

JARVIS LIONS HEAD FIRST MAJOR CENTENNIAL YEAR CELEBRATION IN HALDIMAND COUNTY HELD DURING PAST WEEK-END

THOUSANDS OF SPECTATORS LINE PARADE ROUTE

Estimates of the number of spectators lining the parade route through Jarvis on Monday went as high as fifteen thousand. They were not disappointed in what they saw. The parade in this Centennial year exceeded anything in the past and the floats reflected hours and hours of hard work on the part of those preparing them. The entries this year were almost all the result of individual planning and commercial and machinery entries were at a minimum. The parade started at the park, proceeded to No. 3 Highway and went easterly to Walpole Street. Arriving at Main Street the parade proceeded southerly to No. 3 Highway, west to Davis street and back to the park. To give some idea of the length of the parade there were still entries waiting to leave the park after the leading floats had returned. In addition the Calithumpian parade glowed with the excitement of four marching bands. These were: Jarvis Christian Brass Band Crescendo, The Hagersville Lions Club Band, The Brantford Pipe Band and the Cayuga Trumpet Band.

COLORFUL APPAREL FEATURED SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

Centennial costumes featured the dance last Saturday night marking the opening of the week-end festivities in Jarvis. Nearly everyone joined in the spirit of the occasion and the judges had a difficult time in awarding the prizes. First prize for the best representative couple (the man had to wear a beard) went to Mr. and Mrs. James Davidson; second prize Mr. and Mrs. Mac Richardson. Mrs. Ralph Carrick took the

award for the best dressed lady with second prize going to Mrs. Kenneth Hopper. Best dressed man was William Snowden with second place going to Roy Lindsay. Carl Jaques was the gentleman with the blackest beard; Gordon Miller had the reddest beard and Clifford Reed the whitest beard. The couple attending the ball coming from the longest distance from Jarvis was Mr. and Mrs. Bob White from Chicago.

1,000 ENJOYED BARBECUE ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Despite a chilling wind 1000 people lined up for the Chicken Barbecue, served from 4 to 7 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. Provision was made for dining in the Community Hall. Due to the weather and judging from the remarks it was well worth waiting in line.

CAYUGA HIGH SCHOOL BAND PROVIDES MUSICAL TREAT

The Cayuga High School Band, under the direction of Mr. George Shippey, provided a real musical treat on Sunday night as part of the Jarvis Lions Club's Victoria Day week-end festivities. The band played in the Community Hall following the Chicken Barbecue late Sunday afternoon. The band looked resplendent in their attractive green and gold uniforms and performed with remarkable skill.

COMMUNITY HALL PACKED FOR ANNUAL AMATEUR SHOW

The Amateur show on Monday evening was a highlight of the week-end festivities with more than forty entries in the various classifications. During the course of the Amateur program two real professionals were introduced to the audience in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard (Red) Kelly of N.H.L. Fame. Mrs. Kelly is a former World Free Skating Champion. The audience was enthusiastic to have this popular couple in their midst "Red" spoke briefly expressing his enjoyment of the program and of his fond memories of the community. The winners were as follows:

8 Years and Under — VOCAL — Brian Montague, Judy Montague, Sherry Riley and Patricia Montague

INSTRUMENTAL — Kelly Montague, Sandra Walker.

VARIETY — Susan Lynn Mitchell, Steven and Owen Montague, Catherine Montague.

9-12 Years

VOCAL — Michaella and Kelly Montague, Vicky Montague and Frances Columbus, Ann Anderson.

INSTRUMENTAL — Michaella Montague, Becky Snowden, Denise Riley.

VARIETY — Sharon Ebert, Michaella and Kelly Montague, Donna Bacher.

13-18 Years

VOCAL — Mike Fess, Alice and Ellen Montague, Darlene Kendry and Linda Dale.

INSTRUMENTAL — Marie Anderson, Craig Ebert, Darlene Kendry and John Madow.

VARIETY — Elizabeth Reed, Kathy Marshall, Patsy Druyff, Cheryl Jaques, Sheila Jaques, Kathryn Duxbury. Pianist: Carolyn Cossar.

BEARD GROWING CONTEST WINNERS



BACK ROW (Left to right)—Ted Montague, Merrill Nie, Richard Slater, Robert Payne, Wm. A. Austin. FRONT ROW (Left to right)—Walter Armstrong, Charles Bier, Craddock, Jack Martin, Robert Hare.

The Sons of the Pioneers had their facial foliage assessed when they met in convention here on Monday, May 22nd. While the spectators on the parade route had a chance to form their opinions on the facial outgrowths the judges were required to make a more scientific judgement. They came through, however, after many agonizing moments of serious thought and adjudged the winners as follows:

BEST FULL BEARD— 1, Robert Hare; 2, Charles Bier; 3, Walter Armstrong.

