Final preparations were made for the bazaar to be held on Saturday November 12. Mrs. S. Newton and Mrs. H. Denny were bazaar convener. Mrs. A. Newton and Mrs. W. Kerr tea convener with the help of Mrs. A. Gould.

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**OSPRINGE**

**Cut Forehead Requires Stitches When Youngster Falls on Steps**

Bradley, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Bruce, received a cut on his forehead, which required five stitches to close. In coming out of the church on Sunday morning, he fell down the cement steps, inflicting the nasty gash.

**Held Euchre**

Thirteen tables of cards were in play Friday night at the school sponsored by the Women's Institute. Prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. C. Storey, W. Archibald and N. Rathbun.

Miss Nancy Bulloch spent a couple of days during the week-end with friends in Toronto.

Mr. John Sim of Toronto was a

weekend visitor with Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacPherson visited with friends in Weston on Sunday.

**Baking Sale**

Mrs. B. Clarke, Mrs. E. Fisher and Mrs. W. MacPherson had charge of the Baking Sale in Guelph Market on Saturday for the Ladies Aid and report a profitable venture.

Mrs. M. Jackson had as recent guests Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Watson and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. George Cruickshanks, Miss Gerlie Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Watson, Wendy and Ricky of Hills-

burgh, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Milson, Greg and Heather of Guelph. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aiken and Sherlock and Rev. Foreman motored to Woodstock on Saturday and visited with Rev. and Mrs. Moorehouse and daughter, Rev. Foreman remained and will spend the winter with his daughter and son-in-law.

**Analst in Service**

Mrs. D. G. Robertson was in Toronto on Sunday and attended services at Hillcrest Church of Christ Disciples assisting with the special program for Ontario Mission Day.

**Student Teachers**

Four student teachers from Lakeshore Teachers' College are at the local school this week—Misses Ashton and Kirk are in the senior room under Mrs. N. Rathbun's guidance and Miss Madgett and Miss Kajandil are in the junior room under Mrs. S. Anderson's guidance.

During their stay in the community they are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sunter and daughters of Niagara Falls were visitors during the weekend with the former's mother and aunt Mrs. G. Sunter and Miss E. Baidie.

**Evangelist Speaks All Week At Baptist Church Campaign**

Personal and powerful messages are being delivered seven times this week by evangelist the Rev. James Tetley at Acton Baptist Church. For a church with a membership slightly over 50, attendance so far this week, despite rain, has been good.

Monday was family night, and Mr. Tetley told a children's story especially for them. He spoke on "The Preacher and his Public," pointing out he was going to meet a number of different kinds of people this week, and would encounter a number of responses. With examples from the Bible he illustrated how different people accepted the truth of ministry. Some accepted it; others would

A quartet, Mrs. Colin Baillie, John Baillie, the Rev. and Mrs. James Rudd, sang.

Toddlers and infants were tended in the United Church across the street, and the nursery was staffed Monday by Mrs. Herman Freuler and Mrs. Dave Hutchison.

**Visiting Groups**

On Tuesday night a group of H.Y. club members attended with a group from the Salvation Army in Guelph. Mr. Tetley based his address on the account in Mark's Gospel of Jesus sending his disciple to get a coat. He illustrated a variety of human responses to the word of God. Tenor soloist Glyn Evans of Brampton Baptist Church sang. Wednesday night was termed Men's Night, and Charles Lands-

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**W.A. Meeting At McEnery's**

The W.A. met at the home of Mrs. Cam McEnery November 8. The president, Mrs. Tegan Given, presiding, the meeting opened with the theme song, creed and the Lord's Prayer. In unison Hymn 243 was sung. Mrs. Lloyd Marshall took the scripture study, Matthew 5: 1-16, "Our Commission".

Roll call was answered by 11 members by bringing a parcel for the bazaar to be held in December. It was decided to do a quilt next week at the church. Mrs. Smith had charge of the program. Readings were "A Babe in a Manger" and "A Babe in a Manger". Mrs. Snow had a contest. The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. The social committee, Mrs. Snow and Mrs. Perryman, were assisted by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shortill celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on Saturday when friends and neighbors attended. Their son Lloyd, his wife and two daughters, their daughter Janna, her husband and two daughters from Port Arthur also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Davidson and Mrs. Robert McEnery and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Near called at Collingwood hospital on Sunday to see Mrs. Alger Cripps, who is confined to hos-

**LIMHOUSE**

**Rev. J. N. McFaul Preaches In Minister's Absence**

Rev. J. N. McFaul of Oakville preached at Limhouse on Sunday in the absence of Rev. A. J. Calder.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey spent last week at the Bailey cottage near Parry Sound.

