



MAYOR Les Duby assisted Lorne Dobertheln with the lucky draw at L. & L. Ford Monday night. Lucky winners were, first prize—Ben Wallace, 22 Charles St. Guelph, second prize—David Turner, R.R. 3 Acton, third prize—Marta Griefeneder, 319 Peel St., Acton. (Photo by D. Gibbons)

First Communion at St. Joseph's

Eighteen boys and eight girls made their first Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock mass Sunday morning at St. Joseph's church. The girls were dressed in the traditional white dresses with veils and carried rosaries and prayer books while the boys were attired in suits with flowers in their lapels. Father J. J. Gillen spoke a few words to the capacity congregation impressing that the date of the first holy communion was the most important date in a child's life since it was then they started to assimilate with the life of Christ. He urged parents and the boys and girls to frame the certificate they were presented with in a suitable place in the home, honoring it more than they would a graduation certificate or other earthly honor. The children were instructed by Mrs. Peggy Graham. In the afternoon the children returned to the church where

they participated in the May crowning, an old Catholic ceremony where a statue of the Blessed Virgin is crowned with a wreath. Kathleen Nolan performed the crowning while the traditional hymns were sung. The children were enrolled in the scapular of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Benediction followed. Girls who took their first communion Sunday were: Donna Cavlovic, Lynn Gordon, Carol Chlason, Kathy Nolan, Christine Baginski, Julie Tyers, Susan Reynolds and Sandy Alonby. Boys in the class were George Garton, John Vuk, Matthew Vuk, Pierre Himeshazli, Richard Binde, Michael Housse, Andrew Rouch, David Allen, Richard Papillon, Gordon McArthur, Mark Duval, Paul McTrach, Dean McKerracher, Paul Gorjup, Ronnie Wunder, Paul Nolan, Peter Luty and Jimmy Alonby.

Horse trading may help both parties

A little horse trading between the town of Acton and Canada Packers Ltd. may be in the offing, as negotiations for the extension of a water line on Highway 25, south of town, continue between the two parties. In reply to a query from Councillor Bill Coats, public works committee chairman Councillor Earl Masades said the agreement between the town and Canada Packers for extension of the line should be culminating soon. Coats told council the local parks board is also anxious to negotiate with the company on the transfer of land at the east end of Fairy Lake.

Canada Packers has been ordered by the O.W.R.C. to supply fresh water to nine residences south of town. Beardmore spraying allegedly has polluted wells in the area. Parks board is interested in providing a connecting link between Prospect Park and Lakeview subdivision across land, which has been a matter of disputed ownership between the company and Ted Brankiewicz.

Snow on cabinet board

James Snow, Minister of Government Services and MPP for Halton East, has been appointed to the management board of cabinet by Premier William Davis. The management board exercises in modified form the financial control and co-ordination functions which were the responsibility of the former treasury board. The new board became effective early in 1972 following the government's acceptance of a major recommendation of the committee on government productivity.

Mr. Snow's ministry of government services provides accommodation and many common services for all ministries and several agencies of the Ontario government. The ministry's substantial annual expenditures, especially in capital construction, require close liaison with the management board, the premier said.

Mr. Snow's successful experience in the construction and development fields is expected to be of substantial advantage to management board in its consideration of the government's accommodation requirements and the expenditure of capital funds. The former department of public works was incorporated in its entirety into the new ministry of government services. Snow was appointed to be the 22nd minister of public works on Feb. 2 and the first minister of government services on April 1 of this year.

Divers return

Investigation still continues as police of various forces lay charges against six Acton and district men in connection with thefts extending back several years. One of the men, George Currie, of Rockwood, appeared in court in Milton Monday and was remanded until June 28. O.P.P. divers were again the past week diving in a pond near Everton, and recovered more tools believed stolen from an Acton garage.

SOME of the April showers are still here in May.

VICTORIA Day holiday this weekend, with different traditions for different families.

THERE are still small grey mounds of snow left in a few places in the countryside north of here.



FIRE OF undetermined origin levelled a barn adjacent to the Otter home at the corner of 20 Sideroad and the Fifth Line of Nassagaweya Thursday afternoon. Two pigs, a tractor and a small amount of hay were lost in the blaze. Acton firefighters were at the scene for close to four hours. (Photo by D. Gibbons)

Fire levels barn

Fire of undetermined origin levelled a barn and driving shed on property owned by Cama Farms Ltd. at the corner of 20 Sideroad and the Fifth Line, Nassagaweya, Thursday afternoon.

Besides the barn and shed, which were no longer in use, losses were confined to two pigs,

a small amount of hay and an old iron wheel tractor.

Acton firefighters responded quickly to the alarm, but the blaze aided by strong easterly winds was burning out of control by the time they arrived.

Firefighters remained at the scene for close to four hours, pouring water on the remains as

a precautionary measure.

The fire did not damage a house occupied by Mrs. Otter about 100 yards south of the barn. Mrs. Otter was at home at the time of the fire. Her husband was in the hospital.

A stock of approximately 80 pigs was cleared from the barn last year.

800 Venturers at Blue Springs

Over 800 Venturers from all across the province will be camping out at Blue Springs Scout Reserve over the Victoria Day holiday weekend in the first ever Venturers. The scout reserve is situated at H. J. Acton, on the Blue Springs Lane, which is really the Sixth Line, Nassagaweya township. Venturers are members of the scout movement from ages 14 to 17. They will be doing their own cooking and chores on the reserve with fellow Venturers from as far north as Timmins, Bault, Rio, Marie, Corbrane, and east to Cornwall, Ottawa, Kingston as well as from southern and western Ontario points. It is expected there will be representatives from 90 different centres at the Venturers.

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Two girls report stranger

Two incidents of indecent exposure and a third, when a man in a car attempted to pick up a young girl, are being investigated by Acton police this week. All happened the same day, last Thursday.

Two families informed police that young girls, nine and 12, had told of a man in a car in the Cobblehill area who indecently exposed himself.

The third girl reported a man attempted to persuade her to get into his car on Main St. S. Investigation is continuing.

When a man is born, people ask, "How is the mother?" When he marries, they exclaim, "What a lovely bride!" And when he dies they inquire, "How much did he leave her?"

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