

Alter Bus Routes, Name Teachers In Eramosa Township School Area

Eramosa Township School Board has made several changes in arrangements for accommodation for pupils beginning in September during their recent meeting. It was also learned that Schools Nos. 1 and 5 were closed in June.

Under the new arrangements, the following pupils will be transferred:

Grades 1 to 5 from No. 5 school will be transported to No. 4 1/2; grades 6, 7 and 8 from 5 and 4 1/2 will be transported to No. 4; grades 1, 2 and 3 from No. 4 will be transported to No. 3; grades 7 and 8 from Nos. 2, 3, 6 and 10 will be accommodated in the senior room at No. 2 school as in previous years.

The new arrangements will mean that No. 3 school will have grades 1 to 6; No. 4 school will have grades 4 to 8; No. 4 1/2 school will have grades 1 to 5; schools 6 and 10 will have grades 1 to 6. The transportation for these pupils will be provided by Fred Elliot of Guelph. The route of travel will be commenced at No. 2 school, thence to Nos. 10, 6, 5, 4 1/2, 4, 3 and return to No. 2.

Lower Section

In the lower part of the township, the transportation will be looked after by Arnold Duffield. Grades 1 to 6 from No. 1 school will be transported to No. 2; grades 7 and 8 from No. 2 school will be transported to No. 11; grades 7 and 8 from No. 7 and 8 schools will be transported to No. 9. The route of travel will be 7 and 8 from No. 7 to 11; grades 1 to 6 from No. 1 to No. 9 and grades 7 and 8 from Nos. 7 and 8 to No. 9.

The board has requested that pupils should be at their point of pick-up the first day in order to establish a definite schedule.

List Teaching Staff

The following teachers comprise the teaching staff for the Eramosa Township School Area for the term 1962-1963.

No. 2 school — Senior room, Mrs. Florence Hindley; junior room, Mrs. Ruth Rutherford.

No. 3 school — Mrs. Irene Hindley.

No. 4 school — Miss Nellie M. Stickney.

No. 4 1/2 school — Mrs. Lenora G. Walker.

No. 6 school — Mrs. Margaret Adsett.

No. 7 school — Mr. Stephen W. Lewis.

No. 8 school — Miss Gloria Pemberton.

No. 9 school — Grade 8, Mr. David Armstrong; grade 7, Mrs. Mary Nellis; grade 6, Mrs. Hazel M. Wood; grade 5, Mr. Glen Findlay; grade 4, Mrs. Elizabeth Harwood; grade 3, Mrs. Kathleen Wyndham; grade 2, Mrs. Marlon Tubman; grade 1, Mrs. Violet Kramp.

No. 10 school — Miss Irene Small.

No. 11 school — Senior room, Mr. Samuel Symons; junior room, Mrs. Susanne Meadows. Music supervisor — Mr. Lester C. Reist. Remedial teacher — Mr. Clifford Hincks.

War on Weeds in Halton Fight Barberrry, Buckthorn to Cut Losses in Farmers' Grain

County Weed Inspector Vern McArthur and his municipal inspectors through the county are concentrating their attention at this time of year on two shrubs that are present in Halton. They are not the problem that some of the counties have to face, but they need to be looked after before they get to be a serious menace to the farmer.

The annual losses suffered by the farmers of Halton from leaf and stem rust disease of cereal grains could be reduced by the eradication of these two shrubs — Common Barberrry and European Buckthorn. The worst offender is the Common Barberrry as it is the host plant of the stem rust organism which attacks wheats, oats and barley. European Buckthorn plays the same part in perpetuating leaf rust of oats.

Offer Weed Bounty

Field Crops Branch, Department of Agriculture, not only outlaws these shrubs, but in effect, offers a bounty for their destruction. This through the county council, is in the form of a subsidy of 50 per cent of the cost of the chemicals to any county co-operating in this "anti-rust" campaign; the subsidy not to exceed \$600 in any one year. Since chemical treatment is cheap and effective, the total outlay of \$1,200 in a county, properly administered, could substantially reduce the rust hazard to grain crops. Leaf and stem rust are recognized as the most serious of cereal diseases.

Plant breeders have attacked this problem by developing "rust-resistant" strains of grains. Success has only been temporary.

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The European Buckthorn is a shrub from six to 18 feet tall. The leaves are dark green, glossy, two to three inches long and oval shaped. The bush is easily found in the late fall because its leaves remain green after the leaves of the other shrubs have faded. The main veins of the leaf do not extend to the edge, but curve upwards toward the tip.

The small, greenish flowers are followed by black, round, very bitter berries, borne in clusters. The Buckthorn is a host plant for the leaf rust of oats. In the spring, the cluster cup stage of this disease develops on the underside of the Buckthorn leaves. From these cluster cups the disease spreads to the oats.

