

EXAMINING a Zambian report of the killing of Marjan Drijber and Christine Sinclair at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Drijber, Rockwood, Mr. and Mrs. John Crothers, Troy, Ohio, termed the

article "ridiculous" and "preposterous". John Crothers was wounded in the incident which claimed the lives of the two Canadian girls.

-Photo by D. Pink

Former Rockwood resident

Promising young artist killed in highway crash

A promising young Canadian artist and print maker, who once resided in Rockwood, was killed on 401 Highway near Colborne on Friday, August 2.

Twenty-five-year-old Paul Keele, was returning from his job in Toronto when the collision occured in which he was killed. He and his wife Jane resided in Rockwood for some time. Both attended the University of

man showing of his work at the

Georgetown at the House of Sol in September, a date which will be kept at the wish of his wife.

Yosef Drenters said Paul Keele's passing was a big loss to the Canadian art world. "He had all the promise one could wish for and his death is a loss to the culture of the nation, 'the well known Rockwood sculptor and

Paul's ambition was to set up The young man was associated an all Canadian print shop to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Baum, Peter with Yosef Drenters in artistic assist Canadian artists to have Leslie and Yosef Drenters, all of ventures and had his first one their works printed. He had already received a grant from Rockwood Academy, which Mr. the Canada Council to buy a press Drenters is restoring. He was to when the accident which snuffed many places across Ontario.

have a second showing in "He was a gentleman in the

real sense of the word," Mr. Drenters said, "helpful and accommodating to anyone who asked for his help." He had been teaching in the Maritimes for a year and just recently returned to Ontario. Both he and his wife were well known in Rockwood and district. Burial was in the Quinn family

plot at Castleton where the family of his wife is well known. Rockwood, attended the funeral of their friend which was also attended by a host of friends from

Delay Rockwood sidewalks 'till construction complete samples and making counts of fish species in area rivers and

Main St., Rockwood, from the munications. town hall to Harris St. will likely

Sidewalks on the east side of of Transportation and Com-

Village trustees requested the be delayed until such time as 7 township council to write the Highway from Guelph to Acton is Department with the request for reconstructed, Eramosa council permission to construct was informed by the Department sidewalks at the July meeting.

Eramosa concerned about increase in warble flies

clerk Lioyd Hindley to write the Wellington county agricultural to assist control but more representative regarding a solution to the increase in warble fly, following discussion of the cattle more effective. scourge at a meeting last week.

A letter from the Ontario Beef Improvement Association reasoned clerk Hindley. regarding control of the warble fly noted insectleides had been developed to control them which were effective but provincial subsidies had been dropped and this in turn had led to counties leaving control up to individual farmers. It was noted that tax levies had been used to bolster control programs in other municipalities with noticeable results.

McPhedran, agreed that warble flies had been under control but was costing beef producers thou- you're early.

Eramosa council instructed sands of dollars. He recalled the township used to pay for powder sophisticated chemicals have been developed since which was

> Cost to the township for a program? "Likely less than \$500," "Let's do something," urged

Councillor Betty Lou Clark. Councillor Bill Adsett suggested the clerk check with the county and ag. rep. to find out if any action was contemplated at the senior level before the township committed itself.

li was agreed that the ag. rep. could supply the number of cattle in the township and the most Deputy Reeve Dunean effective means of control.

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Eyewitness account of shooting told Free Press

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Drijber of Hockword this week were John and Carol Crothers of Troy, Ohio, the emple in the employed Marjan Drijber and Chris Sinclair when Zambian troops opened fite and killed the two Canadian girls.

Mr. Crothers was wounded during the incident and related the ticks eyewitness story to the Free Press.

filking plane

At 12:30 the day the shooting occurred the four tourists decided to take a like along a well used path into the gorges of the Zambezi River. The path was only a short distance from the hotel at which they were staying and the group had plans of returning to the hotel pool later in the afternoon for some swimming.

Marjan had hiked into the gorge the previous day in sandals but wanted to return in proper hiking boots.

The four followed the path about 15 minutes and found themselves at the edge of the gorge overlooking the river. They sat close to ten minutes admiring the spectacle, then decided to push on upstream.

They reached the point where they could clearly see the Zamblan power plant on the other side of the river and stopped to rest. Considering whether to backtrack to the hotel or continue in the same direction, Chris men-

tioned there was another path a short distance ahead which would lead directly back to their hotel. The group proceeded forward in clear sight of the power plant with Chris and Mr. Crothers lead-

ing and Marjan and Mrs.

Crothers following behind. Mrs. Crothers explained they could see men on the other side of the river and assumed they were workers at the power plant on coffee break. They waved to the men but the river was so wide and loud it was impossible to speak to them.

Fire without warning Without warning the group was under fire. Chris was the first to react, jumping for cover behind a

128 students in SWEEP

The 128 high school and university students working for the Grand River Conservation Authority on project SWEEP (Students Working in an Environmental Enhancement Program) are learning about the hard work side of conservation this summer.

