



# Rockwood Carnival

(1) Ken Death and Mark Hamilton are on the front of the prize winning St. John's Church float in the carnival parade. Theme: "He's got the Whole World in His Hands." (2) Ivy Ritchie is at the controls of the tractor which pulls the winner. (3) Many decorated bicycles took part in the parade. (4) The Elwood Tosh family entered this Dutch shoe float in the carnival and took a second in the family section. (5) Naturally the popular Rockwood Trail Riders were in the parade with a color party in front. (6) Historical Canada was the theme of the float entered by the Seim and Glendenning families with Gary Ritchie driving the tractor. The float took first in the family section. (7) A popular ride on the midway. (8) Robert and Susan Tosh brought up the rear of their family float in a unique way. (9) Rockwood Philharmonic tunes up before they led the parade to the park. (10) Wellington Junior Farmers stage an impromptu square dance demonstration for carnival patrons. (11) Decorated bicycles in the parade with Linda Cox, front. (12) Newcomers Mr. and Mrs. George Pearson and family enjoy the carnival. They moved to the Rockwood area from London. Decorated bicycle winners at the carnival were Bren Storey and Arlene Stumpf.—(Photos by Lorraine.

## Wellington schools deficits subject at special meeting

Concern over the Wellington County's arbitrator's report sparked a special meeting which was held in the Council Chambers of the Eramosa Township last Monday evening.

The three council members, Reeve Cameron Lush, Duncan McPhedran, Warren Parkinson, and clerk Lloyd Hindley met with past Eramosa School Board members Murray Smeltzer, George Day and William Jackson, Guelph Suburban representative, as well as H. Simpson, chartered accountant, to go over the reports and attempt to arrange a brief for presentation at a meeting to be held in Fergus High School on date of Friday, June 26 at 2 p.m.

The 1968 adjusted deficit for the Eramosa Township School area is recorded to be \$11,175 and the deficit for 1968 for the Suburban Guelph High School Board is \$140,948 of which the Township of Eramosa's share is \$59,396.

## Comin's and Goin's

Rockwood friends are happy to know that Frank Kelso is now on the mend although it will be necessary to spend another three weeks in the hospital in Holland.

Flags are flying and it's great to see Don and Winnie Hills back on the Rockwood horizon again. They came back over last weekend but maybe by next week they'll have been landed long enough to give their Rockwood cohorts a run down on their England activities.

Mrs. Bob Adams and her three children from Beaconsfield, Quebec, will be spending the next few days with her mother Mrs. K. Rhodes, Guelph Street.

The Provincial Court House in Guelph received visitors on Tuesday last when the grade eight students of Rockwood Centennial Public school attended a selected docket of cases in the morning.

Lloyd Waddell is presently in the Guelph General Hospital having a cartilage removed. He should soon be in great shape again and we hope for some warm summer weather to speed up his recovery.

## Two schools close

Old friends of Lois (Lavery) Maw and her husband Red will be pleased to see them around the village during the next few days as they are spending two weeks in Rockwood at the home of her sister, Georgina Kelso while the Kelsos are staying on in Holland.

Two of the few remaining small schools in the county have been duly authorized by the Wellington County School Board to be closed down at the end of the June term this year.

The children from Eden Mills will go to Rockwood Centennial and those from Cull's will go to John Black. Disposition of the actual school properties has not yet been determined.

# Rockwood News

## Rockwood peewees record six consecutive wins

Dean Boles hurled Rockwood atoms to a 5-1 win over Limehouse Saturday night. Rockwood completed two double plays in the game.

With several players missing from the lineup, Rockwood junior girls suffered a 35-5 loss at the hands of Glen Williams, last Tuesday night.

Rockwood pee wees stretched their winning streak to six with wins over Morriston and Hillsburg.

Hillsburg scored 10 runs in the last half of the ninth inning to chalk up a 19-9 win over Rockwood senior girls.

Jerry Thatcher pitched pee wees to a 13-11 win against Morriston, last Wednesday night and John Dyer was the winning pitcher in a 24-10 victory over Hillsburg, Sunday.

Rockwood midgets dropped a tough decision to Morriston, Friday night. Rockwood bantams play host to Morriston tonight (Wednesday).

## Many ignore by-law dogs run at large

Although township by-laws clearly state that dogs are not allowed to run freely and traverse on other properties other than those belonging to their owners unless on a leash, many residents ignore the by-law and their dogs create public mischief.

Village trustees are continually receiving reports about dogs breaking open plastic garbage containers and spreading food remains. Sheep and lambs in the fall are constant victims on farm lands and this usually results in having to destroy family or farm pets.

## Performing arts return to school

The Wellington Board of Education has re-engaged the Prologue to the Performing Arts for a return series in county schools in 1970-71. There will be a total of six performances of theatre, opera and ballet divided evenly between city and non-city schools.

If you have a dog, make sure he is under control at all times. If in the village, the trustees ask that it be allowed on the streets only when led with a leash; and in the township, officials request that, wherever necessary, restraints placed.

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