

# Rockwood News and Shopping Guide

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## Verne Bogue's Ambulance Proposal To be Discussed by Eramosa Council

Verne Bogue, Royal City Ambulance Service, met with the Eramosa Township Council at their regular March meeting. He addressed the Council and stated that unless an agreement and guarantee was entered into, it would be impossible to give the township the ambulance service that now exists. Council decided to discuss the proposal and in form Mr. Bogue of their decision at a later date.

It was moved by Messrs. Cox and Hindley that Daylight Saving

Time be observed throughout the township from Sunday, April 26 at 12:01 a.m. to October 25 at 12:01 a.m., 1964. This was carried by council.

**Tenders for Gravel**  
Moved by councillors Smith and Cox, that the road superintendent be authorized to advertise in the Commercial News for tenders for supplying, crushing and delivering 10,000 cubic yards of gravel (more or less), same to be in accordance with specifications of the road superintendent.

Tenders to close at 2 p.m. on April 6, 1964.

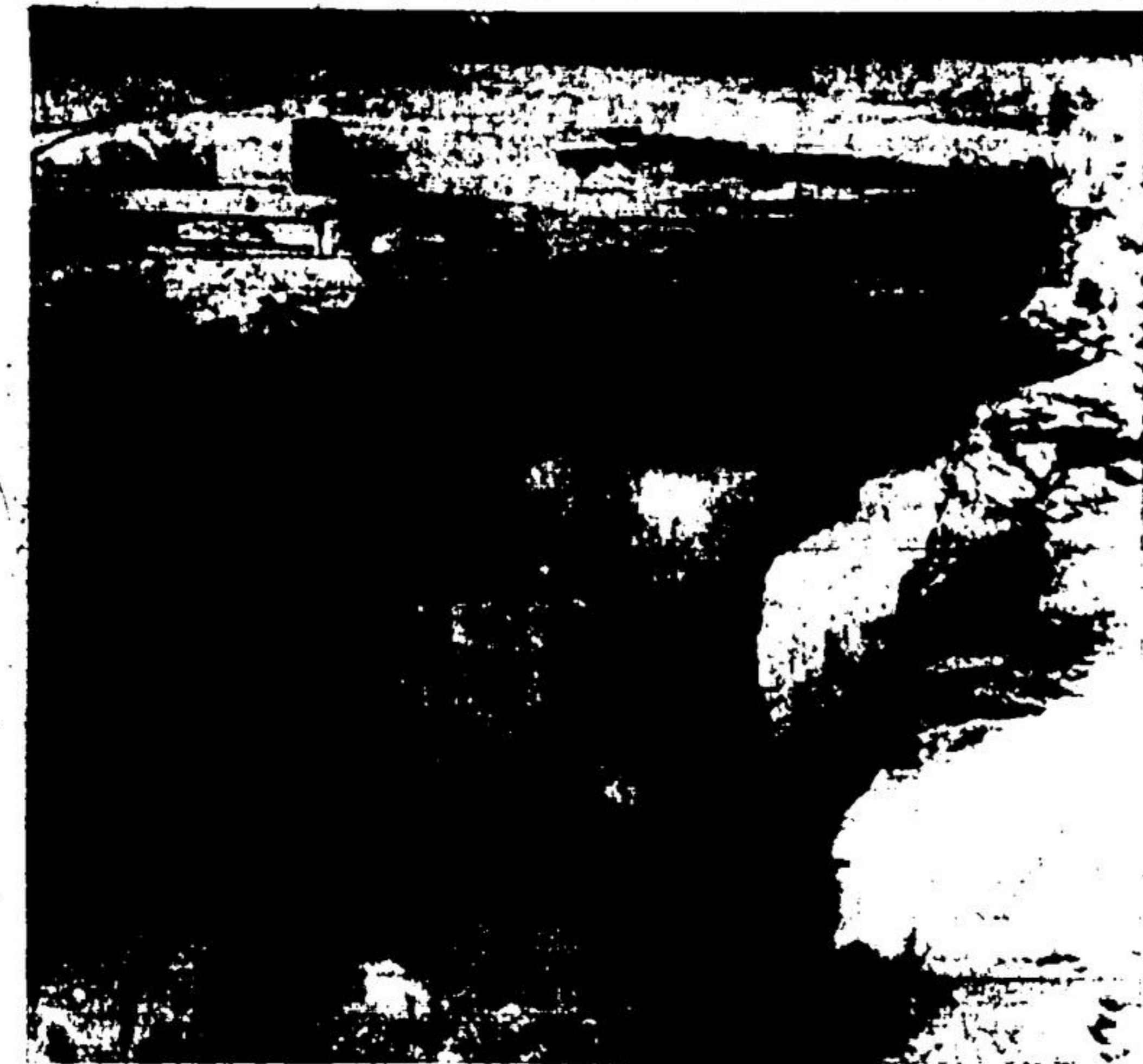
It was moved and carried by council that all tax arrears be collected as soon as possible, using every legal means available if necessary.

**Ald Scouts, Guides**  
Moved by Messrs. Smith and Cox, that council make a grant of 50 cents per Eramosa member from a list supplied by Frank Schneider toward the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movement in 1964.

Moved and carried, that T. D. Forsythe be reappointed as township representative on the Grand Valley Conservation Authority.

**Road Costs**  
The road program and expenditure by-law was discussed and the blanks filled in as follows: road construction \$9,250; road maintenance \$26,850; \$35,000; bridges and culverts construction \$6,000; overhead construction \$1,750; overhead maintenance \$2,750 - \$4,500.