They are working throughout the watershed on all kinds of projects from maintenance of parks and buildings to major constuction work such as stream bank improvement and

Some of them are working for the authority's blological ser-The Department replied by

Others are involved with head office clerical work and surveys letter stating that it would also be of conservation area users.

foolish to go ahead with the The provincial government, project until the pending sewer which sponsors SWEEP, and water construction in Rock- stipulates that the students be wood was completed. The project given some conservation should be considered again when education in conjunction with both these major undertakings their summer work. The work programs are designed to teach the students basics of conservation

SWEEP students work from 10 things up and tearing them down to 20 weeks depending on their age and position.

Squirts drop first game

first game of their second round Tri-county minor softball series to Ponsonby 8-7 at Rockwood' park last night (Tuesday). Larry Polo clouted a home run

were finished, the letter stated.

"I have to agree," said deputy

reeve Duncan McPhedran.

"There's at least one department

that doesn't believe in setting

again the next day."

for Rockwood in the seventh inning and Kelth Cummings connected for the circuit for

Rockwood squirts dropped the Ponsonby in the fourth. Second game of the series is slated for Ponsonby tomorrow (Thursday) night at 7. Rockwood

eliminated Erin in the first

Faith grows by being used.

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SMOKERS' WITHDRAWAL CLINIC

The Halton County Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association will be holding its first Smoking Withdrawal Clinic from the 10th to the 14th of September, 1973, at the Sheridan College Auditorium, Oakville, Ontario. The 5-day Clinic will be from 7.30 to 9.30 every evening. All persons desirous of "Kicking the Habit" are invited to fill in the Registration Form below and mail to Mrs. J. V. Armour, Program Co-Ordinator, 958 Unsworth Road, Burlington. This is a public service of our Christmas Seal Association.

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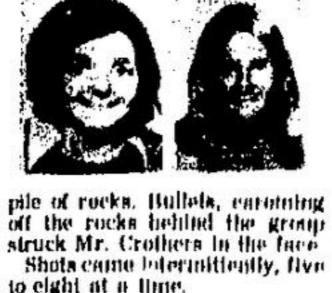
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ENGLISH IS spoken for two weeks in Rockwood, then French for two weeks in Quebec, as these two girls benefit from the Ontario-Quebec exchange visits program. Cheryl McMinn is hostess the first two weeks to Michele Auger of Charlesbough, Que. Today (Wednesday) they switch provinces and languages as they travel to Quebec.

(Photo by Lorraine)

Exchange visitor from Quebec

Learning each other's language pleasantly are Cheryl McMann of 171 Guelph St., Rockwood, and Michele Auger of Charlesbourg, Quebec, Michele also visited Kortwright Waterhas been in Rockwood for the fowl park, Niagara Falls, past two weeks, and the two girls will return together Wednesday, August 15 (to-day) for a two week stay at Michele's home.

The purpose of the Ontario-Quebec exchange is for two match students to learn each

Michele is 15 and attends St. Jean-Endes school, Cheryl is 15, too, and goes to Guelph Centennial high school.

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Tour highlights

The beauty and facilities right

Marineland, the Science Centre, Ontario Place, Midland and the Canadian National Exhibition grounds. Each girl speaks the language of her hostess's home during each two week stint. It's a happy way

at home were enjoyed by the two

girls who enjoyed swimming,

hiking and canoeing in the Rock-

wood Conservation area. They

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Deputy Reese McPhedran and

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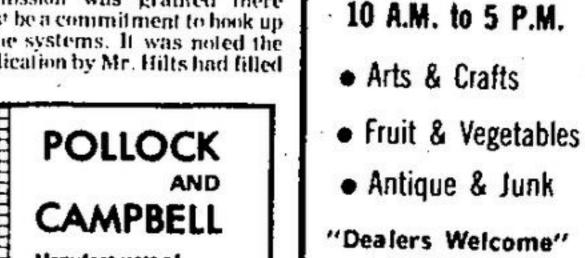
Eramosa council

At the August meeting of all the requirements Erumisa comell it was decided

That Councillor Betty Latt measure the bandlarry residence Clark should be insected with the an Wetherald St. comed by L.V. began preparing a helicopter authority to contact the mayors. Hills to find out whether it met and recons of the various municipalities to arrange a course on lea al government at the Conversity of Guelph Lost of the course is borne by the province

That the long list of complaints from Victor Jessup regarding the operation of the drain on his property should be insperted by on independent engineer, who would in turn report to council VI drawp was at the meeting with his complaints testifying the most recent "improvements" only let him with a "hell of a mess to rlean up." He said he had been assessed for the benefit of the drain but as yet had seen no benefits Deputy Reeve Duncan McPhedran said be was sorry for all parties concerned with the drain, a project which had been dragging along for six years

Read a letter from the Wellington county Health Unit stating their position on the installation of holding tanks on under sized and single lots in Rockwood where septic tank outlets had been denied. Lot 20 Wetherald St. owned by Lou Hills was cited as an example, where the chief concern was emptying the holding tank frequently. It was estimated each person in the bousehold would contribute approximately 100 gallons of effluent to the tank each day. The letter suggested it might be better for the village to wait for bookups until sewers and water were installed rather than giving permission now but in the event permission was granted there must be a commitment to book up to the systems. It was noted the application by Mr. Hilts had filled



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