



LOOKING DOWN THE OLD MILL RACE

Comin's and Goin's

The Rockwood Home and School Executive meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Hudson last Thursday evening when plans were completed for the mammoth fashion show of Walker's Clothing to be held on Thursday evening, April 2 at 8 p.m. at the Centennial School.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Milne of Westminster, B.C. are spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Milne. They attended the 50th Wedding anniversary celebration of Bill's parents last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman of Columbia, South Carolina, spent the weekend with Mrs. Chapman's sister, Mrs. E. Craig of Rockwood.

An unnamed great horned owl and two harries (marsh hawks) have chosen the Eramosa River near the Conservation Park as their habitat and are helping to keep the balance of nature in hand whilst proving to be a source of interest to members in the community.

Les femmes du ville de Rockwood are popularizing Louella Beauty salon these days for the best buys in ladies' wiggy headwear. Cut and styled with expert taste the local damsels sport elegant coiffures with ease and confidence.

Mrs. W. A. Duby, Guelph Street, visited her grandson Robert Duby and his wife in Georgetown last Sunday evening and had an enjoyable time.

The ladies of the St. John's Church in Rockwood hosted the Guelph Community Concert organization last Monday evening with lunch and dessert when their bus stopped off in Rockwood from their Toronto trip.

Among the numerous high school students planning on taking short trips during their Easter holidays will be Rob Sinclair of Rockwood and Jamie MacKinnon, Guelph, with destination - Mexico.

The latest report on Mr. George Saunders is that he is progressing beautifully and can now be considered "on the mend" much to the relief of many anxious friends in the village.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Oops!

R. R. 4
March 11/70.

Acton Free Press
Acton, Ontario.

Gentlemen:
In your reports on cattle shipments to Uganda - Please! Uganda is in EAST Africa not South Africa.

Best Regards
Alf Long.

Put guard rails or gates at the top and bottom of stairs when baby starts to crawl.

ROOT HARDWARE

ROCKWOOD

856-9551

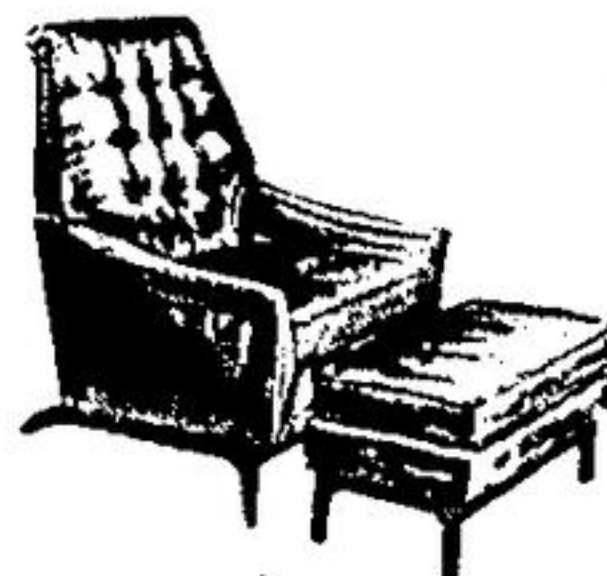
PRE-Inventory Sale

PRICES FOR THIS WEEKEND ONLY
WE TAKE STOCK NEXT WEEK

BUY NOW . . . AND SAVE TOOLS

- | | |
|--|---|
| DISSTON D8 26" x 8 SAW Reg. 12.60
NOW 7.98 | Carpenters TOOL KIT 100 pc. metal case
Reg. 49.97 NOW 39.95 |
| 1/4" B & D DRILL Reg. 12.95 NOW 9.95 | Beach Hip Top TOOL BOX Reg. 21.60
NOW 14.95 |
| 1/4" Variable SPEED KIT Reg. 44.60
NOW 19.95 | WHITE FACE RULES 6' Reg. 2.19 NOW 1.69
8' Reg. 2.95 NOW 1.95
12' Reg. 4.29 NOW 2.95 |
| 3/8 B & D Heavy Duty DRILL Reg. 27.77
NOW 19.95 | |
| 3/8 B & D UTILITY DRILL Reg. 17.95
NOW 14.95 | |

FURNITURE



DINETTE SET Ext. Table, 4 chairs Reg. 99.95
NOW 79.95 extra chairs available

COLONIAL ROCKER, colonial print and poly-form cushions reg. 79.95 NOW 59.95



UNFINISHED FURNITURE

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| DESK Reg. 34.88 NOW 28.98 | CHEST OF DRAWERS Reg. 28.88
NOW 22.88 |
| BOOK CASE Reg. 19.88 NOW 15.88 | |

