

Visit in Halton

Asian Agricultural Workers

A representative group of Halton County Farmers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coulter, Campbellville, recently to meet two visitors from South-East Asia who are in agricultural work there.

The young men were accompanied by Mrs. Edith Storr, Ontario Secretary of Radio Farm Forum who introduced them to the group, and Henri Vandermeulen,

employed by the Canadian Broadcasting Company where the visitors have been observing various programs and activities.

A congenial exchange of agricultural methods and projects of both countries proved both interesting and informative to all present. "Two Ways to Market", the most recent topic in the Farm Radio Forum program was earnestly discussed, giving all much food for thought along the lines of Co-operatives versus Marketing Boards.

Mary: How is your room heated?

Clarice: By yelling at the janitor.

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Seek Policy on Crop Disaster Aid

"Farmers have a bad habit of sitting around and doing nothing until they are affected by a disaster," Mrs. Doris Lawrence stated at the annual meeting of the Halton County Federation of Agriculture held in Bethel United Church, Drummond, on Thursday.

particular to the two-hour hail storm in Halton County on August 11 that resulted in over \$300,000 damage to the crops and buildings of Halton farmers.

Following further discussion a motion was passed stating that the directors of the Halton Federation send a brief to the Ontario Federation asking the O.F.A. to ask the government for some definite policy on crop disaster assistance.

mitter met with the Hon. William Stewart, Ontario Minister of Agriculture, but Mr. Stewart informed the committee that there was presently no legislation that provided for assistance under these circumstances.

ing. Dr. John Brown of Milton, an official with the Ontario Food Council, explained that legislation has been passed to make the council a provincial organization under the government.

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