

GIRL GUIDES

On Saturday, Sept. 20 a Patrol Leaders Leadership Training Program was held at Portland Community Hall and was directed by Mary Sutcliffe of the Leeland Division and Marion Elgood of Almonte from the Kintail division.

This program is held once a year for newly elected Patrol Leaders. Because of the desperate need for leaders in this area, Portland was chosen as the site for this training program, to encourage local interest in the Girl Guides.

Forty-five girls and 18 leaders were in attendance from Renfrew, Almonte, Carleton Place, Perth, Smiths Falls and Prantomer (the area around Portland).

PHILIPSVILLE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Philipsville Women's Institute held their meeting in their hall on September 11th.

The meeting opened with the Ode and Mary Stewart Collect.

Mrs. Davison was pianist. Mrs. Clara Hallett was acting president.

Roll Call was "What the younger generation has taught us". It was answered by eight members and two visitors. Minutes were read and approved, new business was dealt with.

The October meeting will be held in the hall with Mrs. Sutcliffe speaking on her trip abroad. The executive meeting will be held September 29th at 1:30 - Philipsville.

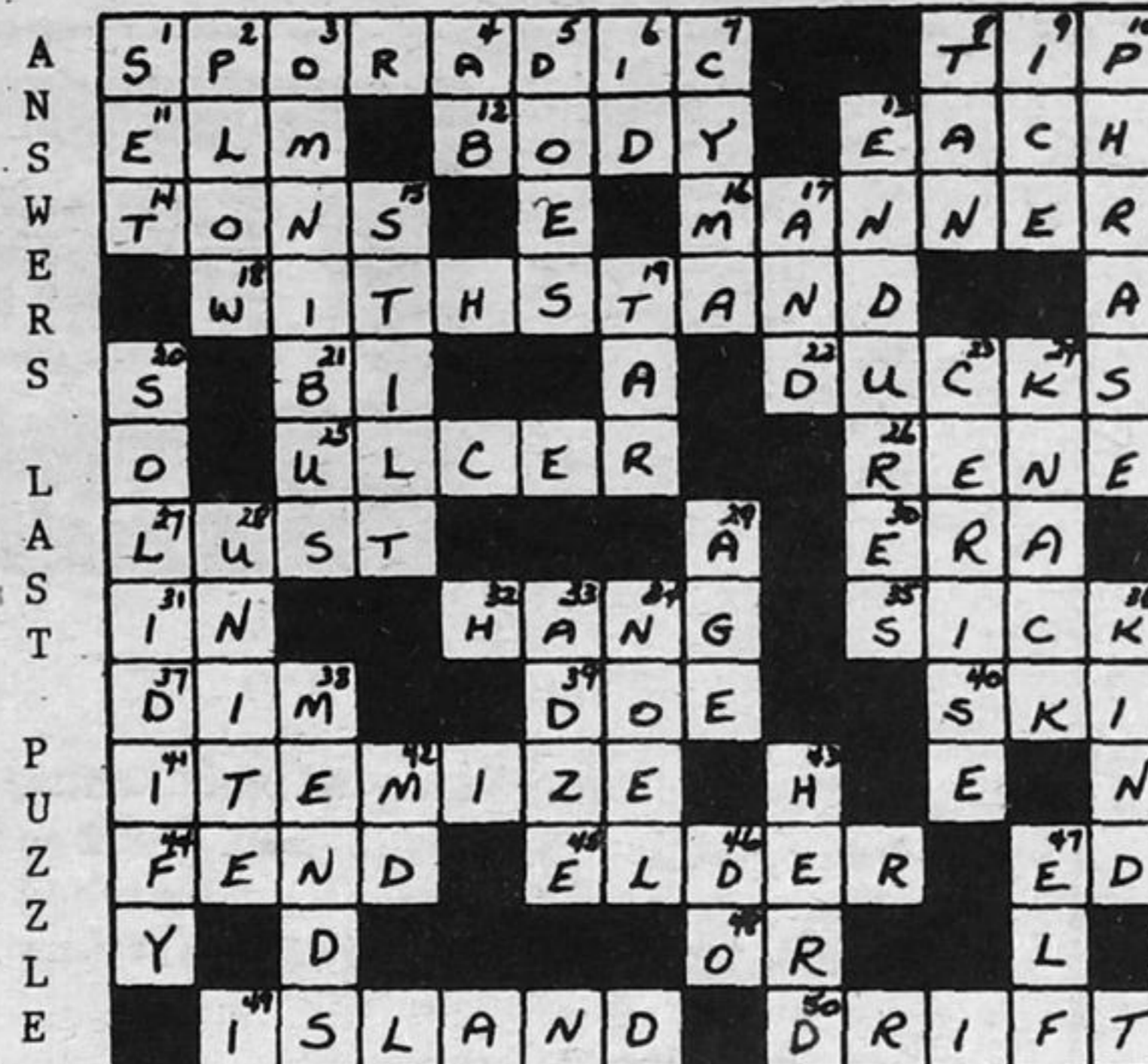
The area convention will be held in Napanee on October 16th and 17th.

