

FARM NEWS

From Halton's Farm Lands

Junior Section At Milton Fair

1955 marked the fifth anniversary of the inauguration of the Special Junior Farmer Section at Halton's Class B Fair. Always a feature, this year's effort was generally considered to be not only the largest but the best all round display to date. The Junior Farmers, under the leadership of President John W. Pickett, the 4-H Club Members, and their leaders, may well be proud of the result of their efforts.

Mrs. Agnes King, Home Economist for Wentworth, Waterloo and Brant counties, and Professor O. Kennedy of the Animal Husbandry Department at the Ontario Agricultural College, were the official judges and both not only highly of the displays, generally but intimated that the Halton Junior Section was by far the best they had seen this year. As a matter of fact, judging by comments which have come to our ears from those who get around the province, the Halton Junior Section is just about the best to be seen anywhere in Ontario.

Milton Junior Institute Tops

The Dominion Stores Special for the best educational display of the 34 exhibits was awarded to that of the Milton Junior Institute. The theme here was what the Junior Homemaker should wear on various occasions. The reserve, according to Professor Kennedy, was won by the Halton 4-H Grain Club display. Both exhibits, and in fact all of those who were awarded "Grade A" (red ribbons) were neatness personified—told their respective stories with a directness that left no question in the minds of the casual observer—and yet with taste and attractiveness that was a joy to behold.

The awards were as follows:
Class 1—Junior Farmer Displays
 Acton, Milton and Palermo (all Grade B).
Class 2—Junior Institute Displays
 Grade A—Milton and Palermo.
 Grade B—Norval.
 Grade C—Acton.
Class 3—4-H Agricultural Clubs
 Grade A—Halton 4-H Grain Club, Halton 4-H Holstein Calf Club, Halton 4-H Jersey and Guer-

sey Calf Club and Halton 4-H Potato Club.
 Grade B—Milton 4-H Forestry Club and Georgetown 4-H Forestry Club.
 Grade C—Norval 4-H Tractor Club and Halton 4-H Swine Club.
Class 4—4-H Homemaking Clubs
 Grade A—Lowville, Nelson and Norval Clubs.
 Grade B—Ashgrove, Hornby and Omagh Clubs.
 Grade C—Lincolnton.
Class 5—4-H Home Garden Clubs
 Grade A—Ashgrove, Hornby, Omagh and Scotch Block Clubs.
 Grade B—Lowville and Dublin Clubs.
 Grade C—Nelson Club.
Class 6—Third Year Garden Displays
 Grade A—Shirley Downs and Ruth Robertson.
 Grade B—Helen Bruecker and Evelyn McKay.
 Grade C—Carole Hunter and Audrey Peacock.

Champion Exhibit

While no special prize was offered for the best bale of hay in the show, Professor Kennedy intimated that if there were, such an award would go to the entry of second crop hay exhibited by Alfred Ford of Omagh. In our opinion this entry should go on to the Provincial Hay Show at Woodstock this coming winter. It will be recalled that last winter the entry of A. R. Coulter of Campbellville took the reserve championship at that show. However, to get back to the Halton Hay Exhibit, here are the awards:

Bale of first cut hay—1st, A. R. Coulter; 2nd, L. W. Coulson; 3rd, Edwin Harrop; 4th, Alfred Ford; 5th, Ward Brownridge.
 Bale of second cut hay—1st, Alfred Ford; 2nd, Florence McCann; 3rd, Len Shepherd; 4th, A. R. Coulter; 5th, Ward Brownridge.
 Field chopped hay—1st, Mac Alexander; 2nd, R. A. Hurren; 3rd, Brock Harris; 4th, L. W. Coulson.
 Hay silage—1st, Mac Alexander; 2nd, R. A. Hurren; 3rd, Gordon Hurren; 4th, Brock Harris.

Com. Hay Exhibit

If the exhibits in this section are typical of the quality of hay Halton livestock will receive this coming winter, it augurs well for efficient production and perhaps a slack winter for Halton veterinarians. Professor O. Kennedy, noted hay authority, also officiated in this section.

Halton Members Plan To Attend Co-op Meetings

Four Halton residents, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hume, Milton; Mrs. W. R. G. Johnson, R.R. 6, Milton and Mrs. Roy Coulter, Campbellville, members of the Halton Co-Operative Medical Services, have been named delegates to the Co-Op Convention to be held at Geneva Park, Lake Couchiching, September 29 to October 1.

The convention is a co-operative undertaking of three provincial organizations; Co-Operative Union of Ontario, Co-Operative Medical Services Federation, and the Ontario Co-Operative Credit Society.

The CUO assists groups organizing co-operatives and provides legislative and educational services for member organizations. The CMSF has a co-operative prepayment hospitalization and surgical benefit plan. The OCCS acts as a co-operative bank, making loans to credit unions and co-operatives across the province.

Representatives from most of Ontario's 300 co-operatives and many of the province's 1,200 credit unions are expected to attend these meetings.

The Liberal party has formed the government in Ottawa for 20 consecutive years.

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Church Has 119th Anniversary W.M.S. Organized 60 Years Ago

The 119th Anniversary of Nassagaweya Presbyterian church was observed last Sunday with a large congregation attending both services. The Rev. C. D. Henderson of Appin was the guest minister.

