



**LIONS HALLOWEEN PARTY**

South Crosby School

7:30 - 9:00

Monday, Oct. 31st

Games, prizes, short movie

Visitors Welcome

**ELGIN U.C.W.**

Elgin U.C.W. met on Tuesday evening October 11. The president, Loree Smith welcomed the members and visitors and opened the meeting with the reading of a few lines of a Thanksgiving hymn. Elsa Emmons, assisted by Edna Halladay and Reta Freeman, conducted the devotions, the theme being Thanksgiving.

Anna Charland introduced Ken Dewar of Parks Canada, Smiths Falls, who gave a brief history of the Rideau Canal before showing the film "Col. By's Peaceful Waterways". A question and answer period followed which was most interesting. Mr. Dewar mentioned that he would like to contact history teachers in the area who could have some students interview residents who might have additional information on this particular part of the Rideau.

Seventeen members answered the roll call. The date for our Fall Bazaar was set for Nov. 23. A planning meeting for this will be held Nov. 2 at 1:30. The meeting closed with the hymn "Thank You".

We were invited to join with the Portland U.C.W. at their meeting on Oct. 18. Highlight of the evening was a very interesting talk by Mrs. Slemmon on drying flowers and plants. She had samples of many of these with her including a beautiful arrangement of bleached plants. Our thanks to Portland U.C.W. for a very enjoyable evening.

Our next meeting will be Nov. 8.

**Lyndhurst U.C.W. Card Parties**

The Natives of Lyndhurst U.C.W. card parties will be held on Monday nights, commencing Oct. 17 and every Monday night until Nov. 28, except Oct. 31 which is Halloween.

Dates: Oct. 17, 24, Nov. 7, 14, 21 & 28.

**ELGIN FRIENDSHIP CLUB**

The Friendship Club held their Oct. meeting in their room in the afternoon of the third Tuesday.

Mr. Phonse Donovan presided. Regular business was discussed. Mrs. Mary Fraser gave a report on the bus trip to Peterborough the last of September. The trip was thoroughly enjoyed. They left Elgin at 9 a.m., visited the site of the plowing match then on by 401 to Belleville on No. 14 to No. 7 to Peterborough. A delicious Smorgasbord dinner with excellent service was enjoyed at the Rock Haven Motel. After dinner a lady guide came on the bus to show and describe interesting parts of the city. After an hour and a half of sight seeing the bus returned by No. 7 where the foliage was gorgeous and at its best.

Mr. Donovan gave a clear and interesting report on a Senior Citizen meeting which he and his wife attended at Toledo.

Miss Eliza Gray brought her portable television and the members enjoyed the broadcast from Ottawa giving the Queen's speech from the throne.

At lunch Miss Eliza Gray presented Mrs. Mary Fraser with a pretty birthday cake.

The President is to contact members of a band in Carleton Place who entertained the Club a year ago to see if they will come back again this year.

The date of the November meeting will be decided later.

**Community Forum - Portland  
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A community Forum will be held at the Portland Community Centre Sunday Oct. 30th at 1:30 p.m. Baby sitting available. Plan to stay for a pot luck supper (bring a contribution). For further information call Paul Byington at 272-2810.

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**coming event:**  
3rd annual  
Elgin Softball Association  
**Halloween Masquerade Ball**  
Sat. Oct. 29th, R.D.H.S  
9pm - 1am  
Dancing to the music of  
Big Express  
\$8 per couple Buffet Lunch  
Licensed  
Last draws of "200 club"  
(\$500, \$100, \$50, \$25, \$25)

**ELGIN MINOR HOCKEY**

Minor hockey will begin on Saturday, November 5th, with registration at South Crosby Public School from 10 A.M. until 12 noon. There will be a registration fee of \$2.00 per player with a maximum charge of \$5.00 per family to help pay for new sweaters.

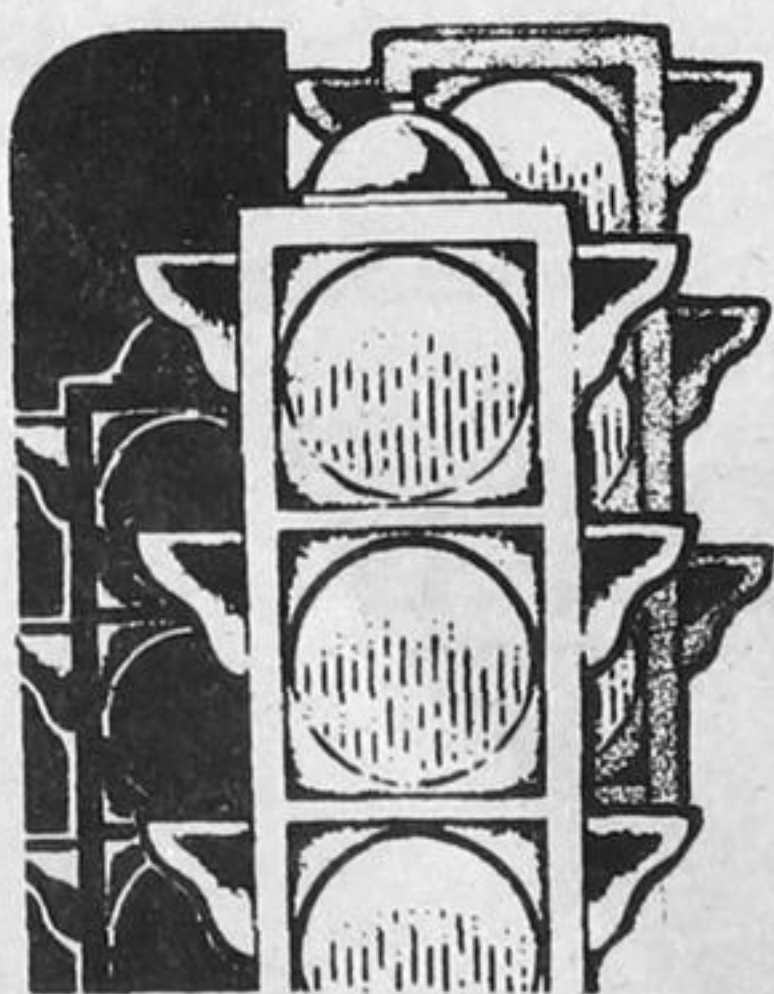
Registration is open to anyone in South Crosby Township or any of the surrounding townships. Registration is for all boys or girls from age six to sixteen who want to play hockey this winter. We hope to have enough girls register to have a complete girls' league this year.

The minor hockey program will begin with road hockey on the pavement until it is cold enough for natural ice. As well as games in Elgin, we hope to schedule some games in Morton and Crosby when they have ice.

Some coaches from last year will be returning but we are always looking for new coaches for hockey. If you are interested, please contact me at 359-5933 during the day and 359-5833 in the evening.

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