A minute of silence was observed for the late Lenna Lawson who was a member for many years. This closed the business part of the meeting.

Mrs. Hallett introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Miriam Bryan of Delta, who spoke on memories of the war, as she was a nurse in the Army.

Mrs. Hallett gave Mrs. Bryan a gift in appreciation for sharing some of her memories with us.

Singing of the Royal Anthem closed this part of the meeting.



Rideau Lakes Horticultural Society

Rideau Lakes Horticultural Society held their biennial Fall Flower and Vegetable Show at Rideau Vista School on Saturday, September 6th.

As one entered the gymnasium, one was met by a room full of autumn colours. The stage was decorated with tall corn stalks, brightly coloured houseplants and autumn flowers. The opposite end of the room had been turned into a dainty tea room. A bulletin board containing pictures showing the activities of the society during the years divided the tea room from the exhibits.

On the table containing the flower entries were Snapdragons, Asters, Chrysanthemums, Cosmos, Dahlias, Delphiniums, Gladiolus, Marigolds, African Violets, Gloxinia, Geraniums, Fern, Foliage Plants, Terrarium, Floated Flowers, Unusual Plants, Cactus Display, Fuschia, Hanging Planter. The subjects for the flower arrangements were Inflation Spiral, Down the Garden Path, Small Trophies, Dinner at Eight, It's the Berries, Colours of Autumn. The vegetables were divided into four groups - Corn, Vegetable in a Head, Roots or Underground Stems, Vine or Bush Vegetables. The Junior section contained Flowers, Vegetables, Dish Gardens, very interesting Animal Characters, Arrangements of Wild Flowers.

Forty-four people brought entries. There were two hundred entries. Mr. Roy Class, retired teacher from Kemptville, was our judge. He was very thoughtful and sincere. Our society appreciates his work very much.

Mr. Pat McManus, Chairman, Rideau Conservation Area, presented our Prizes - Flower Section First - Mrs. Bedore, Second - Mr. Williams. Third - Mrs. Kimmerly. House Plants - First - Mrs. Keitha Mavity. Second - Mrs. Lorraine Proud Third - Mrs. A. Merriman. Flower Arrangements - First - Mrs. Kimmerly Second - Miss. Ida Hutchings. Third - (draw between four) Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Swaray, Mrs. Kirkam, Mrs. Borwill. Vegetables - First - Mrs. Stone, Second - Mrs. Ileana Blair, Third - Mr. Williams.

Junior Section - First - Susan Hutchison, Second - Jennifer McManus, Third - Brent Wing and Katy Bond. The best exhibit in the show was a red rose placed by Miss Agnes Caiger. We thank Mr. McManus for presenting the prizes to our winners.

Everyone seemed to feel that the day had been a nice way to bring the summer season to a close.

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at the WESTPORT ARENA

ANGLICAN PARISH OF LEEDS REAR COMING EVENTS

St. Francis of Assisi Day - a traditional service of the blessing of the pets in honour of St. Francis. All pets welcome. Being held at St. Peter's Church, Seeley's Bay, Oct. 4th at 7:00 p.m.

St. Luke's Day - There will be a joint parish service at St. Luke's at 11:00 followed by a pot luck dinner in the parish hall. The Rev'd Canon Gordon Hendra, Program director of the Diocese of Ontario, will be the guest preacher. Oct. 19.

Fall Rummage Sale - On October 14th, 15th and 16th, a rummage sale will be held in Lyndhurst.

Progressive Euchre - Starting Oct. 20, these euchres will be held at St. Luke's Hall, Lyndhurst, every Monday night from 8:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

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