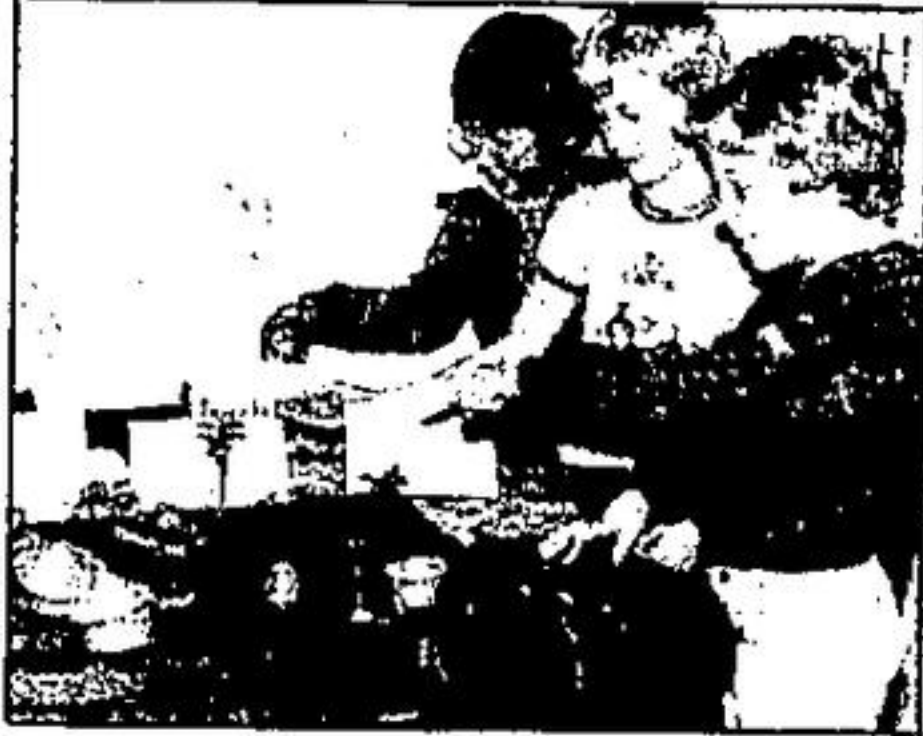


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## Rockwood Digest



Examining the African display produced by Grade 5, Room 10 for Rockwood Centennial School Open House are Paul Ke, Kevin Harris and William Hill.

It's that time of year again—hobgoblins, trolls, monsters and other assorted Rockwoodites will

be out in full force Friday night demanding "trick or treat".

Rockwood Centennial Public School will be holding Hallowe'en parties Friday afternoon sponsored by the students' council.

Kindergarten to grade two will hold their own party. Grades three through six will have a grand fete in the gym with costume judging, goodies and games.

Seniors in grades seven and eight celebrated with a dance last Friday.

School principal Grant McRae stresses the children are instructed that Hallowe'en is a time for fun not destruction.

Hope all little goblins take the message to heart. I always object to providing the treat and receiving the trick as well.

Drive carefully Friday night. Small people are careless when they're having a good time.

A new Rockwood Trustee will be Jim Funk. He replaces the retiring Tony Reid. In by acclamation, Jim joins other untested trustees Jan Osborne and chairman Rick Lewis. Martin Adema is still village secretary.

Rockwood Horticultural Group has been busy this fall. It is open to new members. The four-year-old group boasts 32 members

and they are looking for more no matter what age, sex or religion.

One of the club founders, Mary Burnaby comments the club is one of the few community groups that cuts across age, income and church affiliation.

Aims of the group are to provide a gathering spot for people who enjoy home gardens and share an interest in horticulture, and to make a common voice in capitalizing on the aesthetics of a unique area.

Meetings held so far have encompassed the history of wine making and the study of flowering spring bulbs.

A harvest supper held recently for members was well attended.

Upcoming meetings will feature Ena Leroy on Nov. 12 talking about terrariums and indoor herbs and salad greens for windowsill growing. The December 10 meeting will deal with plants as gifts under the direction and tutelage of Mrs. Mitchelmore.

Not only does the horticultural group beautify their own spots, they also spend time and energy flowering up Rockwood.

Watch the embankment between Highway 7 and the Hydro office (just west of the Anglican Church) next spring. The beautiful limestone rockery built by members will be alive with hundreds of flowering bulbs—a happy gift.

