

Free Press Rockwood & District

Parade, bed race enjoyed by many

Pioneer Day Parade was a tremendous success. Prizes were awarded to some of the many entries: best costume in the parade Lisa Drexler; best decorated bicycle Shawn Richardson; best equestrian display Max Storey; best float Junior Farmers and for leading the parade Bruce McDuffie, who rode a parade horse with a silver saddle. The bed race caused some real excitement and was successful despite the confusion caused by the police who decided to change the route at the last minute. Winners were: best time for the senior entry was Rockwood Rakes; senior most original entry went to the Lions Club; junior best time to Rockwood junior firefighters and junior most original went to Runaway Hospital Bed.

Council looks into speed limit change

Eramosa township council is considering lowering the speed limit above Crewson Corners on the Erin-Eramosa townline to 30 miles an hour, from its present 50. Mrs. R. Donovan, of the townline wrote to council explaining that there are approximately 35 children living in one small area just north of Highway 7. Because of this fact, she would like the speed lowered. Her letter also included several names of other area residents. Reeve Bill Adsett, at Monday evening's meeting of the council, further pointed out that a driver goes up a small hill. When he gets to the top of it, he suddenly sees houses there, and has no warning of them. He said this is dangerous if young children are playing on the road. Councillor Dave Masson wondered if there was any reason why the speed could not be lowered to 30. Mr. Adsett said the by-law would have to be changed. This change would have to be approved by the Erin township council, Deputy Reeve Henry Holman Jr. reminded them. The matter would also have to wait until Roads Superintendent Bob Hamilton has a chance to look into the situation. Council agreed to send a copy of Mrs. Donovan's letter to Erin council and get their opinion on the matter.

Club busy in hall with tea, games

Pioneer Day for the Rockwood Sunshine Club was a great success due to the united co-operation of helpers and everyone taking part and feeling proud that they were helping to celebrate Canada's 110 years and some of the helpers were in period costume to help make everything more authentic. The town-hall was decorated by Dave Robertson and Max Milne and everyone commented on what a wonderful job they had done to give a sense of loyalty with the decor of red, white and blue. The tea-tables were beautifully covered with hand made tea-cloths and tastefully decorated with flowers donated by The Eramosa Flowers and then these flowers were taken to the sick in hospital the next day. While folks sat and enjoyed some refreshment they were regaled with toe-tapping music by the Sunshine Band, with Mrs. Black at the piano, Vic Smith on fiddle, Henry Leachman, harmonica, and Bert Davidson taking turns with his harmonica and bass with Mrs. Davidson taking a turn. The penny table had a very busy time selling tickets and the bake table was laden with all kinds of home-baking which did a roaring trade. Mrs. Mary Milne and Anna Wilson on the take-out table were kept busy handing out sandwiches and cold drinks and Miss Gladys Hanna and Mrs. Hoskings in period costume were happy serving the tea. It is impossible to name all the people who helped in so many different ways, the ladies in the kitchen washing up, those making sandwiches and so many more who all helped to make the afternoon in the town-hall something for the folks to remember. We would like to say a special thank-you to Coca Cola Ltd., Orange Crush, The Donut Village, Saunders Bakery, Mrs. J. McLeod, Mrs. M. Mareh, Donna Schenck, Pat Jestin who donated and to the

club members who were busy in the hall with tea, games and a raffle. The afternoon was a success and everyone was tired but happy because the project was such a success.

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ROCKWOOD Rakes sponsored by Murray McLaren Bicycle Shop took first place at the bed race last Saturday as part of the Pioneer Day celebration in the village. From left to right Phil Mitton; Bruce Richardson, Keith Massey, Jack Rioux and in bed, Nigel Anderson.



MODEL-T Ford driven by Don Gordon added to the antiquity of the day. Passengers were Mr. Gordon's daughter Jennifer, Reeve Bill Adsett and Councillor John McLeod.

