

The Ingle family nets three top fish awards

It will seem slightly out of season to some folks, but to the winners of the 1971 Rockwood and District Fish and Game Association awards, it's never too late and, to the George Ingle family of Harris Street, they were in fine fettle for catching speckled trout. Final presentations recently, showed the Ingles' as having won the three biggest trout of the '71 season as father George won no. 1

award, Brenda no. 2, and Pamela Ingle, no. 4, with Doug Hanson of Guelph, winning honors for his speckled specimen number three.

The district pisciculturists are a group of approximately 150 members of which only 14 are actually actively oriented towards keeping the Eramosa River teeming and they do this by matching the number of fish they put in, according to the number of

membership tickets they sell per year.

Education purpose

The club which originated some time ago around 1945 was formed under the leadership of Clarence Downs of Main Street and Frank Schneider. Its purpose was to educate fishermen of all ages and encourage them to leave the smaller species in the water and take only the regulation sizes.

By means of raffles and dances the club manages to stock the Eramosa with approximately 200 foot-long trout every year, over and above the "put and takers" supplied annually by the Department of Lands and Forests. It's a quiet community endeavour by organized outdoorsmen who recognize the inestimable value of fishing for sport. Many of the members involved are men who have skirted the best part of the Ontario country-side to enjoy new scope for their favorite pastime.

Thornbury, the Nottawasaga, French, and Nipigon Rivers, some of Rockwood's best have traversed them all. Rainbows, brown and speckled trout and the northern pike, these are the favorite catching ventures for George Ingle but, when it comes to quiet, home-town, fishing escapades, it's just a rod, a net, and the Eramosa, and the entire family participates.

Yearly raffles

Besides the membership tickets, yearly raffles are also incentives which keep the district club functioning and pump guns, outdoor motors, and high grade outdoor fishing regalia are only some of the exciting prizes which are drawn for annually.

Three raffles ago it was George Fountain of Acton who won a 30 lb. Sportsal fishing canoe and every year more sportsmen enquire about membership in the worthwhile endeavor which absorbs fishing enthusiasts from Arkell, Acton, Guelph, Thornbury, Everton and other areas from where Rockwood is just a short jaunt for their most preferred game.

Rainbow winners

Winners of the Rainbow trout entries showed Francis Lovell of Harris Street, Rockwood as the trophy winner with his 10 lb. beauty. He was seconded by Barry Simpson with a 9.10 and R. Atkinson with a 9.2 pounder. In the ladies' class, Janet Peart brought in a 1.12 lb. specimen and Catherine Maltby was a close second when she pulled in a rainbow weighing 1.11 lbs. Bringing up the Junior fisher girls and boys were Pamela Simmons with a 4.8 rainbow, Terry Webster a 4.4 pounder, and Tim Hartman brought in a 0.7 baby-sized rainbow for a third spot in the junior division.

Meetings of the district Fish and Game Association are held three or four times per year and the 1972 executive shows Len McDougall of Mary Street, Rockwood, as president, and Gordon Gray, secretary-treasurer.



CHARTER EXECUTIVE of the Rockwood and District Lions Club was voted into office last Wednesday at its premier organizational meeting. Club president Harry Bonner of R.R. Rockwood is flanked by treasurer Jim

Greenis on his right and Grant McRae, secretary, left. Back row has Darryl Nichol and Jimmie Milne as Charter night chairmen.—(Photo by Lorraine)

42 members

Harry Bonner charter prexy

The Rockwood Lions Club held its first organizational meeting last Wednesday night and voted in as president, Harry Bonner of R.R. Rockwood.

This will be a singular honor for the local man as he will be the premier charter president of the organization which is the first of its kind to have been established in the village.

Regular bi-monthly dinner meetings have been decided on for the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of every month at 7 o'clock and already 42 members have registered as Lion Club members.

During the election of officers, Grant McRae was voted in as secretary; Jim Greenis as treasurer, and, as charter-night chairmen, Jim Milne and Darryl Nichol were elected.

