

FARM NEWS

From Halton's Farm Lands

Twenty-Four Courses Offered

The announcements for the fourth annual County Night School are now in the mail. These have been sent to all rural box holders in the county. In addition, a goodly supply has been made available for the urban residents of Acton, Georgetown, and Milton. In the event your copy went astray, an application or enrollment form will be found elsewhere in this issue.

A total of 24 courses are offered—six of these to be held in Acton and Georgetown, and the balance, in Milton. The courses open on Tuesday, November 17th, and will cover a period of 12 Tuesday nights, four previous to Christmas and eight after the new year.

The fee for all courses with the exception of the Welding Course at Milton, and the Metalcraft at Georgetown, is \$3.00 per person. In the welding class at Milton, and Metalcraft at Georgetown, because of extra costs involved, the fee has been set at \$10.00 or thereabouts.

Incidentally all applications must be sent forward to the Milton office of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Applications received by October 31st will determine the courses to be held, and furthermore, all individuals whose applications are in by this date will have equal opportunity of securing the course of their first choice.

Here is a list of the courses offered—

FOR MILTON ONLY—1. Clothing—(a) Elementary—Clothing; (b) Advanced Clothing; (c) Tailoring; (d) Children's Clothing; (e) Needlecraft, which includes one or more of the following: Needlepoint, Snooking, Crocheting, Tatting; (f) Millinery.

2. Farm Business: This is a new course, which was outlined in our news article of a week ago.

3. Effective Business Procedures: This, too, was outlined a week ago.

4. Farm and Home Mechanics: (a) Household Mechanics—designed for ladies; (b) Electric Welding.

5. Crafts: (a) Leathercraft; (b) Advanced Leathercraft; (c) Oil Painting (first year); (d) Oil Painting (second year); (e) Metalcraft; (f) Ceramics; (g) Box Loom Weaving.

6. Photography.

FOR ACTON ONLY (For further details contact Mrs. W. J. Beatty).
1. Oil Painting; 2. Public Speaking; 3. Plastics.

FOR GEORGETOWN ONLY (For further details contact Mrs. Lawrence Bell, or Mr. R. Licata).
1. Leathercraft; 2. Ceramics; 3. Metalcraft.

For further details concerning the courses at Milton, we would suggest you secure a copy of the announcement, or contact the Agricultural Office in Milton.

Halton 4H Club Teams Take High Standing in Provincial Contests

Four hundred and fifty-four 4H Club members from as far east as Renfrew, Carleton, and Russell to Essex in the south-west and Sudbury in the north, participated in the annual provincial 4H Club Contests held at Guelph on Friday last.

These young people ranging in age between 16 and 20 years represented 227 different 4H clubs in a total of eight different projects. Needless to state they were a fine cross section of Ontario's rural young people.

Alert, and clean cut—it was an inspiration to look into their faces.

The inter-club competition open to 4H Dairy Clubs, brought together a total of 56 club teams of two members each. Here the Maryboro 4H Holstein Club team from Wellington County, took first honors, with Halton's Norman Bird and Barry Archer representing the Halton 4H Holstein Club in second.

In the competition open to 4H Beef Clubs, 41 club teams battled it out with top honors going to the North Durham Beef and Dairy Club of Durham County. In second position was the team of the Guelph 4H Beef Club of Wellington County, nosing out Halton's charming team of Evelyn McCann and Katherine Merry by a two point margin.

Both Halton teams were coached by Art Bennett, Associate Agricultural Representative for Halton and Peel counties. To all four young people and their coach we extend our heartfelt congratulations on their splendid showing. We were very proud of them and we know you would have been too, had you been present at the banquet that same evening in the College Dining Hall, which was filled to capacity.

Art Bennett can also take a bow for helping coach the Caledon 4H Potato Club team of Peel County, into second position.

Halton was also worthy represented in the 4H Tractor Club Competition.

Durham County Big Winner

Durham County 4H Club teams coached by the veteran Agricultural Representative E. A. Summers and his assistant J. W. Brown, took top honors in no less than four of the eight projects—namely Beef, Swine, Grain and Potatoes. The other four top awards going to a Wellington County Club team in Dairy Cattle; Frontenac in Poultry; Renfrew in Forestry; and Peterboro in Tractor Competition.

C. D. Grahame Guest Speaker

Ontario's popular deputy minister of Agriculture, C. D. Grahame, delivered a stirring and inspiring address at the banquet, which brought the eventful and strenuous day's program to a close. It was a day which will long be remembered by the 454 young people who represented the 18,996 Club Members enrolled in the 1767 4H Clubs organized in Ontario in 1953.

County Agricultural Committee Tours Farm Ponds and Woodlots

Thursday of last week saw Reeve J. J. Stewart of Acton, chairman of Halton's Committee on Agriculture and Reforestation, together with the

members of his committee, make an inspection tour of a number of the farm ponds constructed under Halton's Farm Pond Policy.

The ponds visited were those of Mrs. M. Beaudet of Hawthorne Lodge, near Milton; L. Scotland, near Ash; A. M. Sherwood, near Zimmerman; Erwin Gunly of Tansley; and Geo. S. Atkins, near Palermo. All five ponds were constructed in 1953 and represent a cross section of the 20 odd ponds which will qualify for the subsidy this year.

Accompanying Reeve Stewart were Warren Geo. Leslie, Reeve Stanley Morrish of Nassagaweya; Reeve Emerson Ford; and Deputy Reeve Robert Marshall of Trafalgar and Deputy Reeve Wilfred Bird of Esqueping townships.

The tour also included a visit to the W. E. Brecken pond near Appleby, which was constructed in 1952, and the Paul Fisher pond on the escarpment west of Nelson village, which was Halton's first venture in the conservation of water.

Also Visit Woodlots

Unfortunately, we were unable to accompany the party in the afternoon when a tour was made of a number of Halton County forestry plantations, under the leadership of C. R. Groves, Zone Forester.

Unique in the RCAF training program is the Survival Training School which operates at Edmonton and Hargryone, Alta. and Cambridge Bay, N.W.T., within the Arctic Circle. It is designed to instruct the men who fly over the Northland in methods of bush and Arctic survival.

Dishes, Silverware For 100 Purchased

Dishes and silverware for 100 lotteries have been purchased for the Y.M.C.A. as well as kitchen needs. It was reported at the regular meeting of the Y Ladies' Auxiliary, held in the Y on Tuesday, October 13 The president, Mrs. J. Hurst, was in charge.

A check for \$260 has been donated to the Y Board to be used toward furnishings for the Y.

A report was given on the Inter-Provincial Y Ladies' Auxiliaries' Conference that was held in Kitchener-Waterloo Y.M.C.A. on October 8th with five members of the Acton group attending.

Final arrangements were made for the euchre to be held with the Penny sale.

A report was given on the Nursery school which is sponsored by the Auxiliary. Up to date approximately 40 children are enrolled.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction. A social time and lunch followed the meeting, with D. Schmuul entertaining with piano selections which were enjoyed by everyone.

DON'T WAVE GOOD-BYE TO THIS GOOD BUY!

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HALTON NIGHT SCHOOL ENROLMENT FORM

(Form to be completed and mailed by October 31st)

Mr. _____
Mrs. _____
Miss _____

(Please state) _____ wishes to enrol in First Choice _____

Second Choice _____ (Be specific)

I would like to attend classes at Acton _____ Georgetown _____ Milton _____

(Be certain courses applied for are offered in centre indicated)

The sum of \$1.00 is enclosed as part payment of fee; the balance will be paid on November 17th.

Address _____ Rural Route No. _____
(If rural) Township _____ Lot _____ Con. _____

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