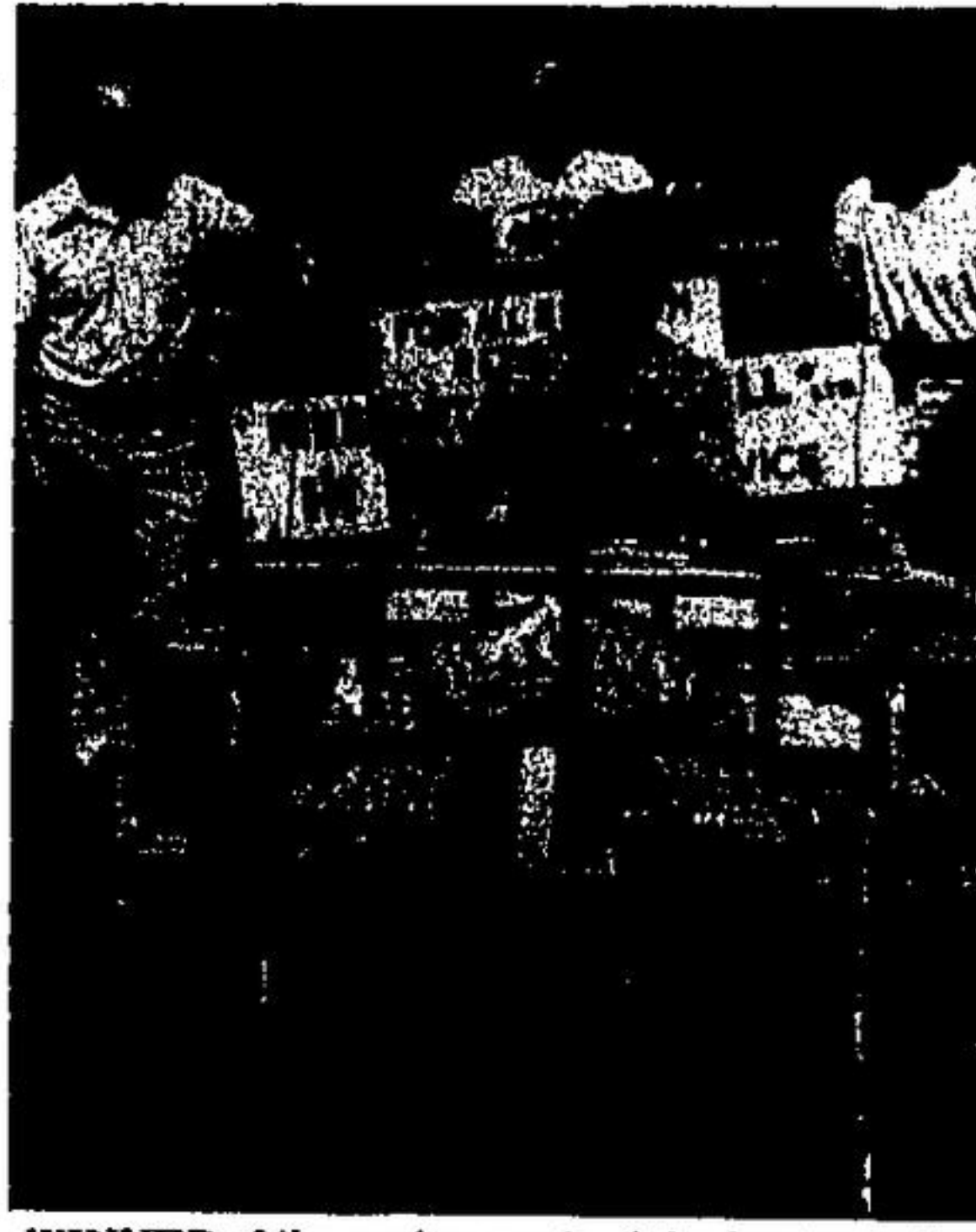


WINNER OF the Pioneer Day Costume Contest are from left to right: first prize, Mrs. Hilda Skippon, third prize winner Lisa Drexler and second prize winner Mrs. Ev Barden. Judge found it a very difficult choice as all entries were most original. CHATTING with one of the many guests who stopped by the Town Hall last Saturday is Mrs. Hoskings left in a period costume and Miss Hanna who wore a dress she wore for one of her high school commencements. The Sunshine Club served refreshment to hundreds as part of Pioneer Day.

Rockwood Roundup
 Pioneer Day celebrations in the village were enjoyed by many area residents as well as large crowds of visitors. People entered into things with enthusiasm and it seemed everyone worked together to produce an enjoyable successful day. People behind the scenes who have been working on this project for months deserve a big thank you for making Pioneer Day 1977 something to remember.
 10 p.m. This meeting is to discuss the hazard land designations and their effect on private property. All interested people welcome.
 Eramosa Youth Choir left for a trip to Britain last Friday. They will take part in the Scottish World Music Festival.
 Reminder: Summer hours at the library are Tuesday and Thursday 2-8 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. and Saturdays 9-12 a.m.

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WINNER of the senior most original entry in the bed race was the Lions Club bed. Sitting behind the wheel is former Lions president Walter Swanston, and standing behind from left to right is Gary Ritchie, Jim Funk and Murray Swanston. Missing from photo is Ted Ford.

Eramosa library

by Georgina Kelso
 New arrivals at Eramosa Community Library:
 Adult fiction: The Big Footprints, by Hammond Innes; The Company of Friends, by John Crosby; Return to Thebes, by Allen Drury; High Road to China, by John Cleary; Staying On, by Paul Scott.
 Non Fiction: The Age of Uncertainty, by John Kenneth Galbraith; Grandmother's Household Hints, by Helen Adamson; Majesty, by Bert Lacey; Canada in Us Now, by Harold Head; Model Flying Book, by Ottar Stensbol.
 Juvenile fiction: The Luckiest Girl, by Beverley Cleary; Summer at Forty-Five Acres, by Alan Wildsmith; Windmill, by Michael Bond; Tell Me a Tale About Trolls, by Sylvia Tester; The Tailor of Gloucester, by Beatrix Potter.
 Village Trustees for the use of the hall.
 The climax of the afternoon was the draw for the penny-table and this caused lots of amusement. Everyone was tired but happy because the project was such a success.

False alarm costly

False alarm for Rockwood Eramosa Firefighters last Thursday night not only caused confusion but cost taxpayers money! A call saying the Kitching barn at R.R.1 Moffat was on fire resulted in the Milton firefighters arriving on the scene as well. Fire Chief Carl Meadows says this is a criminal offense and the joker could be imprisoned when caught.

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