

Alanna Galt chosen

By Eileen Argyris

Alanna Galt, youngest daughter of Cramahe Reeve Doug Galt and his wife, Cathy, has been chosen one of 700 from among 8,000 applicants for the *Up with People* program.

Galt, who is a graduate of ENSS and is attending the University of Guelph, is one of 10 Canadian representatives in the 700-member touring company representing 25 countries that will travel the world with *Up with People* next year.

Up with People is a 25-year-old concept born of the peace-and-love mentality of North American young people in the 1960s. Carrying on that tradition of international brotherhood, *Up with People* chooses its successful applicants from among those who are talented in the performing arts, since this is a travelling performance, but, more importantly, from among young people who demonstrate outgoing, "people" personalities.

Last week, Galt explained to Cramahe council, while her father declared a conflict of interest and vacated the table, that this will be a "unique educational experience" for her.

She explained that, to cover her travel expenses, she worked two jobs this summer and held a yard sale and a quilt raffle. She has also approached local service clubs for donations. And, she requested the support of the township council, saying that she has performed community services right at home in Salem, helping with Salem

Sunday school and Brownies and voluntarily looking after the community flower beds every year. She was also a member of the Razz-ma-jazz singers from ENSS that perform at community functions.



Galt: *Up with People*

Up with People, according to the literature she provided for

council, is not just a touring musical and dance performance, but offers a "cross-cultural education," and provides young people with an opportunity to mix with a diverse group, travel to foreign countries and engage in unique opportunities for community service.

Five international casts will spend 11 months touring in the effort to "build understanding among nations." While on tour the company will be staying in the homes of 30,000 volunteer families around the world.

Coun. Jim Williams congratulated Galt on being selected for *Up with People*. He said he has had the chance to see the performance a few times and is very impressed with it and with the aims of the non-political, non-religious organization.

All of council expressed good wishes to Galt, but when it came to committing township money, they decided against it.

Said Coun. George Blyth, "I will personally support you,"

but he added that this year's budget has already been set and there is no provision for this.

Coun. Howard Whaley said he, too, thought *Up with People* sounded like a worthwhile venture, however, he pointed out that, if the township supported this, council could be inundated with requests from other students in the community wanting scholarships or like grants.

In the end, council, under the chairmanship of Deputy Reeve Stu Oliver, in the absence of Reeve Galt, voted to give Alanna a letter of support to take with her, but there will be no grant of money.

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Northumberland farms earned \$100,000,000

By D. F. YOUNG

Every five years Canadian farmers are required to take part in that exercise known as the Farm Census. Results of this census have been tabulated with various reports in the process of being released over the next two months. Here are some of the agricultural statistics as reported by Agriculture Canada.

A total of 68,000 farms were counted in the 1991 Census in Ontario. Twenty-seven percent reported cattle other than dairy with 16 percent reporting dairy. Eighty-two percent of Ontario farmers reported farm sizes between ten and 399 acres with only 11 percent over 400 acres.

Twenty-seven percent reported a gross farm income in excess of \$100,000 while 29.6 percent reported gross incomes of \$9,999 or less. About 50 percent of the farms generated \$25,000 gross income.

In Northumberland, the total number of farms was reported as 1,514 with a total gross farm receipt of approximately \$114,900,000. Fifteen percent reported sales of under \$2,500 while approximately 20 percent reported sales in excess of \$100,000 with 28 reporting gross sales in excess of \$500,000.

Individual or family farms were reported in 57 percent of the cases across Ontario, while another 25 percent were operated as partnerships without written agreements, and a further 9.9 percent were partnerships with written agreements.

Only 7.4 percent were operated as family corporations, while 1.2 percent were operated as non-family corporations.

Over 28,000 farms reported alfalfa or alfalfa mixtures while over 19,800 reported other tame hay. Twenty-one thousand and forty-one farms reported grain corn, while soybeans were grown on 14,678 farms, and silage corn on 11,097. Data from the Census Overview of Canadian Agriculture (catalogue 93-348) can be ordered by phoning 1-800-267-6677.

Hoards Station Market Report

Hoards Station Sale Barn Market Report for Aug. 25, 1992.

Bob Calves: good 90 - 105, top 110 - 140, sales to 155.00; Calves: 100 to 150 lbs., good 1.05 - 1.38, top 1.40 - 1.76; sales to 1.80; 150 to 400 lbs., good .96 - 1.14; top 1.15 - 1.30, sales to 1.31; Stocker Steers: 400 to 600 lbs., good 86 - 99, top 1.00 - 1.10, sales to 1.21; 600 to 800 lbs., good 82 - 93, top 94 - 100, sales to 1.03; 800 to 1000 lbs., good 80 - 91; top 92 - 97; sales to 98; Stocker Heifers: 400 to 600 lbs., good 80 - 91, top 92 - 1.00, sales to 111.50; 600 to 800 lbs., good 77 - 93, top 94 - 97, sales to 1.01; Cows: good 50- 56 top 57 - 63.50; sales to 65.50; Bulls: top 62 - 68, sales to 70; Springer Cows: good 750 - 1025; top 1050 - 1200, sales to 1280.00; Fresh

Cows: good 700 - 775, top 800 - 975, sales to 1020; Pigs: 25 to 35 lbs; 14 - 27.75; 35 to 40 lbs., 18 - 26; Shoats: 22.50 - 28.50; Sows: 28 - 34.25; Boars: 23 - 23.25; Top Stocker Steers: 400 to 600 lbs. 8st. 460 lbs. @ 1.21, John Scheepstra, Colborne; 600 to 800 lbs. 795 lbs. @ 1.00, Lee Dekeyser, Colborne; Top bob calf: 105 lbs. @ 1.80, Ralph Carlisle, Stirling; Top Calves: 150- 400 lbs. 315 lbs. @ 1.31, John Scheepstra, Colborne; Top Cows: 1550 lbs. @ 63.50, Gord Hubble, Frankford; Top Springer: \$1280.00, John Fox, Bloomfield; Top Fresh Cow: \$1020.00, Stuart Hutchins, Mississauga; Top Pigs: 4 pigs av. 28 lbs. @ 27.75, E. Broesma, Hastings.. Barn open every Monday until 10:00 p.m. Sale every Tuesday at 12:00 noon.