

**Birds of prey**

The Kestrel is the smallest of the hawks. During the summer five young American Kestrels (or sparrow hawks, as they were formerly called) were brought to the Mountsberg Wildlife Centre because they, and the parent birds, were causing "too much noise" in a suburban back yard.

It was not realized by the party who disturbed the nest that these birds, and all hawks and owls, are protected by law and may not be disturbed, particularly when nesting.

Happy ending. However, the story has a

happy ending, as all five young birds were successfully raised by frequent feedings throughout the day. Three of the young birds were released and slowly learned to find their own food, although two of the young kestrels returned for a daily feeding until early August.

Two have been kept for display purposes, one at Mountsberg and the other at the Ministry Office of Lands and Forests in Barrie.

The young female Kestrel now residing at Mountsberg has been joined by a young male, also raised by humans and accustomed to seeing people about. When fully grown, this attractive pair will weigh about 4 oz. each and be no larger than 10 1/2 and 12 inches respectively, for male and female. The male will boast blue-gray wings, and both sexes will feature handsome black and white face patterns and a rusty back.

**There are dogs and dogs**

**Says English Bull Terriers bred for show, not fighting**

There is a controversy raging in bulldog-breeding circles these days about animals in the Guelph area being bred for organized fighting. Recently 16 Staffordshire pit bull terriers were seized by Ontario Humane Society officials from a Guelph farm and moved to shelters in Kitchener.

Gary and Lynette Travers of Moffat have been breeding bull terriers for six years and are taking exception to the bad-mouthing of the breed receiving. "These are not the same dog," Gary explains. "We are breeding English Bull Terriers, not to be confused with the English Bulldog."

Gentle Gary and Lynn consider

their dogs to be gentle, easy to train and "fine with children."

"People are getting the idea our dogs are nasty and aggressive," Lynn said. "We train our dogs for show only. They are being confused with the bad behavior of the American Staffordshire pit bull terriers who are trained to be canine fighting machines." Apparently in the States and parts of Canada, the dogs are used to fight other dogs.

The animals raised by the Travers are short in leg with strong, muscular shoulders and wide shoulder blades. Their most distinctive feature is the long, deep egg-shaped head. The top of the skull is almost flat from ear to ear. The profile of the dog curves gently downwards from the

top of the skull to the tip of the nose which bends downward at the tip. The eyes of the animal are narrow and triangular and appear sunken.

Gary and Lynn refuse to sell their puppies to homes where they suspect they will be used for a mental ego trip or for vicious reasons. "Some lines are bred on good temperament," Lynn says, "but it's up to the way they are treated as to how they'll turn out."

The breed is a cross between the bull dog, terrier, dalmation and greyhound. Breeding was done years ago in England.

The Travers belong to the Bull Terrier Club of America and have won several honors for their dogs. In 1973 they took away the Silverwood

Trophy for the best dog of all the clubs in America. In 1973 they received runner-up place with their white bitch Patricia. The dog is the puppy of Sunburst Solitaire, mother of five winning dogs.

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AUCTIONEER- BRIAN HILL

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GUV'NOR is an English Bull Terrier owned by Lynnette and Gary Travers of Moffat. Shown here with their daughter Samantha, the couple are taking exception to the recent controversy intimating these dogs are dangerous and bred for fighting purposes. They say their dogs are gentle and good with children.

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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974  
First Sunday In Advent

11.00 a.m.—Worship and Church School. Sermon Subject: "That You Might Have Peace"

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Rev. W. Eric Nelson, M.A., B.D.—Minister  
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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974  
First In Advent

10.00 a.m.—Public Worship. Sermon: "Surprised by Love"  
Sunday Church School.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA KNOX CHURCH, ACTON**

Rev. Andrew H. McKenzie, B.A., B.D.—Minister  
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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974

9.45 a.m.—10.30 a.m.—Minister's Confirmation Class for Teenagers.  
11.00 a.m.—Church School for Beginners, Kindergarten and Grades 1 to 8.  
11.00 a.m.—Divine Worship. Sermon Theme: "Why Are We Here?" Nursery for babies and toddlers during service.

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Thursday, Nov. 28  
6.00 p.m.—Crusaders  
8.00 p.m.—Christ's Ambassadors

Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Guest Speaker: Rev. Roy Upton of P.A.O.C. National Office

7.00 p.m.—Evening Evangelist service, with Rev. Upton speaker.

Tuesday, Dec. 3  
8.00 p.m.—Prayer Service and Bible Study  
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**BAHA'I FAITH**

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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974

9.00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist  
10.30 a.m.—Service of Advent Carols and Lessons.  
10.30 a.m.—Church School and Nursery.

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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974

9.45 a.m.—Sunday School and Adult Class  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Communion Service  
7.00 p.m.—Bible Study and prayer

Monday  
6.30 p.m.—Mission Circle Christmas meeting and pot luck supper.

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Sunday, Dec. 1, 1974

9.45 a.m.—Sunday School for all ages  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
6.30 p.m.—Evening Fellowship  
Wed. 7.30 p.m.—Midweek Services

Thought—Peace rules the day when Christ rules the mind.  
A Friendly Welcome Awaits You.