BEST YOUNG MAN'S— 1, Dr. William A. Austin; 2, Richard Slater.

BEST MOUSTACHE & C— 1, Ted Montague; 2, Craddock.

BEST CHIN— 1, Robert Hare; 2, Merrill Nie.

BEST LAMB CHOP— 1, Dr. William A. Austin; 2, Richard Slater.

HAYRIDES AND BEANS

The novel idea of the Lions Club Presidents to provide hayrides from the Park to Reynolds' Bush where hot beans and coffee was available, proved to have plenty of merit. The rides ran for three steady hours and many, for the first time had a ride on a hay rack. The beans were good too.

NANTICOKE WINS SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

First place prize money was hard-fought for Monday and Nanticoke became the winner with a thrilling 1-0 victory over Dawson City in the final game at night. Due to the shower activity Sunday night the first game could not be played until 11:00 A.M. when Dawson City defeated Rockford 4-2. In the first game of the afternoon the Christian Reformed Church defeated Gore Juveniles 4-1 before Fisherville ousted the Jarvis Juniors by a close 1-0 score. In the semi-final round Nanticoke eliminated Fisherville 4-0 and in the first game of the evening Dawson City downed the Christian Reformed Church 8-5. This set the stage for Nanticoke's dramatic victory in the finale.

TEEN-AGERS GO-GO

More than 500 attended the Teen-age Go-Go in the Community Hall on Monday afternoon and, obviously, the electrifying music of the Rascals.

DRAW WINNERS

Mrs. Ray White, of Simcoe, was the winner of the \$200 draw on Monday night. \$100 went to Janice Parkinson, R. 3, Jarvis; third prize, \$50

PARADE WINNERS

CHILDREN

BEST DECORATED FLOAT— 1st, \$300 Pauline Moskaluk; 2nd, \$200, Douglass Dossier; 3rd, \$100, Duayne Peirson.

BEST COMIC FLOAT— 1st, \$300, Cheryl Dunnett; 2nd, \$200, Dennis and Danny Cowan; 3rd, \$100 Allan Olmstead

WALPOLE'S CENTENNIAL PROJECT



Walpole's Centennial project—a history of the Township over the past one hundred years is now in print. The project was commissioned by the Walpole Township Council last year. The above picture shows the Publisher and Editor of the Book, A. L. Miller, presenting Reeve Edward H. Montague with the first edition off the presses. In the center is Rev. Kenneth Brueton who researched the material and wrote the history. Copies are now on sale in limited numbers but total production is expected to meet the demands in the weeks ahead.

Patsy Druyff Crowned Queen



Patsy Druyff of Jarvis was crowned queen at Hagersville Secondary Schools' "At Home" Friday night. Sandra Hyde, Wendy Emslie, Becky Snowden and Charlene Meehan were runners up. Kathryn Duxbury, 1971-72's school queen crowned Patsy. Pictured here are Becky, Sandra, Kathryn, Patsy, Wendy and Charlene. In the 1954-55 school year, Patsy's aunt, Mary Curley also won the title. (Staff Photo)

CENTENNIAL SCHOOL FAIR OUTSTANDING SUCCESS

The September feature for Centennial Year staged by the Township of Walpole was a mammoth parade of school children—on foot and on floats held at the Lions' Club Park on Friday last. The five schools in Walpole went all out to show an old fashioned School Fair with exhibits of sewing, baking, collections, crafts, writing, art, grains, vegetables and flowers as well as pets. Plaques were provided for each of the five schools in commemoration of this Centennial event by the Women's Institutes of Walpole Township. Over all points went to — 1st, South Walpole School; 2nd, Canadian Christian School; 3rd, Jarvis, 4th, North Walpole, 5th, St. Mary's Separate School. Public Speaking winners, each of whom received a silver Centennial Dollar, were Girls—1st Becky Snowden, South Walpole; 2nd, Suzanne Munroe, Jarvis; 3rd, Suzan Butler, St Marys; 4th, Sharon Eurgess, North Walpole; 5th, Helen Vanderkooij, Canadian Christian School. Boys—1st Neil Kraay, Canadian Christian; 2nd, Brian Duxbury, Jarvis; 3rd, Paul Johnson, North Walpole; 4th, Louis LaForme, South Walpole. A milestone brought in from South Walpole — Nanticoke Creek—was dedicated by Canon Brooks and will be cleaned and placed in front of the Municipal Building. It is reported to be of rose granite but the grime of years has left it in the usual grey colour of local stone. The Committee headed by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Snowden achieved a wonderful event, which we hope will be recorded in the annals of local history. The Rev. K. N. Brueton autographed copies of his book on Walpole's Centennial History. He is to be congratulated on his fine work.