# rockwood and district



Heather Britney and Betty Jones put their best feet forward at the St. John's Fall Fever Fashion

# Rockwood Digest

A well-attended fashion show was held Thursday at Rockwood Centennial in aid of the St. John's restoration fund. Over 180 people enjoyed 12 models from the congregation showing approximately six outlits each. Clothing, which was described by one of the models as being "ordinary clothes for ordinary people," was designed and provided by Heather Hill Boutique of Belfountain.

The event, organized by Joyce Hill, featured dessert as well as fashions. Meringues, ice cream, and peaches ensured that spectators would have to fast for several days in order to get into the fashions.

Area churches were busy this weekend. St. John's Anglican held a Harvest Festival led by Father Ritchie McMurray. The church was filled with appropriate seasonal decorations, harvest offerings and uplifted voices.

When St. John's roof comes off for replacement-any day now-church members will be selling bundles of shingles for kindling. Every little bit helps.

Rockwood Presbyterian Church held its 118th anniversary services led by Rev. Jack Birtch of St. Paul's United Church in Milton.

Also celebrating anniversaries, Eden Mills United and Presbyterian Churches traded ministers for services.

In all cases celebration lunches were enjoyed by congregations.

World Communion Sunday will be held next Sunday in most area churches and on Thanksgiving Sunday Rockwood Presbyterian will be dedicating banners quilted by the church ladies.

The first meeting of the "Rock-A-Long Ester Uppers", 4-H Homemaking Club was held at the home of Phyllis Bayne. Miss Bayne, assisted by Mrs. Joan Ramsey, conducted the election of officers. The lesson for the evening was how to cook Chinese Style Pork. 4-H'ers pronounced it delicious so they must have paid attention to their lesson.

Rockwood has lost two well-known residents in the persons of Skeeter and Red, the horses of Marg and Gord Cox.

They passed away within hours of each other Thursday, Skeeter suddenly, and Red after a lengthy illness. Skeeter was in his 23rd year and Red in his 17th, They had lived with the Cox family for 11 years.

All those years they provided a landmark in their summer field across from the Academy. Many people enjoyed the sight of them as they grazed.

Both award winners, the horses had walked away with their share of ribbons in local shows and were long time members of the Rockwood Trail Riders along with their owners.

They will be sorely missed, by residents, as well as their family.

Cubs and Scouts of the area will be making money this Saturday, October 4, by collecting returnable bottles, cash register tapes, clean bushel baskets and wooden four and six quart baskets in good shape.

Organized by the group parent committee, this activity is a chance for the cubs and scouts to fill their depleted coffers. It's also a chance to clean up your basements.

If you are not going to be home Saturday morning between 9.30 and 12 a.m. drop off your contributions beside Saunder's Bakery. Scout leader Bill Hammond says "I've been very pleased with Rockwood's generosity in the past and I'm looking forward to increased generosity this year."

There are still openings in Rockwood Brownie Packs, the 1st and 2nd, Registration will be open until Tuesday October 14.

All potential brownles are invited to visit the Rockwood Town Hall Tuesday or Thursday evening between 7 and 8.30. For further information call Cathy Jestin 858-9066 or Cathy McIntyre at 856-4002.

New assistant scout masters at the 1st Rockwood Scout Troop are Jim Galley and Doug

Jim's been a Rockwood resident for six years, he's married and has three children. Also married, Doug Brunton has recently moved into the area.

They join Scoutmaster Bill Hammond, assistant Kevin March and activity leader Darren Kane. There are now 22 scouts with openings for two or three more.

Proceeds from the Eramosa Home and School Association Garage Sale at Eramosa School recently amounted to \$600. There will be a similar garage sale at Rock-

wood School in the spring. Start saving.

Please call Jennifer Barr 853-2010 or 856-9096 with Rockwood news, personals, and community coming events.