Interested new members should contact Jan

Osborne, horticultural chairman.

Open House at Rockwood Centennial School was well attended, according to principal Grant McRae.

An estimated 75 people attended the Home and School Meeting held later the same evening. Bob Love, phys. ed. specialist spoke on the meaning of fitness, how to obtain it, nutrition and fitness, and how the above were covered by the school.

Rockwood Holstein breeders in the news are Vernon Butchers and D.C. McPhedran and Sons. Junior Champion female at the Ottawa Winter Fair was Norwell Starlite Pansy owned by Vernon Butchers and Robert MacEwen of Maxville. First prize heifer calf shown by a 4-H member went to Jeff Butchers. It was by Vernon Butchers and Robert MacEwen.

Junior Calf Class winner at the West-Central Ontario Championships over 15 entries was Erasmia Attraction Terry owned by D.C. McPhedran and Sons.

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

## Lorne Brown will retire

Osprige Public School will be the scene of some changes at the end of 1980. Principal of nine years, Lorne Brown will retire after some 32 years teaching.

A tea, open house, dinner, presentation and dance are planned for Saturday November 15 at the school, situated at the junction of Highways 25 and 24.

Barbara McKinnon of Osprige is organizing the event which starts at 2 p.m. with the tea. Participants interested in enjoying the dinner are asked to order tickets through Mrs. McKinnon. Donations are being collected toward a gift which will be presented after dinner before the dance.

Prior to joining the Osprige staff, Mr. Brown taught at Erin Public School. His previous teaching assignments included Etobicoke and Newmarket.

Always well thought of by students and parents alike, Mr. Brown has farmed north of Rockwood for many years.

## Eden Mills

### Reminder for kids of Hallowe'en

by Mrs. G. MacDougall

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tomlinson on the arrival of a new granddaughter. Proud parents are Kathy and Len Cross of Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta.

The Eden Mills United Church Women held their regular meeting in the Sunday School Room. Mrs. Mabel Parker opened the meeting with a poem.

The devotional was taken by Mrs. Betty Snow with the topic "Sincerely Yours". The hymn "Take time to be Holy" was sung followed by scripture from Ephesians.

In the business period, thank-you cards were read from Harold Tomlinson and Mrs. A.

Stanley, Mrs. Betty Snow volunteered to represent the UCW at the planning meeting for the Community Bazaar on November 29.

Plans were made to entertain at a birthday party for the residents of Eden House Nursing Home.

Mrs. Wilma Fuller invited the UCW to hold the Christmas meeting at her home, which was graciously received.

Mrs. Holly Saulnier supply convener, had a good display of quilts, quilt tops and other things to be finished and sent to World Relief.

A delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Gladys Marshall and Mrs. Holly Saulnier. Courtesies

were extended by Mrs. Lorna Tomlinson.

The children of the community are reminded of the Hallowe'en party at the hall beginning at 7 p.m. on Friday October 31.

They are asked to bring a small pumpkin with a cut out face to enter in a contest, if they wish.

Guest minister at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday was Rev. Bob Whitehead, minister of Alma and Elora churches. Rev. Doehring was conducting anniversary services at his church in Alma for morning and evening worship.

