

WITH HIS entry ready for the fishing derby is Gary White. Still at work on theirs are Peter Wright, Tony Wright and Joel Pin, Gary's biggest fish was a rock bass. He wasn't in the winner's circle.

first place in the nail hammering competition taking an

astounding two seconds to get

the nail hammered in the

In the log sawing com-

petition Pat Graham and Bill

Chagnon took first place

when they sawed the end off

Family clearners manage-

the log in a record 24 seconds

ment were pleased with the

success of their contests and

the enthusiasm shown by all

those taking part

Highlights of Back to Acton Days



STATION HOTEL management staff check on the roast pigs they served at the Back to Acton Days weekend. The hotel had a beer garden and parking lot dance in the evening both Friday and Saturday. A good crowd was reported on both evenings.

Restaurants, hotels happy with Acton Days

in every respect."

were well pleased with the Eli Kekic, told the Free Press amount of business they did during Back to Acton days. Their owners all used different words, but they all meant the same thing; excel-

Cosimo Mercuri of the available. Dominion called the turnout "beautiful". He had a group playing outdoors Friday night and all day Saturday.

Cory Van Merkestein of the The Station Hotel's owner, Chicken and Pizza Spot told the Free Press the turnout for that attendance at their outdoor pig roast was "really good". The hotel roasted six pigs, three Friday and three Saturday, and also had beef.

chicken and hamburgers tivities out all along Mill Berton Bigelow of the 747 Street by keeping booths lounge described the crowd separated, and he indicated as "very nice. A nice mixed he was "quite well satisfied" crowd of young and old". He with the way the booths did said the weekend was "good their job.

his outdoor cafe was "fine". Mr. Van Merkestein was in charge of the placing of booths at this year's event, and he tried to spread ac-

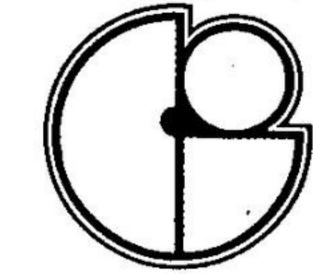
Canada.



THE BAND got in the Calithumpian spirit. They played in uniform Friday evening on the mall and in the park on Sunday evening. They also took part in the Rockwood parade.



PAYING tribute to Canada one of many bike riders in the parade asked spectators to wave if they love



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Cleaners contests test strength, skill

Attracting contestants of testants, Fred Archibald-took strength and skill at the Back to Acton Days celebration on Saturday were the Family Cleaners events.

Throughout the weekend plank children were invited to guess the number of pennies in the jar. A four way tie had the \$18.60 divided into four prizes of \$4.65 each. The four winners are Mandy Green R.R.2 Acton, Carrie Frizzel, 43 Cobblehill, Barbara and Steven Robinson, 92 Acton Blvd.

Tests of strength were displayed in the log sawing and nail hammering competition.

Competing against a variety of different con-

TERRY Grubbe visits with Jeanettes Home for Senior Citizens resident. Terry was the organizer of the Back to Acton parade and took part of the parade through the home to visit with residents.



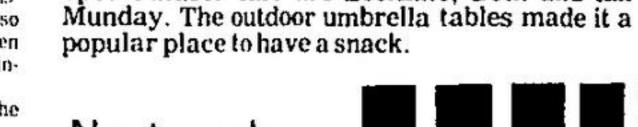
LOG SAWING contest entrant Fred Archibald is timed by organizer Ed Wood.

Private parade

Residents of Jeanette's Home for Senior Citizens were treated to a private parade on Saturday. The Back to Acton Days Calithumpian parade was originally scheduled to proceed down the highway and past the Senior Citizens' home. However, police clearance was refused and it was also decided this would be too dangerous for the many children taking part in the event. This group went down Bower in-

Disappointed residents of the home eventually left the sidewalk where they had been waiting for the parade.

The parade came to a halt at the four corners, and later organizers gathered parade participants together and headed for Jeanette's where they paraded through the home singing and greeting residents.



Next week

Bike rodeo and pet show results and pictures next

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