LIGHTING

- | | |
|--|---|
| ASSORTED QUALITY SWAGS
Reg. 34.95 NOW 24.95 | BOUDOIR LAMPS, Reg. 25.80 per pair
NOW 19.95
Reg. 19.90 pr. NOW 14.95
Reg. 37.80 pr. NOW 24.95 |
|--|---|
- Many Light Fixtures Drastically Reduced

APPLIANCES

- | | |
|---|---|
| KELVINATOR 700 Series AUTOMATIC WASHER with suds saver, rebuilt 149.00 | Portable, carries like-a suitcase, use batteries, car or hydro twin speakers Reg. 119.95 NOW 89.95. |
| 4 Slice Side by Side PROCTOR TOASTER
Reg. 34.95 NOW 29.95 | Proctor Citation DRINK MIXER
Reg. 14.98 NOW 10.98 |
| Holiday TAPE PLAYER UNITS
You have to hear them to appreciate them. | Iona MILK SHAKE MAKER
Reg. 18.95 NOW 10.95 |
| Deluxe Unit with Cabinet Speakers
Reg. 198.95 NOW 149.95 | FOOD MIXER with stand and bowl 19.95 |
| Household unit with cabinet speakers
Reg. 119.95 NOW 89.95 | ELECTRIC BLANKET Reg. 15.95 NOW 11.95
HEATING PADS Reg. 7.98 NOW 5.98 |

HOUSEHOLD

- | | |
|---|--|
| ICE BUCKETS .99c EVEREADY AA BATTERY REG. 1.20 FOR 4, NOW 59c FOR 4. GEL-O-MATIC, A PERFECT MOULD EVERY TIME REG. 1.49 NOW .75 MELMAC SETS REG. 13.95, NOW 10.95 ROOM HUMIDIFIER DRUM TYPE ELECTROHOME END OF SEASON BARGAIN AT 59.88 | CAKE SAVER WITH 3 MIX BOWLS ONLY 1.47 CUFF LINKS AND TIE PIN FOR FATHER REG 5.95 NOW 1.95 PAINT BOMBS .49 BONDEX WATERPROOFING 5 LB. PKGS. REG. 2.25 NOW 1.19. ALL HOCKEY EQUIPMENT AT HALF PRICE, PADS, GLOVES, ELBOW PROTECTORS. |
|---|--|

FARM AND GARDEN

- | |
|--|
| BARN LIGHTS REG. 3.95 NOW 1.95. RIDING MOWER 185.00 FOR 98.95. TANK DE-ICER REG. 18.95 NOW 12.95 SNOW BLOWER A BARGAIN AT 129.95, STORE IT YOURSELF THIS SUMMER, BUY IT NOW FOR 75.00. |
|--|

SAVE UP TO 50% ON MANY TOY AND GIFT LINES

LOOK FOR THE RED STICKERS, THEY MEAN SAVINGS FOR YOU

IF YOU LIKE OUR BARGAINS . . . YOU CAN GO FLY A KITE!

FREE KITES TO THE FIRST 50 CUSTOMERS
BUYING SALE MERCHANDISE

Dr Kingscote describes Chinese painting history

The present exhibition of Chinese brush painting in the Guelph public library by Rockwood artist, Dr. Anthony Kingscote, until quite recently was little known in the Western World. It started to flourish with the invention of paper about 100 A.D. with most of the early Chinese paintings which are still preserved, on the walls of caves.

At first the paintings were largely of people, landscape painting evolved later and slowly, until the outstanding examples of the Great Masters have now become world famous. In the Sung Periods particularly about 960 to 1279 A.D. the doctor continued, the beautiful flower and bird paintings are among the great masterpieces.

Dr. Kingscote states that many of the early paintings were of spiritual significance and the works of Taoist and Buddhist monks. Even today, he says, a painting is first judged by the

tao or spirit it possesses. Next to tao comes the skill with which the artist has handled his brush and here a knowledge of calligraphy is a great help. Calligraphy in itself is a lovely form of art so that poems or comments written on paintings, if not overdone, enhance their beauty. The calligraphy on the paintings in the Guelph Library in the majority of cases is through the courtesy of Professors Chen Bing-Sun, of Manila and Chang Tan Nung of Singapore, both skilled calligraphers in ancient and more modern styles of Chinese writing.

On being asked how one goes about mastering Chinese painting, Dr. Kingscote states the first essentials are a few pointed brushes, and ink stone and sticks or ink, rice or other paper or silk, patience and the power to concentrate.

Once one starts even the

simplest painting one soon becomes oblivious to all one's worries and disturbances. With a challenge accomplished - even to painting a twig of blossoms, comes the thrill of having created something oneself.