### Eden Mills

# Women will have booth at auction

by Mrs. G. MacDougall September meeting of the Presbyterian Women was held at the church with 12 Reports were presented correspondence and dealt with.

by Doris Fines

Mrs. George Johnson

were in Ottawa for six

Auxiliary Convention of

the Georgetown Legion.

They stayed with Mrs.

Clarke's sister Mrs.

Brian Boyd and also went

to see a live musical play

"Annie". The convention

was at the Skyline, with

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the post of chief explorer,

Cindy Jackson, keeper of

the log, Janet Sinclair,

keeper of the treasure,

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Plans were finalized for the dinner being served to the Rochester, N.Y. Senior Citizens. The ladics will have a refreshment booth at the auction sale at the home of the late Roy Gordon on November 1.

meeting every Tuesday

in the church from 2.30 to

8 p.m. All boys and girls

don't! One minute I

looked at the bird bath

Now you see it, now you

are welcome.

The ladies of the Rock-Presbyterian party at 7.30 p.m.

church will be guests for the next meeting on October 28 at the home of Mrs. William MacDonald beginning with a dessert

Roll call was an article

a prayer for Farmers and Ranchers. Girls cooking in woks The last chapter on Human Rights, "We've Only Just Begun", was read with discussion and Katrina Jackson, enthusiastically, a row of reporter. They are birds sat all around the

Mrs. J. Henry.

Mrs. Ev. Barden was in

charge of the program

with readings titled

Paralyzed Man", "The

Ant and the Cricket" and

Heals

rim waiting their turn, A contest 'on "Ages and the ground for two was won by Mrs. W. feet around was covered Lasby. The meeting with birds walting their closed with hymn and a chance to sneak in. social hour with refresh-The robins too, are nestled snugly in the congretating. There were ground. The next minute about 30 on our lawn the

fellowship of the least coin were dedicated by

tended a family dinner at hobbles classes. David the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lasby was presented Morriston in honor of Best Showmanship in the brother-in-law, Mr. and wedding anniversary.

Fred Rinehart's 1940 Chevrolet won him a third prize ribbon in the Antique car class at Aberfoyle Fall Fair.

Hugh MacPherson was a very successful winner with his Show Poultry and his wife Helen took with prizes vegetables and flowers at Wendy and Ralph.

courtesy Acton Fall Fair, Mrs. Mary McDonald was also Mr. and Mrs. Fred a winner in the home Rinehart recently at- crafts and crafts and in with a gold watch for Congratulations to all Mrs. George Sutton on these folks. Thanks to the the occasion of their 30th Acton Free Press for the fine pictures of the show.

> Mr. and Mrs. Roger MacDougall were guests at the wedding of Ralph Nellis and Miss Wendy Bowen at Trinity United Church, Acton, on Saturday. Roger performed the duties of best man for buddy his her Congratulations

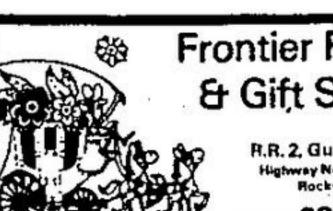
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**OLD GLEN MILL** 

#### GET READY FOR swooped down. A half winter will soon be upon 1,364 women attending. dozen were splashing The 4-H girls helped prepare a Chinese recipe for stir frying, using a **APPEARING** wok, at their first meeting at the home of the leader Linda Earle. They discussed the dif-OCTOBER 3 & 4 ferent vegetables and meat to use, the saving of "Flash Back" energy, and reading your meter. The main ob-Music of the 50's & 60's jective of the club is saving energy and using **ERIN COUNTRY INN** Explorers met at the church and went on a 156 Main St., Erin 833-2332 hike. They also held their election of officers, with

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flock of sparrows some of the signs that



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sensibilities of some Era- uid manure pits." mosa residents who have asked township council to Estrin is "very serious." get its lawyer to do some-Eramosa council is asking for legal opinion wastes, including liquid

before taking any action concerning Park Pier Pig stated Estrin. Farm on County Road 29 on the first concession. Lawyer David Estrin,