Already plans are falling into place and, at last Wednesday's meeting, under discussion was the Club's plan to purchase a ten acre parcel of land situated within the Rockwood village region to be set aside for future recreational needs. It is one of the topmost goals of the ambitious Lions once the club gets better established.

Club treasurer Jim Greenis says that membership has not been discontinued yet and interested citizens are welcomed to join. Tentative arrangements have been discussed for the March 1 dinner about which all members will be notified.

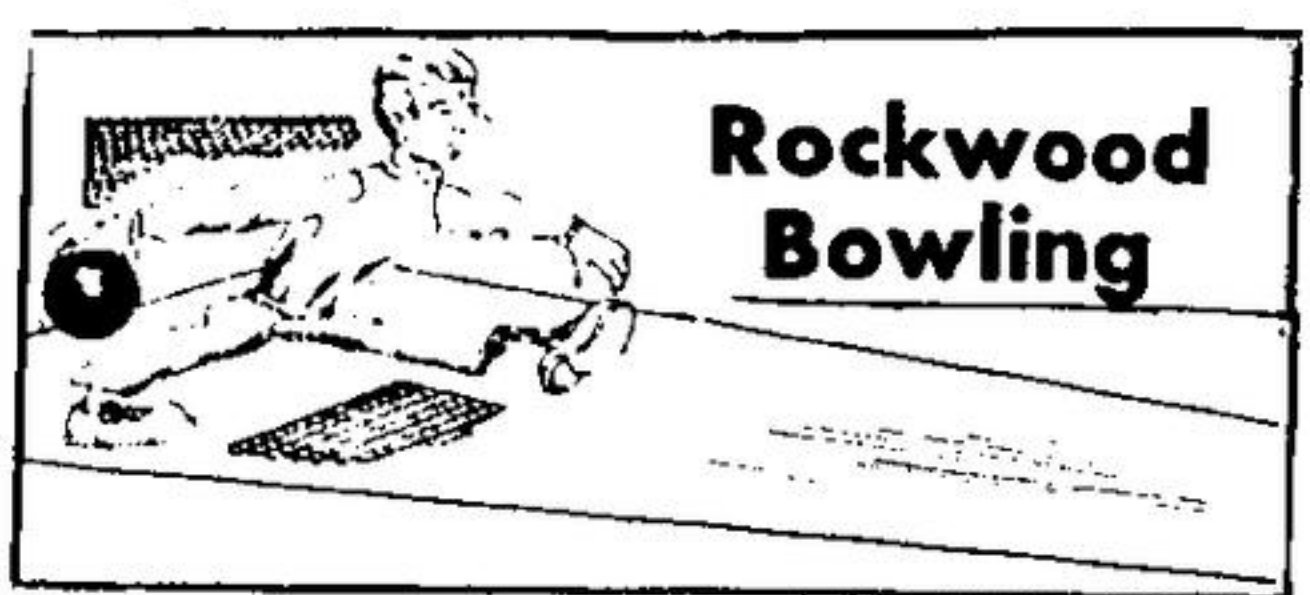
\$2,900 damage

A 6.30 p.m. accident which occurred just west of Rockwood last Friday night resulted in estimated damage of \$1,400 to the 68 GMC pick-up truck belonging to James Kingswell of Alan Street, Guelph. Damage to the '69 Buick owned by Murray Smith, 96 Mill Street, Acton, was estimated at \$1,500.

Mr. Smith was treated and released from the Guelph General Hospital with minor bruises. The rear of the truck and front of the Smith car were the damaged areas of the two vehicles.



YOU WOULDN'T LOOK too pleased either said George; if you were a true fisherman and were going to have to wait at least another 12 weeks before you could get at your favourite pastime. George Ingle of Harris Street poses with fishing pole in hand holding tight to his newly awarded trophy from the Rockwood and District Fish and Game Association for catching the '71 season's biggest speckled in the Eramosa River. He also sports the club's cheque for \$5 which will buy him a new fishing reel.—(Photo by Lorraine)



Rockwood Bowling

As the season moves into its last round the Rockwood Bowling teams are gradually sliding in their places which could be the final ones give or take some good luck here and bad luck there.

