

ATTRACTIVE CONVENERS Martha Malone and Cora Gooyers were behind the teenage sales counter at the annual Catholic Women's League Christmas

Bazaar Friday evening. Cora was the convener for the specialty booth which catered to the tastes of the young mods.--(Photo by Lorraine)

Teenage booth popular at C.W.L. bazaar Friday

Christman sale items and joviality were all part of the annual Rockwood and Oustic C.W.L. Bazaar held last Friday

night at the village hall. The regular items were on hand for selling with home made Christmas delights disappearing quickly. The traditional pull string game was set up at children's prices with the penny

table and novelties stand all identifiable by their particular specialities.

Teenage booth While the Bingo table drew its crowds, in one corner of the hall an innovation into local bazaars had been added. A teenage booth set up with hand made merchandise to what the appetite of the young was operating under

by Lorraine

"I say there mister ministers, if you want to know where your sheep are spending their hours these Sunday mornings just take look into the laundromat and that's where everyone's at these

It was the flu bug that did it to me. Two weeks of feeling less than great, woozy, and just generally out of spirits and way down low. No motivation, no locomotion, just no pep whatever. You can imagine what that's like in a family of eight when you're feeling trapped, two inches tall, the cleaning cog in the wheel - and looking full into the face of Everything begins to back up my minister! I squeaked with or a trip to the local laundromat Morning and how are you like a Christian for the rest of the sprinted into the house and week than any sermon from St. Christopher himself.

Same thought

Well, it seems that just about every other person and his wife Break-in had thought the same thing. The old machines were ripping off at a great pace, husbands complaining about having to do the family wash while their wives ducked off to church, wives about leaving their husbands tucked soundly in bed.

Machines chugging, extractors whirring, and dryers purring as efficient wash mongers inserted their clothes, dumped in the soap, placed coins in the slot, setting up their morning schedule of efficient washday patterns. Sundays popular

According to the gentleman in laundromat charge of the Saturday used to be the busy day but, because it was such an involved one with grocery shopping and all, Sunday washing sessions are fast becoming a popular procedure.

What's happened to the old "And on the Seventh Day thou shalt rest" routine? It would be interesting to see what would happen if a minister walked in and started preaching to his straying flock or could it be that that particular area of "flock" had gone past the place of no return. Maybe it could prove a thought for consideration if he simply set up his church service right in the laundromat itself. Of course it could always present the problem of what service he would use which could accommodate the numerous denominations of the people who had strayed from whatsoever tabernacle.

Next to Godliness

Ir any event, I finally managed to complete my Sunday task which, to most North American housewives is usually relegated to Mondays, I packed it up neatly, treked it out to the car and trundled homeward bound, satisfied that, althought I had not paid my honours to the Lord at least my family would shine with "next to Godliness" cleanliness. I reached home and was

News and views blissfully taking the clothes from the back of the car, hurrying not to be caught by Sunday conscious Christians who would not

condone my washing principles

when I was discovered. Our

regular church service had been

shortened and already the congregation was leaving.
Once again I was caught in the bind of being too closely situated to St. John's Church. There I was garbed in slacks and sweater carrying baskets of clothing and, come Sunday, three weeks chagrin as he smiled wistfully later, it's either church next door down at me and said "Good which will make you feel more today?" I smiled sneakily and began dampening the clothes for

ironing. Next Sunday I'll be in

twp. office

Thievery occurred in the Eramosa Township office last weekend when thieves broke into the building through a broken basement window and absconded with a three year old Underwood Scripto electric typewriter, a small adding machine, and a new transistor radio.

Township clerk, Lloyd Hindley, discovered the break in upon arrival at work on Monday morning. He alerted the O.P.P. and the case is presently under investigation. Broken glass, muddy footprints outside the broken window, and mud prints inside the building could possibly aid in the apprehending of the criminals.

8,000 Species

cestors were solitary burrowing as delightful.

of the younger members of the Many of the saleables had been

the capable management of some

created by the sales girls themselves; head bands, ookpiks made by Mari Ellen Saunders and mammoth hand made flowers created by Martha Majone of R. R. Campbellville doubled as a booth decoration as well as exciting sale items. Cora Gooyers was the master mind behind the teenage endeavour assisted by Anne Dales, Mari Ellen Saunder, Kathleen Holman and Martha.

Mary Kelly's gorgeous hand knit poncho was up for lucky draw investment which few ladies could resist. Annette Phillips modelled the poncho throughout the evening and ticket sale response proved it a popular investment.