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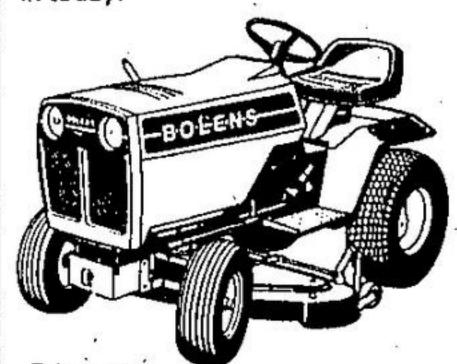
"One of the central sources of odor is the open lagoon is which pig manure, are deposited,"

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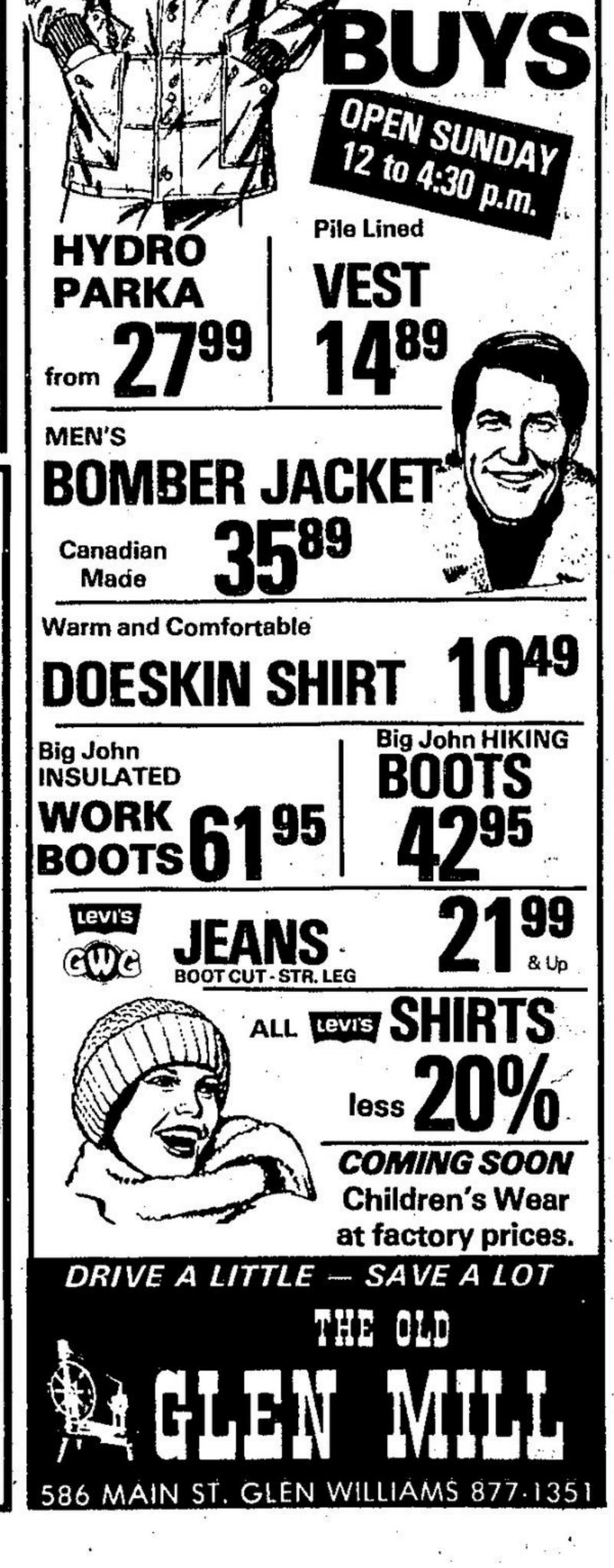
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