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Rockwood

New books at library

by Barbara Fank Librarian Georgina Kelso again advises of the new arrivals at the Eramosa Community Library. In adult fiction they now have, The Magistrate by Ernest K. Gann; An Important Family by Dorothy Eden; Master of the Moor by Ruth Rendell; The Patriot by Nigel Tranter, and Windfall by Desmond Bagley.

In juvenile primary fiction, the library now has The Luckiest Girl by Beverly Cleary; Can You Sue Your Parents for Malpractice? by Paula Danziger; Cat on the Hat by Brian Wildsmith; and Paddington Works Hard by Michael Bond have been added.

Churchill

Mourn A. McEachern

by J. Turner The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Mary McEachern. Ronald and Marianne, on the death of a dear brother-in-law and uncle, Angus McEachern. Angus McEachern was born and raised on the McEachern homestead at Lot 4, Con. 6, and farmed there with his brothers Herb and Norm who both predeceased him some years ago.

In early days the McEacherns were barn raisers, and many area barns framed by them are still standing. The McEachern brothers were threshers as well, and went all over the country at harvest time with their steam engines and threshing machines. Neighbors still remember the two old Percherons, Captain and Lucy, that used to pull the water tanks, and were kept on pasture long after they were retired from work. Angus kept a couple of old steam engines, and made a hobby of maintaining them beautifully polished and

include, How to Master Video Games by T. Hirschfeld; Nassagaweya: Its Land and People by June Andrews; Gestures: Their Origin and Distribution by Desmond Morris; Teach Your Baby by Dr. G. Painter, and "Build Your Own Minimum Cost, Solar Heating by R. Haviland. Rockwood Rovers (grade 8 students) of Rockwood Centennial School will be selling oranges and grapefruit again this year to raise money for their educational trip. They will be taking orders between October 8 and 24. If you are not contacted by a grade 8 student and wish to order some fruit, please call the school at 850-9662 to place your order.

in perfect working order, taking them to steam shows in the States as well as locally. He kept in touch with other steam enthusiasts in Canada, the USA and England.

He was proud of his well-kept herd of Herefords, but due to declining health, had regretfully decided to dispose of them at a neighbor's farm sale last Friday. His death occurred suddenly on the Monday before the sale.

The congregation of Churchill Community Church much enjoyed the Thanksgiving Breakfast prepared and served by the men of the Church in conjunction with the social committee. The French toast and sausages, bacon and scrambled eggs were delicious. The sanctuary of the church was beautifully decorated for the Service of Thanksgiving with fruits of the harvest and brilliant autumn leaves. Baritone soloist Emrys Jenkins Sr. sang a lovely old favourite "My Task", and the choir anthem was "We Thank Thee, Lord".



Ian and Stephen Robson of Windy Knoll Farm, Harris St., Rockwood display their many pumpkins they grew over the summer. Also available are squash of varying kinds.

Ospringle

Area residents enjoy Thanksgiving visitors

by Doris Fines The 1st Ospringle Brownies have got off to a good start, beginning their meetings the end of September. There are six new Brownies this year, making a total of 22. Brown owl is Wil Argudin, tawny owl is Betty Coleman, barn owl Margaret Barns- tiple, and night owl Bev Banish. The Brownies are going to the Acton Library for their next meeting, and on the first school PD day, they are going on an outing in Rockwood.

Helen Dubeau, Ann Root and Candy Armstrong are leading the Ospringle Guides this year. They have been working with flowers, making arrangements with dried flowers and live flowers, and also a Thanksgiving arrangement.

Congratulations to Bill and Lorilyn McKenzie on the birth of Melissa Jade, the first wee arrival to brighten their household. She was born Thursday September 30, a granddaughter for Norman and Hilda McKenzie.

We are a little tardy in expressing our sympathy to Agnes Dent, but our condolences all the same, go to her in the loss of her cousin Allan, who resided with her on their farm on the First Line.

Gary and Sandra Ferguson and son Ryan, visited on Thanksgiving

Sunday with Sandra's parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnston at Marsville.

Don and Linda Wilson and son Danny of Fergus, Mrs. Thomas Fines and Doris, were guests on Sunday with Ross and Orma Ferguson.

On Sunday morning at the local church, Heidi Schotach sang "Thank You", in keeping with the Thanksgiving service. Her mother Bonnie Schotach accompanied her on the organ. Rev. Noble Dean's sermon was on—the Most Excellent Way, emphasizing that love is the most important thing. No matter what you have, if you don't have love, it doesn't mean anything.

Jim and Beverly Wilkins of Woodstock, and Robert and Susan Bruce and sons David and Nell of Burlington, spent Sunday with their parents Byron and Blanche Bruce.

Gordon and Anne Aitken visited on the Thanksgiving weekend with their daughter Joan and Mike Hutchison and family at Elgin.

Ward and Flora Bruce spent Sunday at Mississauga, at the home of their son Garnet and Catherine Bruce and family.

The cheese sale is now underway at Ospringle school. The price is less than at grocery stores. The blocks are 2½ pounds each. The varieties are: mild, medium, old yellow, old white, colby, marble, mozzarella, onion and chives, and hot pepper. The gourmet cheeses are nipican, continental, and savoury. Delivery will be in three weeks.

Order forms are available at the school or from one of the students. Later they will be selling small gift packs of cheese for Christmas giving.

George and Margaret Fletcher were guests at the wedding of Margaret's cousin Nancy Roberts of Guelph, who exchanged vows with Gary Martin of Acton. The wedding took place at the Guelph Bible Chapel, with the reception at the Orange Hall.

Eden Mills

Family celebrates birthday, retirement

by Mrs. G. MacDoogill Ralph Thompson recently planned a lovely surprise birthday and retirement party in honor of his wife Freda. Friends and relatives gathered at the Thompson summer home in Collingwood for this happy occasion.

About 150 guests from the Kitchener and South Wellington division of the Silver Birch Area met in the Eden Mills Community Hall on Friday night and Saturday for a Guide and Brownie training session for new leaders. The UCV served a tasty noon hour luncheon on Wednesday at the Hall.

The Friendly Seniors held their regular

meeting on Wednesday afternoon with 14 members present. After the business period, cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

There was a good turnout at the auction sale held at the residence of Mrs. William and Mrs. James Gilbertson on Saturday. This has been their home for 58 years and after residing in this village since 1914 and 1916 respectively, the ladies have moved to an apartment in Guelph. Best wishes for a healthy and happy future in their new surroundings.

The new owners of the Gilbertson property are Mr. and Mrs. R.W.

Beckett from Oakville. Welcome and good luck to these newcomers. Eric Dietz is home on leave from his Army

duties with the peace work job in Saudi Arabia. Get well wishes go out to Norm Thomas of the Senior, leaves for a Gulf Gas Station.



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