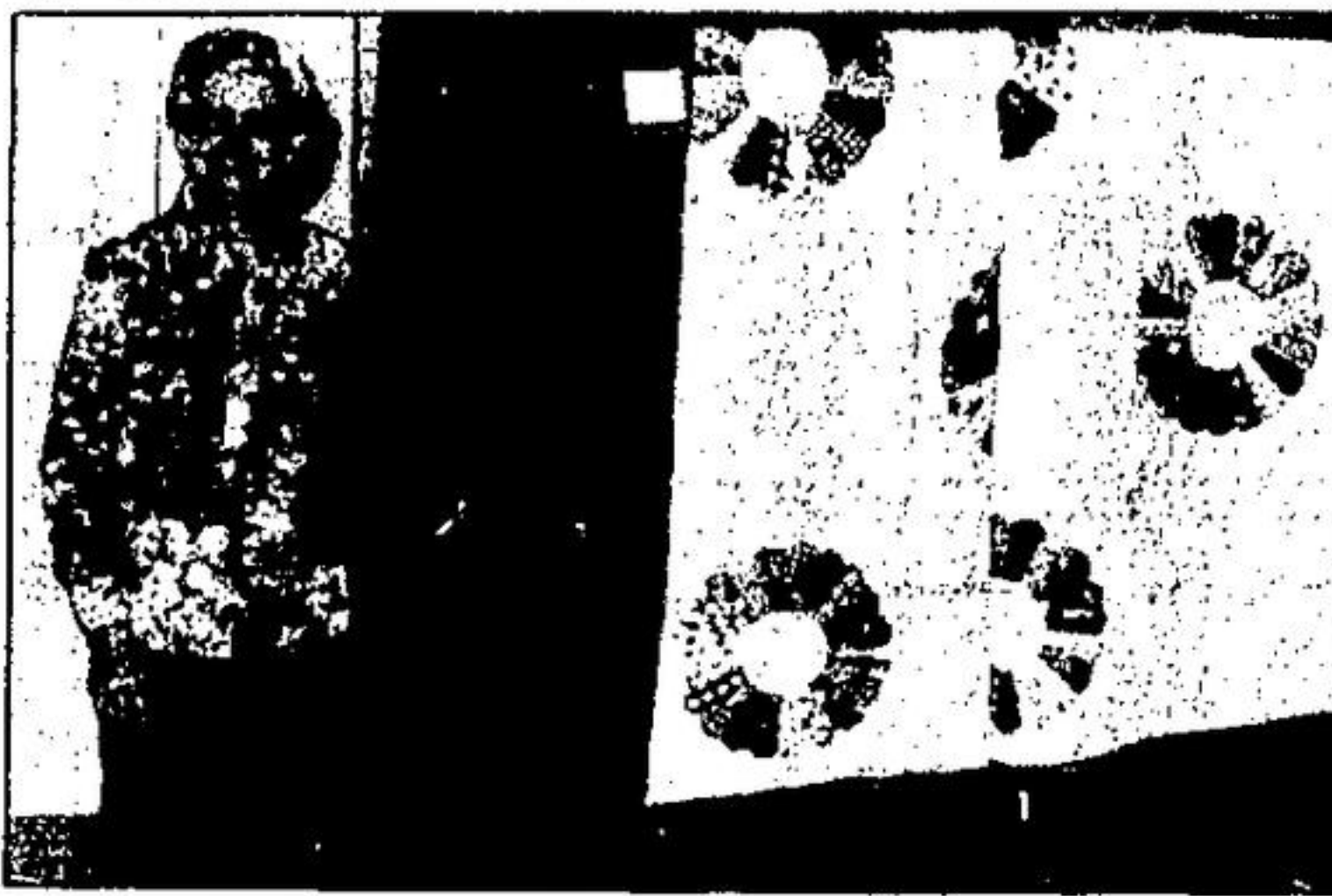
Mr. and Mrs. Mansell Lowrie visited with Joan's mother and sisters in Toronto on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chamberlain and Mr. and Mrs. Gord Aitken spent the weekend in the Orr Lake area.

Mrs. William and Mrs. James Gilbertson were Sunday guests of Mrs. Susie Kuhn in Guelph.

Get well wishes are with Mrs. Linda McIven who is a patient in hospital.

Mrs. Jean Rinehart attended the first annual meeting of the Queen's Bush District Canadian Cancer Society held at Georgian College, Owen Sound, on Saturday.



Dora Kennedy admires some of the quilts made for a draw at the Nassagaweya Presbyterian Church bazaar Saturday.

## Rock-a-long W.I. report

by Mrs. H. Bayne

The October meeting of Rock-a-long Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. John Ramsey.

Twelve members and four visitors answered the roll call, "What I enjoy most about the Women's Institute."

The Area Convention will be held at Regal Hall, Guelph on October 23 and 24. Mrs. K. Spence is the delegate and Mrs. J. Ramsey the alternate.

An article for the gift stall has been arranged. A list of candidates interested in the office of provincial board member was read.

Mrs. C. Nellis, alternate district director, gave a complete report of the meeting she had attended in September.

The district annual is to be held May 12, 1981, earlier than usual, so reports must be sent in immediately after the April meeting. Institute calendars will be available at the Area Convention.

The theme of the meeting was "What, where, why of the WI and ACWW." The guest speaker was Mrs. Ken

Law, district president. She introduced her talk with a very appropriate poem "Do you just belong?" She explained the role of the Women's Institute and the ACWW at all levels and many of the accomplishments due to them.