"This year the weeds got an early start in Halton County," reports Weed Inspector McArthur. "The hot spell slowed the grass growth and allowed the taproot weeds to flourish." Conditions were such that re-growth was able to take place, particularly in the case of Wild Carrot, commonly known as "Queen Ann's Lace," the Inspector noted.

"During the season the Hydro and Bell Telephone companies have been very cooperative in keeping their properties clean of weeds." "But some of the railroad right-of-ways are very dirty, being heavily infested with noxious weeds," said the Inspector. He is meeting with the railroads and is "insisting on improvement."

Many counties have applied for the available grants and are now conducting county-wide Barberrry and Buckthorn control programs. Large hedges may be removed with a bulldozer or cut and the stumps are sprayed, while till fresh, with commercial mixtures of 2, 4-D and 2, 4, 5-T called "Brushkillers" in fuel oil. Spray to soak all stumps and exposed roots. This treatment is effective at any time of the year as long as snow cover does not prevent the spray from contacting the stumps.

Recently several weed killing chemicals have appeared on the market in a granular form which may prove useful in the killing of the Barberrry and Buckthorn bushes.



MARRIED IN Ospringle Presbyterian Church were Angie Eckerich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Eckerich, Grand View Farms, R.R. 2, Acton, and Martin de Bruyn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cristofer de Bruyn, R.R. 3, Milton. They are living in Erin.

Angie Eckerich, Martin de Bruyn Are Married in Ospringle Church

Bouquets of gladioli decorated Ospringle Presbyterian Church on August 18 for the wedding of Angie Marie Eckerich and Martin de Bruyn. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Eckerich of Grand View Farms, R. R. 2, Acton, and has taught public school in Erin since 1961. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cristofer de Bruyn of R. R. 3, Milton.

The bride's grandfather, 76 years of age, came from Germany for the wedding.

Rev. Snelgrove of Erin officiated at the wedding. Mrs. Marshall of Hillsburgh played the organ and Mrs. E. Wright sang.

Young Ring Bearers

The bride's sister made her wedding gown and she carried red roses. Miss Eileen Dykes of Irlington was bridesmaid.

The bride's two young attendants were a sister of the groom, Theresa de Bruyn, four, and a nephew of the bride, Norman Walz, four.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, John de Bruyn, a brother of the groom, was groomsman, while the ushers were Hugh Eckerich, brother of the bride, and Gerhard de Bruyn, brother of the groom.

Reception in Garden

The reception was held in the garden of the bride's parents' farm. Among the guests were the principal and staff of Erin public school and H. F. Wilkens, a cousin of the bride's mother, from Bovina Centre, New York. The couple left on a vacation to Sundridge. They are living in Erin.

The bride went to public school at Campbellville, high school at Milton, Erin and Guelph and then to Teachers' College in New Toronto.

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A District Enrolment Office is located at 600 Frederick Street in Kitchener, under the direction of Mr. William J. Pratt, to serve parents' interest throughout this part of Central Ontario. Mr. Pratt advises that enrolment in The Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan is open to all children up to the age of eight (8) years and that the enrolment of a child is not necessarily limited to parents since grandparents, or any person any child Business organizations, trade unions, service clubs, fraternal groups or others may enroll any child. Mr. Pratt points out that there are many aspects to the Plan and that each family, because of the varying ages and number of children, must be treated individually. Mr. Gordon B. Smith of Erin has been appointed and trained as a Counsellor to give attention to the growing interest in The Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan among Erin, Hillsburgh, Orton, Ospringle, Alton, Glen Williams and District parents.

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How all of us here in Acton love to see our children going back-to-school! Scrubbed and outfitted... young, active, healthy... enjoying their new important role as students. That route they take going to and from school seems simple enough to you. But to the eager child, it holds many dangers — dangers that can be avoided if you take time out this first back-to-school week to give your child the benefit of these safety rules:

- (1) Plot the safest route for your child to take to school. A route away from heavy or dangerous traffic, even if it's a little longer.
- (2) Take the younger children to school personally for the first week, pointing out the hazards along the way. Tell them where to cross the street... where not to. Explain what the traffic lights mean.
- (3) Be sure to tell children to wait 'til approaching cars come to a full stop before crossing. The driver may not see the children or his brakes may not work, or his brakes may not work.
- (4) Give children riding bikes to school all the necessary cycling safety instructions.
- (5) Tell children to obey the signals of the Policemen and crossing guards always.
- (6) Ask your older children to watch the younger one... and keep them in line if they're disobeying any rules of safety.

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