For the first year the student of Chinese painting works mostly on developing confidence in his brush strokes by learning to master the skills associated with painting plum blossoms, orchids, bamboo and chrysanthemums collectively called the "Four Gentlemen" because of the symbolism associated with the four subjects. At this time the student can soon create pleasant compositions; some students, especially ladies, start making their own letterheads, bookmarks, place and greeting cards.

"Later", Dr. Kingscote continued, "landscape painting instruction commences and about this time Guild teachers put great stress on studying and recreating works of the Great Masters. In so doing the student learns skills and techniques which various masters have developed through the centuries and after that, the advanced student, is free, if he so wishes, to start his own style and school."

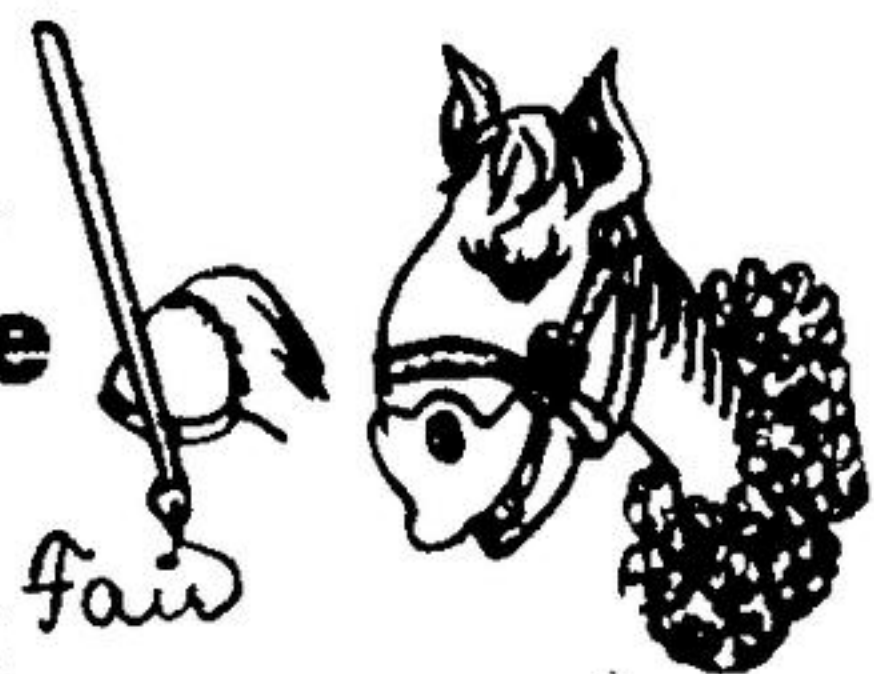
the village folks was there buyin' things reel cheep. Parkin' was a big mess though and it shore surprizes me s'to how the Main Street doesn't get jammed up.

Wot human folks never do seem to catch on to is th'fact that nothin' is a bargain unless you want it in th'first place!
Bye now, yore friend,
PRETTY FAIR



Horse sense

by
Pretty Fair



Howdy, my friends! Almost didnt git to writin' nothin' this week wot with bein so busy an all. Dick's kid Martin has had me hog-tied t'het darn blame cutter fer th'past three weeks an I aint had no time fer anythin' else but run, run, and keep runnin.

Heard Jim Thatcher here th'other day tawkin' to Julie and they was sayin' t'het th'Orangeville race track is sponsorin' races every Sunday from now on fore 18 Sundays in a row rumm' consecutively from the first one in May.

Used t'be thiet they only held races on Labour Day but now it'll be an easy jaunt to git that an th'boys shore are plumb pleased about thiet.

Ole Dick now figgers he's got himself a gewd thing cause if I lose out on any draws in Elmira like last year he'll be able to git me in at Orangeville. So's between Orangeville, Elmira, an'Hannover they's bound n'dent tuh make me into a gewd candecadee fer the glue factory after all. They's been all kinda gewd t'me lajely down hyar at th'barn. Johnnie Salmon was clockin' me th'other day an him an ole Jim con-cluded thiet I'm runnin' twice as fast as I was this time last year so things shewd be pickin' up at th' track this season. Sher hopes so cause all my friends wot bets on me can lose big pots of money if n I don't win those races.

Got into a tough squeeze at th'rockery last Friday nite. Thiet dad tootin' place was loaded with all sorts o'varmint from all over th'place and just about all

MAKE YOUR MOVE NOW



SWITCH TO



TEXACO HOME HEAT SERVICE

- Texaco Heating Oils
- Oil Burner Sales & Service
- Budget Payment Plan
- "Free Annual Oil Burner Service"
- Gasoline For The Business & Farm Trade
- Complete Line Of Lubricants For Farm And Industrial Use

FOR PROMPT SERVICE PHONE

822-4221

ED SHERWOOD TEXACO PRODUCTS

523 YORK ROAD

GUELPH