Mrs. Mary McCutcheon, district vice-president, also attended the meeting.

## Churchill

### Choir members enjoy Ruddigore

by Joanne Turner

Churchill Community Choir Women met Tuesday evening, Oct. 21 at the home of Mrs. Marie Anderson, Fifth Line with vice-president Mrs. Lydia Kerr in the president's chair. Joanne Turner led in devotions.

Plans were made for the children's Hallowe'en party Friday evening, and to assist in a work bee at the church Saturday afternoon.

A get-well card was signed by all to be sent to President Mrs. Edith Storey who has injured her knee in a fall.

An interesting program of seasonal verse and a Hallowe'en contest was presented by Eleanor Thompson.

Churchill C.C. Choir members and friends enjoyed an excellent performance of Gilbert and Sullivan's opera "Ruddigore" performed by the Clarkson Music Theatre at Cawthra Park Secondary School Saturday evening.

Clarence Denny provided the bus, Marie Anderson drove, and a pleasant time was had by all.

The annual Hallowe'en party at Churchill was well attended by numerous ghosts, goblins and ghouls. Costume prizes were awarded as follows:

Preschool: Bradley Swackhamer, Cheryl Cullingham, Kristal Cooper; Grades 1 to 3; Lisa Walsma, Lorie

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## Chambers in as NDP candidate

Marion Chambers, unsuccessful candidate in the last provincial election, will again carry the banner of the New Democratic Party for Wellington-Dufferin-Peel.

Chambers was acclaimed the party's candidate during the annual meeting last week in Fergus.

"The Ontario NDP has worked out possible solutions to Ontario's economic problems and with a recharged economy the society needs such as medicare, education and pensions funds can be adequately funded," said the candidate.

Chambers is a former Erin Village candidate. Her husband, Cecil Chambers, was the party's federal candidate in February's election for Wellington-Dufferin-Simcoe.



Marion Chambers

## Rockwood Bowling

Rockwood Bowling League—Results for Oct. 21.  
Four Corners Six, 2 pts—Marg McKernie 602 vs Team No. 9 5 pts—Dennis Death 603.

Erk's Jerks—Joy Halliburton 505 vs The Lost Causes 7 pts—Walker McLaren 637.

Nite Hawks 4 pts—Sue Nightingale 551 vs The Rovers 3 pts—Marilyn Swanson 545.

The Royal Six 5 pts—Elmer Allen 639 vs The Countrymen 2 pts—Bert Gould 704.

Team number 5—Jan Loaf 514 vs The Guelphites 7 pts—Jim Cerniuk 641.

The Strikers 7 pts—Evan Saylor 607 vs The Unpredictables—John Dales 603.

The Strikers are in first place with 34 pts.

Top female bowler is Erke Van Driel with a 213 average. Top male bowler is Paul Holman with 213 average.

Men over 600  
Bert Gould 704, Dennis Death 603, Elmer Allen 639, Walker McLaren 637, Evan Saylor 607, Jim Cerniuk 641, Donc Kingsbury 639, Paul Holman 628, John Dales 603.

Women over 600  
Marg McKernie 602, Joy Halliburton 505, Erke Van Driel

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**APPOINTMENT OF VOTING PROXY**

Any person whose name is entered on the polling list for a polling subdivision or who has obtained a certificate to be included on the list in the municipality and who is:

- A person other than one who is in a hospital or other institution, where a polling place has been provided on such premises for the purpose of polling or where provision has been made to attend upon such persons for the purpose of receiving their ballot; and
- A person who is certified by a legally qualified medical practitioner, by a certificate filed with the Clerk, to be physically incapable of attending a polling place;
- A person absent from his regular residence by reason of attending an educational institution and expects by reason of such absence from the municipality to be unable to vote at the advance poll or on a polling day; or
- A person who expects to be absent from his polling subdivision during the election period including the advance poll and polling day by reason of his being engaged for hire or reward in the business of transportation by railway, air, water or motor vehicle,

may, on forms available at the Office of the Returning Officer, 251 Main Street East, Milton, appoint any person to vote in his stead who is entitled to vote in the same municipality.

Such persons must be appointed and certified by the Clerk of the Municipality during the period following Nomination Day (October 21st, 1980 to 6:00 p.m. on Polling Day, November 10th, 1980).

R. Main, Returning Officer, Town of Milton.

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