At last Tuesday's meet the Guelphites bowled in a 247 single game, Ross Gordon a 199, Gary Parks a 187 and Sam Lawlor a 188 single score. For the Bluebirds, Fred Nightingale slipped in a 688 triple, Vivian Nightingale a 225 single, Ivy Ritchie a 201 and Mary Stahlbaum a 231 single game.

The Newcomer's team was in high fettle and captured 7 pts. from the Plumbers and heaters Carney's team as Peter Bosch brought home a 630 score. Martin Dupuis a 193 single and Rika Loof a 188 single. Bob Lilley tried hard for the Carney's team and bowled a 207 single. May Swachhammer a 187 and Betty Burnett a 182 single.

Dick Dupuis brought two singles of 223, Dunc Kingsbury bowled 216 and 241 single games and Sam Nyholt a 232 single.

It was a 5 to 2 score game for the Pacers as they polished off the Neighbours and Doug Hilton brought up his 653 triple from a 208, 213 and 232 set of singles; Mike Kelly showed a 252 single, Doug Cross a 195 and John Thatcher a 192 single game. Bill Garner was behind the Neighbours with his 226 single, Harvey Bayne a 211, 229, Sandy McPhedran a 224 and Dunc McPhedran a 213 single game.

The Optimists took the 5 to 2 lead over Elmer's Alley Cats as Ward Bruce bowled in 216 and Myrtle Theaker, 157; Helen Elliott for the Cats bowled a 209 single game and Gwen McDougall a 192.

It's an up, up, and maybe away for the Lucky Clovers who are gradually moving up the ladder and Tuesday showed a 7 point straight take against the Ospringe Ramblers. Eileen Rosenboom scratched a 204 and 219 single score on her scorepad; Harv Jestin a 272, 205, and 213 with a 690 triple; Brian Garner came up with a 590 triple; Brian Garner came up with a 209 and 247 set of singles and Ted Jestin a 216, and 238. Bowling with the Ramblers was Bob Lilley with a 203 single game, George Lang made with a 204 single, Bob Auld a 255 and Peggy Ellis a 188 single score.

Standings to date show: 1. Strattons 98, 2. Ospringe Ramblers 86, 3. Guelphites 78, 4. Newcomers 74, 5. The Neighbours 75, 6. Goyer Bro's 74, 7. Pacers 72, 8. Misfits 71, 9. Norrons Bluebirds 68, 10. Lucky Clovers 65, 11. Carney's Plg. & Hig. 62, 12. Four Corners 60, 13. Alley Cats 51, 14. The Optimists 14.

Women over 500, Ruth Kingsbury 671, Nellie Stokman 671, Mary Stahlbaum 602, Judy Bender 589, Ann Parkinson 585, Eileen Rosenboom 585, Winnie Hills 583, Helen Elliott 577, Ivy Ritchie 555, Alice Johnson 543, Gwen McDougall 505.

Men over 600, Fred Nightingale 683, Harv Jestin 630, Doug Chandler 673, Doug Hilton 653, Doug Cross 647, Ted Jestin 646, Brian Robertson 633, Peter Bosch 630, Jim Thatcher 628, Brian Garner 628, Sam Nyholt 622, Dick Dupuis 622, Clarence Hilton 621, Bill Scott 608, Harvey Bayne 607, Dunc Kingsbury 605.

Comin's and Goin's

Many ladies on St. Valentine's Day get candy hearts to celebrate but this year Anne Stumph of Main Street got herself a little sweetheart when Vicki Sophia arrived at the Guelph General Hospital on February 14 weighing in at 8 lbs. 4 1/2 oz. It's 2 boys and 6 girls for the happy Walter Stumphs and everyone is doing well.

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Okay, all you husband helpers. If you're a community conscious Rockwood district female who would like to see your husband participate in a Club which thinks "community" give him a prod in the ole rib cage and talk him into joining the Rockwood and District Lions Club with bi-weekly meeting nights. Just contact secretary Grant McRae or Jim Greenis on McKenzie Street, and this Wednesday, at the Rockwood Centennial School the ladies are having a go at getting organized to form a Lionettes group. So get in there and plug and maybe we'll see more village and area pull-togethers with everyone involved.