Conveners

It took many hours of hard: work and innumerable conveners to make the bazaar a worthwhile project. Nellie Stokman was in charge of the novelty booth assisted by Mrs. Evelyn Dales and Mrs. M. Bell from Eden

Mrs. Joanne Gooyers convened the baking booth along with Mrs. Mae Synott. The penny table was manned by Mrs. Dolly Mellanson and Bernice Bacon while two very lovely petit point pictures were displayed by their creator, Marjorie Saunders on which she sold draw tickets. Marg Sennhouser of R. R. 3, Rockwood collected and convened the draw for a large grocery hamper and Marlene Dupuis and Gail Bacon and Angela Morrisey served

behind the refreshment bar. Pretty Nancy and Angelina Stokman assisted Jim Dales in the pull string booth and it was Mrs. June Hawkins with her two children Fred and Mari who took charge of the bingo.

Everybody's friend

During the evening Joy Halliburton, the president of the C.W.L. and general convener of the bazaar circulated and visited with patrons as well as Father Elliott who is well becoming known lovingly in the village as "the man who is everybody's friend." Father Elliott moved from booth to booth chatting with villagers and making everyone feel welcome and warm.

Draw winners of the special prizes were John Gooyers the lucky recipient of the hand made pictures, Annette Phillips won the poncho, Roy Bacon won the A.M.F.M. clock radio and Herb Saunders the transistor radio. Mrs. Shirley Drexler's ticket claimed the polaroid camera and the hamper of groceries went to Dorothy Bolton.

Special mention must also be Ants are interesting creatures. made for the wonderful outside Not only are they among the assistance of Mrs. A. Berberich oldest of the insects, but also whose hand created Christmas there are about 8,000 different decorations and novelty species. It is believed their an- donations were numerous as well

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Howdy folks! Been kinds shook up lately wet with me bein pulled out a Mohawk anbrought down here to Jim's place. It looks kindalike t'me as if'n them human owners o'mine is contemplatin th'bone yeard fer me now that they thinks

I'm not werth werkin' with no

I got trace once at Mohawk this fall but I didn't do so good so th'boys tried to qualify me again an I didn't make it. So I figgers thets th'way it is but there no uso in gettin' all hung up about thet just cause I can't beat all th'other varmints around a dang blamed race track. Yuh shure can't mensure a man or a woman neither just by it's racin' abilities

Wal, the boys don't quite agree with thet. They just packed me up hyar to Jim's fer the winter an I heard ole Dick tawkin' t'Jim Thatcher and they wuz sayin' they'd best deal her off or put her in cans. Now, thet's me they's tawkin about an I take a dim view of th'entire offair. No spalootin' humans is gonna put thar blasted mitts on me an sell me t'no glue factory. I'll up an run away fust. Meantime the I'll jest stick around fer a while an see wots

Gawly thet snow storm last Monday sher showed up the Deepartment o-Highways in this district. The dadblasted roads was all sanded Acton t'the gravel pits on No. 7 Highway and from Guelph t'just outside Rockwood but all in between they wasn't one pinch o sand on th'whole mess o'roud an thar wuz cars

flounderin' all over th' place. The hill on th'Main Street o'th village wuz londed with cars goin' witch way some crushin' into the backs o'those slidin' down anth'ears comin' couldn't make th'big hills.

Gotta make one comment hyar - if'n yew don't mind an ole horse face like me shootin' off my mouth - but ther muste been about 25 youngsters thar, teenngers, an younger stickin' around helpin' motorists get up thet blastid hill. As soon as sum per guy would go into a spin them kids'd run over an start pushin' as hard as they could t'straighten th'guy out. Gosh, they shore did werk until finally th'road sander came along and sprinkled sand over it. Now t'my way o'thinkin' those kids desarve a lotta credit fer being such good blokes t'them

Geese know what happened then? I wuz standin' thar not three minutes when along cum th'dad blastid snow plough an it starts scrapin' up all th'snow combined which wuz th'gravel which the gravel truck had just put down. Aint it ironical how these ding blamed humans organizes thar thinkin'.

Wal folks, I gotta git now, it's snow time agin an I guess my job from now on will be transportin' little gaffers about on the cutter at least fer th'winter anyhow. So's let me chemp on this appel core wot Julie Thatcher just brought out an then I'll let them hitch me up fer a trial run.

So bye fer now yew buys, see y'later. Yer frend, PRETTY

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Obituary

Arthur Ewers missed in village community

The death certificate is dated Tuesday September 22 and burial took place at the Rockwood Cemetery from the St. John's Anglican Church on date of Thursday, September 24, but Arthur Ewers, late of Main Street, Rockwood, will be remembered by his friends in the Village for many years.