**In Hospital**

We wish a speedy recovery for Sam Gaisby, who is in Toronto East General Hospital following an operation on his thumb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Patterson and Joy visited the Charles Sinclair's at Welland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Benton visited with a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alger of Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Evans of Brampton visited with Mrs. Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. David McEnery over the weekend.

Mrs. Donald McLan of Limhouse hospital undergoing treatment. Her many friends wish her a quick recovery.

led her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Guitton, near Meaford on Sunday, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter King, Belwood on Thursday evening.

**On Sick List**

S. Kirkpatrick and W. T. Mills are both up and around after a week or so of illness. However, Fred J. Brown is now on the sick list. We wish him better health soon.

We extend sympathy to the Hemo Spitzer's in the recent death of her father Wm. Leslie.

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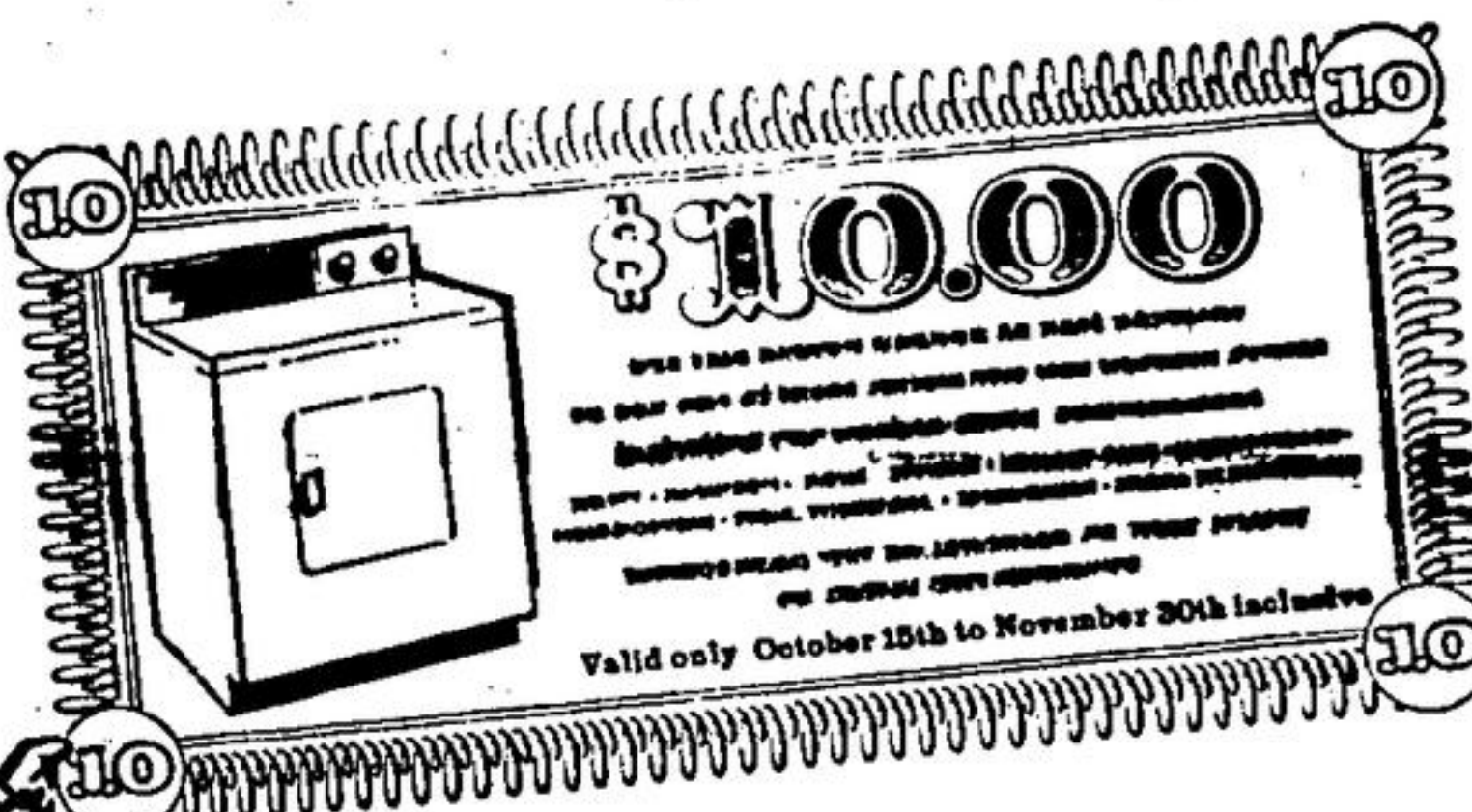
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