



MPP JULIAN REED gets a close look from the audience as he belts out an O Canada during the Dominion Day (Canada Day) celebrations at Limehouse. With Reed is Dolly Moulden, of Limehouse, and in the grey suit, MP Dr. Frank Philbrook. A parade through the length of the village was followed by displays and a dinner.

Limehouse

Canada Day big success

by Mrs. Art Benton
 Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William Karn on the arrival of David Matthew, a little brother for Robbie and Jeffrey, on June 27.
 A large crowd attended a retirement party for Mrs. Benton at Limehouse Public School on June 27. Recent principal Mr. Beckett, as master of ceremonies, addressed Glenda praising her past accomplishments and

expressed the hope that she would return to the profession. She was given a beautiful crystal vase and a pendant watch and sterling silver stick pin from the school and community. She also received a lovely decorated cake in the shape of an open book. Twenty-four pupils in her class each presented her with a red rose for her vase.
 Mrs. Benton in her address of thanks expressed her plea-

sure and continued interest in the school. Mr. Beckett was then taken quite by surprise when he was given a crystal sherry set from the school and community.
 Coffee and sweets were served at the close.
 The teachers at Limehouse entertained their mother volunteer helpers at a hot dish luncheon on Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rob Roughley of Edmonton and Miss Maimie Parrett of Vancouver

have been visiting Mrs. Roughley and Miss Brigham. Limehouse Women's Institute committee's first Canada Day celebration was a decided success and all responsible deserve a big thank you. A parade from the school at three o'clock was led by members of the Georgetown Girls' Pipe Band to Limehouse Memorial Hall.
 Committee convener Mrs. Moulden introduced Dr. Philbrook M.P., Julian Reed M.P.P., Mayor of Halton Hills Tom Hill and Councillors Russ Miller, C. F. Patterson and George Malby, each of whom gave a short speech. Led by Mr. Julian Reed the crowd sang O Canada. Mr. Tom Hill presented a scarf to each committee member. Much interest was shown at the display of pictures, school children's art and poetry, crafts, antiques and art arranged at the Hall.

All proceeded back to the school where a tasty pot-luck picnic supper of numerous salads and desserts, coffee and cold drinks were enjoyed. Each child was given a small flag of Canada by the W. I.
 To complete the holiday celebrations a group of young folks provided music for dancing, where Mrs. Chrichton called off for squares in the evening.
 We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Baudieu to the village. They

Closed

Despite Saturday's July 1 closing, most Acton stores and businesses were closed again on Monday. Banks, post office and town offices were all shut tight on Monday.
 Food stores closed Saturday but were open Monday.
 Variety stores were open Saturday and Monday and some of them on Sunday as well.

Churchill

Churchill church to meet in Acton

by J. Turner
 The congregation of Churchill Community church are joining their friends at Acton Baptist church for morning worship during the month of July. Please take note that the time of service has been changed from 11.00 to 10.00. August summer services will be at Churchill with Acton Baptists worshipping there.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Milne,

Susan and David are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Milne's sister Gladys and her family. Sandy and Gladys Fraser and sons Kevin and Scott are from Aberdeen, Scotland.
 Sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Susie Denny who passed away Sunday morning at Palmerston Nursing Home. The funeral is to be held Wednesday afternoon at 2.00 at Shoemaker's Funeral Home with

interment at Churchill. Mrs. Denny and her husband, the late Evert Denny, farmed for years on the Fourth Line Esquimaux, retiring to Brampton in 1948 and later returning to live on Arthur Street in Acton. Two of Mrs. Denny's sons reside in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Denny and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Denny and family, both of R.R. 2, Acton.