Moved by Messrs. Smith and Hindley, that the road expenditure by-law be given the necessary readings, passed and numbered 41964.



—Photo by Murray Taylor

PICTURESQUE ROCKWOOD provides photographers with many beautiful settings and Valley Road is one area most frequented by visitors. High water in the river poured over one of the dams in the conservation area, making it a striking subject for any camera bug.

### POET'S CORNER

**GOD'S LITTLE ISLAND**  
In the heart of the ocean,  
The Lord chose to set it,  
And colored it rich in a beautiful green,  
With the white of the breakers,  
Which ever surround it,  
Most beautiful island that I've ever seen.

Its round towers and castles,  
Still bright in their grandeur,  
Against the green mountains that slope to the sea,  
Lush valleys with shamrocks,  
That carpet its beauty,  
And make it so perfect and lovely to me.

I love thee, dear Ireland,  
My heart ever with thee,  
Thy hills and thy valleys from woodland to shore,  
And I'll spend my life wishing,  
And live my life waiting,  
'Til I can return to my Ireland once more.

— By David E. Cohen

The thinner the ice, the more anxious everyone is to see if it will bear.

— Josh Billings

### Our Readers Write

#### ENGINEERS' ACT

The Hon. George Kerr's report from Queen's Park (Action Free Press, March 5th) contained several errors, and on the face of it appears to be an attempt to whitewash an abortive piece of legislation. In essence Bill 37 takes the Operating Engineers' Act from the Government control and places the Engineers under a committee, who could be easily swayed by people with vested interests. In other words this committee could rule that some plants (hospitals or schools) could be run without human supervision. The Hon. Member points out that a special committee studied this problem and felt that technological advancement supported the proposed amendment.

**EFFICIENT**  
In Tennessee, lightning struck a cow barn, set it on fire. The bolt travelled along a pipe to a water tank on a nearby hill and burst the tank open. The water ran down hill and put the fire not have to put out the fire.

This is not completely true. It has been charged that the Government, favouring the Manufacturers' Association, completely ignored recommendations in the report of the special committee, which actually criticized the proposed amendment. If the Hon. Member is genuinely interested in this proposed amendment and its effects, I can arrange for him to meet a delegation of Operating Engineers from the non-union, non-partisan Association of Engineers that has just been formed in this area.

Sincerely,  
William A. Johnson

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#### Easter Service of Worship For Presbyterian W.A., W.M.S.

The Easter service of worship in the "Glad Tidings", opened the Presbyterian W.M.S. and W.A. The March meeting was held in the home of Mrs. J. Storey with the president Mrs. J. Freeman in charge of the opening Call to Worship.

The responsive scripture reading was conducted by Mrs. D. McNabb. The meditation, "Easter is Eternal", was taken by Mrs. G. Swanson. She said "Easter is not just easter eggs and new spring millinery, but a joy in the risen Lord, and the God who raised Christ from the grave, can also raise us out of every depth. There is only one way for us to see the real beauty of Christ, draw near to him, kneel in prayer and by faith look up into His face."

An invitation from Mrs. Sprowl of Acton was read extending an invitation to attend the Thanksgiving meeting of Knox W.M.S. to be held in Knox Church, Acton, on April 9 at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. W. Gieggle of Glen Williams is to be guest speaker.

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#### Told About Desserts But Most Fattening

Mrs. Edgar Johnston was hostess to the members of Rockwood Women's Institute at their March meeting recently.

During the business, Mrs. Lloyd Dyer and Mrs. N. Harris gave a very interesting report on the dessert summary day. The ladies explained many lovely desserts for the home—all delicious but few slimming.

Mrs. Edgar Johnson, home economics convener, was in charge of the program and gave a reading on "Grace at the Table".

Mrs. A. McPhedran and Mrs. H. Bayne gave their report on the 4-H project "Being well dressed and well groomed". The 4-H girls' record books were displayed as well as the "duster coats" they made for themselves.

A fruit and cheese tray was demonstrated by Mrs. L. Dyer. Refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

### Gales Subsided Euchre Success

Eleven tables were set up for the Boy Scouts ladies' euchre at the town hall recently. Those in charge were glad the gale winds of the day had subsided to permit a good attendance.

The ladies' high was taken by Mrs. Harnstable, the lone hand by Mrs. Ivy Ritchie and the ladies' low by Mrs. Matcalle. The men's high went to Lionel Watson, the lone hands to Mr. Harnstable, with E. Beattie taking the men's low.

The door prize was won by Jim Hill. Lunch was served by the ladies and a social time followed.

**W.A. Partion**  
The W.A. portion of the meeting was opened by the president Mrs. R. Young who read "The thoughts of a country woman". She spoke of the gifts of nature so evident in the country. "It is our Father's world" concluded the writer "as it has always been and ever will be."

The scripture was taken by Mrs. D. McNabb. Mrs. Young thanked the ladies for their help at the Brennan-Lasby wedding banquet.

The secretary Mrs. M. Milne read letters of thanks from Mrs. J. Doby and Miss Elva Pearen who have been able to return home from hospital.

Mrs. Young, Mrs. G. Swanson and Mrs. J. Freeman are the committee for the Women's banquet on March 21.

The meeting closed by all repeating the Benediction. Mrs. Storey served lunch and a social time followed.

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### Bowling Party

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