



700 BOXES OF GRAPES representing over 1,400 gallons of wine is considered the largest sale of grapes by one merchant in Acton. Acton Red & White Food Store owner John Kurtenko is shown with one of the open boxes which he received as part of a recent shipment from California. All the grapes were previously ordered and delivered the same day as they arrived. The grapes are used for making wine. According to reports each box of grapes yields over two gallons of wine.

Near 700 Cases of Grapes Sold To Local Amateur Wine-Makers

Sale of California grapes for wine-making in the Acton area appears to be increasing this year — at least as far as one local merchant is concerned. John Kurtenko, manager of Acton's Red and White store, has sold close to 700 cases of grapes in the past two weeks, for wine-making purposes.

The first shipment which arrived at his store a week ago totalled over 450 cases. The shipment was previously ordered by customers and delivered within two hours after arrival.

Monday of this week another shipment of 250 cases arrived from California and like the first, it was pre-ordered and delivered promptly.

New Popularity Wine-making seems to be increasing and across Canada, there are more than 12 amateur wine-making clubs. Wine-tasting and wine-and-cheese parties, relatively unheard of five years ago, have suddenly become popular. Not long ago, almost the only people to make their own wine were newcomers

to Canada from Europe. Now it appears many more individuals are taking up the art of wine-making.

One of the purchasers of grapes last week was asked what the yield of wine per case of grapes would be and replied, "If the grapes are good and large, they would produce between two and two and a half gallons of wine."

A little simple arithmetic gives an approximate 1,750 gallons of wine sold just at the Acton store. That's a lot of work and wine.

Student Teachers' Forum Has Meeting

The Student Teachers' Forum met recently at the home of their teacher, Dorothy R. Scull, in Ballinacree. In the absence of the president, Faye Pink, Mrs. Scull, honorary president, took the chair.

Among the topics discussed were plans for Christmas recitals and parties. After the meeting Mrs. Scull served afternoon tea.

All members were present and Mrs. Betty Ashley and Miss Betty Champion were guests.

When choosing a Halloween costume for your children, be sure to get a type that will not burn easily. Accidents can happen, especially with children masked for the night of fun, and a flameproof costume will ensure no serious incidents.

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

PEAR HELENE

For each serving of Pear Helene use 2 canned Canadian BATTLETT pear halves which have been drained and chilled. Place them, stem end up in a sherbet glass or bowl. Place a scoop of vanilla ice cream between the pear halves and drizzle with chocolate syrup. CHOCOLATE SYRUP: 2 squares unsweetened chocolate.

1 cup water
2 cups sugar
dash of salt
2 teaspoons vanilla
2 tablespoons butter
Cut chocolate in pieces and stir over low heat in water until dissolved and thick and smooth. Add sugar and salt. Stir until dissolved. Boil 3 minutes and add vanilla and butter. Serve hot or cold. May be stored in covered jar in refrigerator and reheated.

Pat McKenzie Heads Y's Men

Past International president of the Y's Men's Club and former president of the Acton club, G. W. McKenzie will hold the reins for another term as he takes office as president of the local club again this year.

Thursday of last week the new officers took over with Mr. McKenzie as president, John Weldon as vice-president, Stewart Cowan secretary, and Bill Manprize as treasurer. Directors are Louis Bonnette and Clarence Rogynald, and past president Guy Ross.

The major portion of the evening was spent in outlining rules and regulations and planning a procedure for the year.

Mr. Ross showed over 200 colored slides on the recent Y's Men's convention at Fredericton, New Brunswick.

Lorne Doherty led the club in a singing with Mrs. McKenzie who happened to drop in playing the piano.

Meeting dates have been set for the second and fourth Thursday of each month with a directors' meeting on the third Thursday. Y Board meetings are on the first Thursday of each month.

Samuel E. Smith Life-Long Resident

After an illness of three months, Samuel Edmund Smith, R.R. 2, Acton, passed away at Guelph General Hospital on October 6. He was 88 years of age. A life-long district farmer, he was born Nov. 5, 1877 at lot 10, Concession 6, Erin township.

He was married at Erin in 1908 and his wife, the former Agnes Russell, survives him. Also remaining are a son, Russell Ospringe, two daughters, Reta (Mrs. Bert James) Finn and Phyllis (Mrs. Ken Hall) Guelph, 12 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

His four sisters and two brothers died before him. Dr. Martha Smith, Julia, Teresa, Fred, Ethel, Fort Wayne, Indiana; Thora, Fred, Dr. Fred Smith, Cleveland and Howard, Lakewood, Ohio.

Funeral services were at Acton Protestant Tabernacle on Saturday October 9, conducted by the Rev. S. Thomas Acton and interment was in Compton's cemetery. Pallbearers were grandsons Alan, Eddie, Kenzie and Kenzie Smith, R.R. 3, Acton; Gerald and Harvey Hall, R.R. 2, Guelph.

Hallowe'en Candies Find Ready Market

The entire supply of Hallowe'en candies was sold out the first night Lions canvassed the town last Thursday. Half that amount again was ordered and has since

all been sold. Not all homes were reached before the candy was all gone.

In charge of the successful project was Murray Harrison with Vic Bristow and Harry Hawkins on the committee.

Next project is a sale of Christmas cake.

FINE FOR TWO

A cannibal chief, given a deep freeze by two explorers, was proudly showing his new possession to a neighboring chieftain. "What's its capacity?" asked the visitor.

"Well," the cannibal king told him, "it holds the two explorers who brought it to me."



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SAVE 14¢ — CARNATION EVAPORATED 7-oz. Tins MILK — 5:79¢

CANADIAN CHEESE FESTIVAL FEATURES

BEST BUY! — SAVE 9¢ — KRAFT DELUXE 8-oz. Pkg. CHEESE SLICES 2:69¢

SAVE 14¢ — Kraft Cracker Barrel — 4¢ Off Pack 16-oz. Size MILD CHEESE 59¢

SAVE 6¢ — KRAFT 1-lb. Pkg. Velveeta CHEESE 67¢

BEST BUY! — SAVE 23¢ — LIBBY'S FANCY QUALITY

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BEST BUY! — SAVE 10¢ — ALL PURPOSE 7-lb. BAG Robin Hood FLOUR 69¢

BEST BUY! — SAVE 6¢ — GOLDEN 2-lb. TIN BEE HIVE SYRUP 33¢

BEST BUY! — SAVE 6¢ — ORANGE PEKOE PKG. OF 60 Salada TEA BAGS 79¢

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