Outdoor workshop enjoyed

by Ann Chesworth
 One hundred Guides gathered in the 'glorious setting of the Ontario Camp Leadership Centre at Bark Lake in Haliburton Highlands last week for seven days of total immersion in nature.
 With the enthusiastic teaching of the young program assistants employed by Bark Lake and the resource people drawn from within guiding, the participants tried ecology, orienteering, nature photography, wilderness survival and astronomy, and learned about the changing seasons, restoration, the effects of the disappearing roadsides and the tastes of the edible wild. Have you ever eaten lightly boiled plantain leaves?
 Everyone pronounced them delicious when liberally sprinkled with salt and butter!
 The group had trips to

Petroglyphs Provincial Park, went pot-holing in the Warsaw Caves, and rock-hounding in Bancroft.
 D. Sadler from the Federation of Ontario Naturalists helped them explore the fauna and flora of the part of the Canadian Shield and he was delighted when he heard and saw 87 different species of birds in half an hour. Some of the guides were very excited to see such things as a night-hawk asleep on a tree branch, Trailing Arbutus, and carpets of mosses and flowers. One of the most popular sessions was reforestation with two dedicated foresters from nearby Gooderham. It was so refreshing to meet men who loved their jobs and who were so in tune with their environment.
 There were many memorable happenings

during the week. Some of them were funny like the early morning canoe trip in which the instructors overturned before leaving the dock, and the fact that nobody got bitten by the millions of mosquitoes but that several people choked from the fumes of the many kinds of insect repellants!
 But the main impression of the outdoor workshop was in increased awareness in our environment. The Guides took part in an ecology game playing the roles of animals and during this they truly felt the threat and fear of being hunted. They will look forward to sharing their experiences and knowledge with other leaders and the children in their packs and companies, but at the moment they are a little afraid to move in case they disturb an ecosystem!

Eden Mills

Summertime brings ball games, holidays

by Wilda MacDougall
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Charbon spent last weekend at Eden Mills Park.
 Mr. and Mrs. Mansell Lowrie are enjoying their weekends at their summer cottage on Lake Balsund. Recent guests have been Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rimbhart, Mr. and Mrs. G. MacDougall and Master John Paul Moran.
 Mrs. Woods, Guelph, is spending some time with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. MacPherson, while recuperating from an eye operation.

Recently Betty Marshall took some of the Eden House residents to the Rockton Lion Safari, and another day many of the ladies and gentlemen were treated to a movie show in Guelph.
 The ladies' softball team had a fun game on Tuesday night but they lost out to the team from Guelph, score 14-16. The junior team won out over Rockwood on Wednesday, score 9-3. The senior team took a beating on Monday night with Badenoch scoring 12-1.
 Recent guests of Mrs. William and Mrs. James

Gilbertson were Mrs. William Anderson, Mrs. E. Bullard and Mrs. S. Kuhn from Guelph.
 Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hamilton, Guelph, treated Mr. and Mrs. G. MacDougall to dinner in Ingersoll for a 4th wedding anniversary celebration.
 Starting on July 9, the Stone United Church and Eden Mills Presbyterian Church will alternate church services. The July 9th service will be at Stone United.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamer of Blind River were guests of Mrs. Wilk Wilson.
 Sincere get-well wishes go to Rev. Russell Foley, minister of the United Church who recently suffered a heart attack.



ORGANIZER Marla Ried looks on as Larry Zions, Lisa Logan and Patti McLean pose, winners of the Pioneer Day Costume Contest.

Provincial winners

Two Milton women are \$100,000 richer because they shared in a provincial lottery draw. Rosemary Platt and Anita Leaver are co-workers at the General Electric plant at Oakville. Eight others on the staff shared in the \$1-million ticket.
 Miss Platt has bought shares in lottery tickets for about four years, but Mrs. Leaver just joined the group. Members chip in a dollar a week to alternatively buy Wintario and Provincial tickets. Neither woman believed her luck when first informed of the win. Also neither has immediate plans on what to do with the money.
 Mrs. Leaver has never won money before. Miss Platt scooped \$1,000 in a Wintario lottery last year.

On TV
 The Back to Acton Days parade and festivities were shown on Kitchener TV Saturday evening. Genial Jack Carpenter was the cameraman.

Fire chief retires

Twenty-seven year Milton fire chief Albert E. "Babe" Clement retired last week with a big sendoff at the Memorial Arena. In all Clement has been 44 years a firefighter.
 More than 300 well wishers turned out for the party. James Coulson, who has been deputy chief, will become the new chief.

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