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Great to see Trustee Chairman Don Hills keeping up on civic conventions. This week Don spent some time at the Goods Roads Convention held at the Royal York Hotel last weekend and picked up some excellent pointers at the councillors seminars.

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Word from Joy Lord and mother Pete is that Sarasota, Florida, isn't providing the delightful sunshine we usually hear about.

"Have only seen the sun one day since we left" says a postcard home, "Cool, windy, and three days of rain so we can't say we are dying of the heat." The pair left over a week ago and their friends in Eden Mills and Rockwood hope for them that mother nature'll get cracking and give them a real round of browning weather that'll make their southern visit a wonderful one.

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Calling all parents! The Rockwood Centennial Home and School Association is getting into business again under the guiding hand of President Sandy Hudson. A meeting held recently resulted in a full list of officers and, slated for the first program in March, will be "Remedial Education". The date and regular H. & S. days have yet to be established but the new exec is hopeful that all avid parents will get behind them and support this important organization. Plans for a full fledged spring fashion show are also in the making with Ann Benham at its helm. Sandy Hudson says "keep in touch and times will be posted." Besides the president three other names are on the executive, secretary Donna Clifford, Eden Mills, treasurer Flossie McMinn of Guelph Street, Rockwood, and program convener Ann Chesworth.

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Last Wednesday's Ash Wednesday service at the St. John's Church in Rockwood was a

pleasurable one when, afterwards coffee and donuts were the feet warmers for the ladies and gents present many of whom were Guelphites from the congregation of St. James who had come to the Village to participate in the service of their newly appointed parish affiliates of St. John's. Many were young mothers with little children and it looks as if the trial union is going to be a wonderful one.

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Well, now. Look what a family in Rockwood got to eat for the past week. Phyllis Ingle of Harris Street managed to make the 2nd CJOY telephone call recently and won a hamper of Toastmaster goodies for knowing her Academy Award winning films. The first caller erred and Phyllis capitalized on her mistake. Nice going Ingles, it's too early to catch fish but it's amazing how many mouths you can feed with loaves of Toastmaster bread.

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Special congratulations must be handed out to Mrs. Robert Hoy, the Eramosa Township's famed music and choir teacher. At last Thursday's Kiwanis Music Festival her choirs took five prizes and her outstanding ability in this field is becoming more marked annually. Nice going, Roberta, Rockwood Centennial School parents are especially pleased that their kids are having an opportunity to participate under such qualified leadership.

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It's best wishes for a wonderful trip and holiday for Lillian and Burton Hill this week when they take a flight for a ten-day visit to Florida. Hope the weather improves and everything is terrific and wish all your friends could be with you folks. See you around shortly.

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Looking for weekend entertainment? Laurets should be handed to two outstanding Eramosa Township athletes who participated in the C.W.O.S.S.A. Wrestling competitions held in Kitchener recently. Brian Hindley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hindley, took a 2nd in the 130 lb. competitions and John Parkinson, son of Reeve Warren and Jean Parkinson was 1st in the 148 lb. class. It's congratulations for the two local lads and, this

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Further grant for Kelso

The Honourable James A.C. Auld, Minister of the Environment and Honourable George A. Kerr, Q.C. M.P.P. for Halton West, announced approval of a provincial grant of \$7,028.10 to the Halton Region Conservation Authority for the Kelso Conservation Area.

This area comprises 390 acres of land in the Township of Nassagaweya, where the Authority has carried out considerable development work and a grant was authorized to apply on the cost of fire protection and provision of two washroom buildings.

In order to meet health regulations and additional hydro requirements, it has been necessary to increase the cost of this development program and this grant applies on the additional expenditure involved.

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NOTE: Our Constitution provides that voting delegates must be paid up members of the Association who have been members for at least 14 days preceding the convention or who were paid up members the previous year and who purchase their current membership prior to voting. Contact the secretary or Treasurer regarding membership prior to March 1, 1972.

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