Arthur Ewers served for 25 years as the nighttime caretaker of the C.N.R. station in Rockwood, meeting two trains on schedule, generally cleaning and taking care of the hullding, and, in the day of the pre electric switching he would walk 14 miles there and back to change the lights which, today are ob-

One man job

He was praised in the C.N.R. Cazette by the late Donald Gordon, President of the Company, as the Foreman who was doing a "one man Job" in

Born in February, 1893 the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ewers of Waddeson, England, Arthur Ewers came to Canada and settled in Churchill, Ontario. He moved to Rockwood with his wife and two children in 1927 when the Godson Construction Company with which he was employed was building a new highway through the village now known as the No. 7 highway. He later became affiliated with

the Department of Highways and doubled his daytime employment with caretaking for the Anglican Church and that, of the C.N.R. station foreman.

Was popular

Because he was an avid gardener and liked people he was a popular community member, giving away his produce and generally contributing to village life in quiet ways. Arthur was an outstanding dart player and,

MENTALLY RETARDED

ago from the Department of was content to visit his village friends while accompanied by his little black cocker called Bingo.

Four children

Dorothy Van Goozen of Preston, John William of Guelph, Edna MacDougall of Rockwood, and Halph of Guelph Mr. Ewers had seven grandchildren of which he was very proud and enjoyed being with. His wife Edna presently continues to live in their Main Street home in Rock-

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because of his early World War service years he was affiliated with the Legion Corps in Guelphi where he participated in many dart playing tournaments.

After his retirement 25 years flighways he continued to look after the evening train servicing until eight years ago and then he

Survived by four children.

Three months has elapsed since the nassing of Arthur-Ewers but he is remembered as the second last of his generation of area Department of Highway employees and, of the gang he worked with including Harry Edwards, Bill Brennan, Ainley Croft, and himself, only Mr. Croft of Station Street is still

ARTHUR A.

• See Professional

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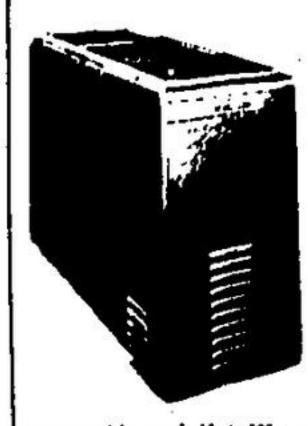
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capably placed the 218 animals three classes, breeder's herd, F. Picket. shown by 102 exhibitors from five female three-year-old and group Oak Ridges Farms, Oak class. Ridges, showed the Grand Claude F. Picket of was first prize winner at the CNE Champion female and James A. Georgetown had a fourth prize in and West-Central Ontario show at Walker and Son, Grimsby, the the female two-year-old class. Erin.

Claude F. Picket farm near Bros., Hamilton. Romandale was in the same class. Hornby sold for top price of runner-up for Premier Breeder \$19,000 at a sale following one of and Agro Bros. was runner-up for

Four prizes

and 18. Judge Orton Eby of St. carried home prizes from the by Rowntree Farms, Brampton George had many difficult show. M. D. Wingrove of for a six-month-old heifer calf, decisions to make as he very Campbellville was second in Pickland Regal Maud, to Claude Canadian provinces and eight of four animals. His entry was sold the top priced milking U.S. states in the Holstein show. third in the senior get of sire female, Oak Knoll Anita

to Romandale Farms, Unionville, the bull calf while Harry Moore \$2,250.

A local Holstein heifer from the and the Premier Breeder to Agro and Bertram Stewart came third

Bale prices

An excellent average of \$3,469 was established at the Sale of Stars as 21 head brought \$72,850. Several Halton exhibitors Highest price of \$19,000 was paid

James W. Carney, Georgetown Empress for \$6,000. This yearling

Grand Champion bull, while the Terry Leslie and Bertram Airway Holsteins, Hornby sold Premier Exhibitor banner went Stewart of Hornby were second in a yearling to a Brazil buyer for

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Questions deficiencies psychological service

Trustee Bill Lawson sparked discussions on deficiencies in psychological services offered by the Halton County Board of Education at their meeting in Oakville

Lawson wondered about complaints he received about psychologists in the employ of the board spending time on social problems instead of strictly education problems.

Assistant to the director Emmerson Lavender explained problems in the north of the county stemmed from the lack of social agencies present in southern towns and said social workers with the board stretched their service.

Aware of problem Superintendent W. K., Armstrong said the board became aware of the problem in September of 1969 when the support services became conspicuous by their absence. He recalled discussions with

the Department of Health in

Toronto and Halton County Health Unit in Milton and told the board the Health Unit had appointed a man to survey needs. From CSC

He said the result was what will

eventually become known as the Community Service Council. The CSC is a committee made up of education, health, correction, welfare and probation representatives.

council at work the problem would be solved and duplication of services avoided.

Mr. Armstrong sald with the

Ontario income Total personal income in Ontario in 1969 increased 11.2 per cent to \$24,900,000,000, states the annual report of the Ontario Department of Trade and Development. Per capita personal income rose 9 per cent to \$3,341.