Special music was provided by the choir. Mr. and Mrs. B. Eaton sang a duet in the morning and Mrs. Eaton a solo at the evening service.

The Rev. C. D. Henderson of Appin was present and took part in the service. His mother was one of the faithful members and held office for several years.

A dainty lunch was served in the school room with Mrs. H. Donavan and Mrs. Thomas Allison pouring tea. The table was centred with a three storey cake surrounded with heather. Mrs. John Allison of Acton, a former member, cut the cake, thus closing a continuous 60 years of work for the Minister. May the torch that the ladies of 1895 have handed down to us be a beacon of "Light" for years to come.

W.M.S. Anniversary
 The Missionary Society of Nassagaweya Presbyterian church held a special meeting on Wednesday afternoon to celebrate their 60th anniversary. Guests were present from neighboring churches and officers from the Guelph Presbyterian.

Mrs. J. D. Cleghorn of Paisley Block was the guest speaker. Miss Donna McMillan rendered a beautiful solo, The Robe of Calvary, accompanied by Douglas Dredge, who was the organist for the meeting. The scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Roy Allan and was taken from Psalm 47. This psalm was read at the first meeting 60 years ago.

Mrs. John Early read the history of the Nassagaweya Auxiliary of the W.M.S. and a letter was read by Mrs. A. Padbury from Mrs. John Milne of Preston, the only living member of the first Auxiliary, expressing regret at not being able to attend and wishing success for the future years.

The president 60 years ago was Mrs. Archibald Blair and the present president is Mrs. David Henderson, who was in charge of the meeting.

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At 12 p.m. the following:
DUAL PURPOSE CATTLE—DP
 cow, 5 years, calf at foot; DP cow, 5 years, calf at foot; DP cow, 3 years, due time of sale; DP heifer, 6 years, due time of sale; DP heifer, 2 years, due time of sale; DP cow, 4 years, bred Feb. 9; DP cow, 7 years, bred Feb. 14; DP cow, 5 years, bred March 15; DP cow, 6 years, bred Apr. 10; DP cow, 4 years, bred Apr. 27; DP cow, 7 years, bred May 17; DP cow, 3 years, bred June 3; DP cow, 3 years, bred June 15; DP cow, 5 years, bred Aug. 20; 2 stockers: 1 steer, 16 months; 1 heifer, 16 months; 3 heifers, 10 months; 2 heifers, 6 months; 1 steer, 6 months; 1 steer, 4 months; 2 baby beef.
 Herd sire, Knollwood Forester 557793, born Nov. 20, 1953, bred by Wm. and G. D. Smith, Hespler, Ont.

PIGS, FEED AND HARNESS
 10 good chunks; 7 good chunks; about 38 ton of good baled hay; quantity of loose hay; about 600 bus of seed oats; about 400 bus of mixed grain; 2 sets heavy harness; horse collars.

TRACTORS AND FARM EQUIPMENT—McD. WD4 tractor on rubber completely equipped in good condition; 9 1/2 inch pulley for W4; McD. 2-furrow tractor plow; Ford tractor on rubber, in good condition; 2-furrow Ferguson plow, new; McD. 2 ft. power mower, nearly new; Samuel Mulkey 24 ft. bale elevator, new; Bissell 14 and 16 plate tractor disc; Bean orchard

sprayer, with engine and 40 gal. tank; McD. 3-bar side delivery rake, nearly new; McD. manure spreader; M.H. 7 ft. binder; M.H. 12-inch grain grinder; McD. 13-disc grain drill; slide frame circular saw with 28-inch blade; M.H. hay loader; McD. 5 ft. mower; M.H. 2-row horse scuffer; single scuffer; M.H. 3-drum steel roller; McD. 14-plate horse disc; McD. 13-spring tooth cultivator; McD. dump rake; McD. 4-section harrows; rubber tired wagon; 16 ft. flat hay rack; roller rack for 16 ft. rack; set of sloop sleighs, with new shoeing; 40 gal. barrel sprayer; 2-furrow walking plow; 2 single walking plows; rack for 2-wheel trailer; set of scales; bag truck; bag holder; wheelbarrow; steel water trough; Stewart horse clippers; self feeder for hogs; emery stone; grass seeder; loading chute; wagon box; set of slings; new sling car; 30 ft. extension ladder; stock rack; cutter; gravel box; 5 ft. cross cut saw; long handle pruner; lifters for McD. binder; pile of hardwood; pile of rails; 2 logging chains; post hole spoon; forks, shovels, tools, etc.

DAIRY AND ELECTRICAL
 De Laval 2-unit milking machine complete, with 1 h.p. motor; McD. power cream separator; 700 lb. like new; electro pail water heater; Woods' oat roller; electric 500 chick brooder; electric fence; milk pails; milk strainer.

FURNITURE—Medium size roll top desk; 3 piece chesterfield suite; Astral refrigerator; Easy washer; bedroom suite; dresser with mirror; wash stand; odd chair; rug 10x12; folding steel cot; oil heater; ice box; Findlay cream enamel cook stove; McClary coal or wood range; Force range; enamel sink; curtains and other articles.

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