

New Drivers' Training Course Discussed by High School Board

High school students wishing to take the driver training course approved by the board in April may find their wish frustrated by a decision made by the board on Monday.

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Monday evening at the board meeting transportation committee chairman Don Moffat told members he had been unable to obtain a car as local car dealers were not interested in supplying a car. Mr. Moffat also pointed out the department would provide dual controls and a sign for the car but it was up to the board to provide the vehicle.

Following several meetings with Donald Edwards of the Department of Transport when he explained details of the new program, board members agreed in principle with the plan. At that time, the department representative told board members it was possible to charge each student taking the course \$10. He also stated the department would assist the board by providing all literature, lists of charge and help obtain a vehicle.

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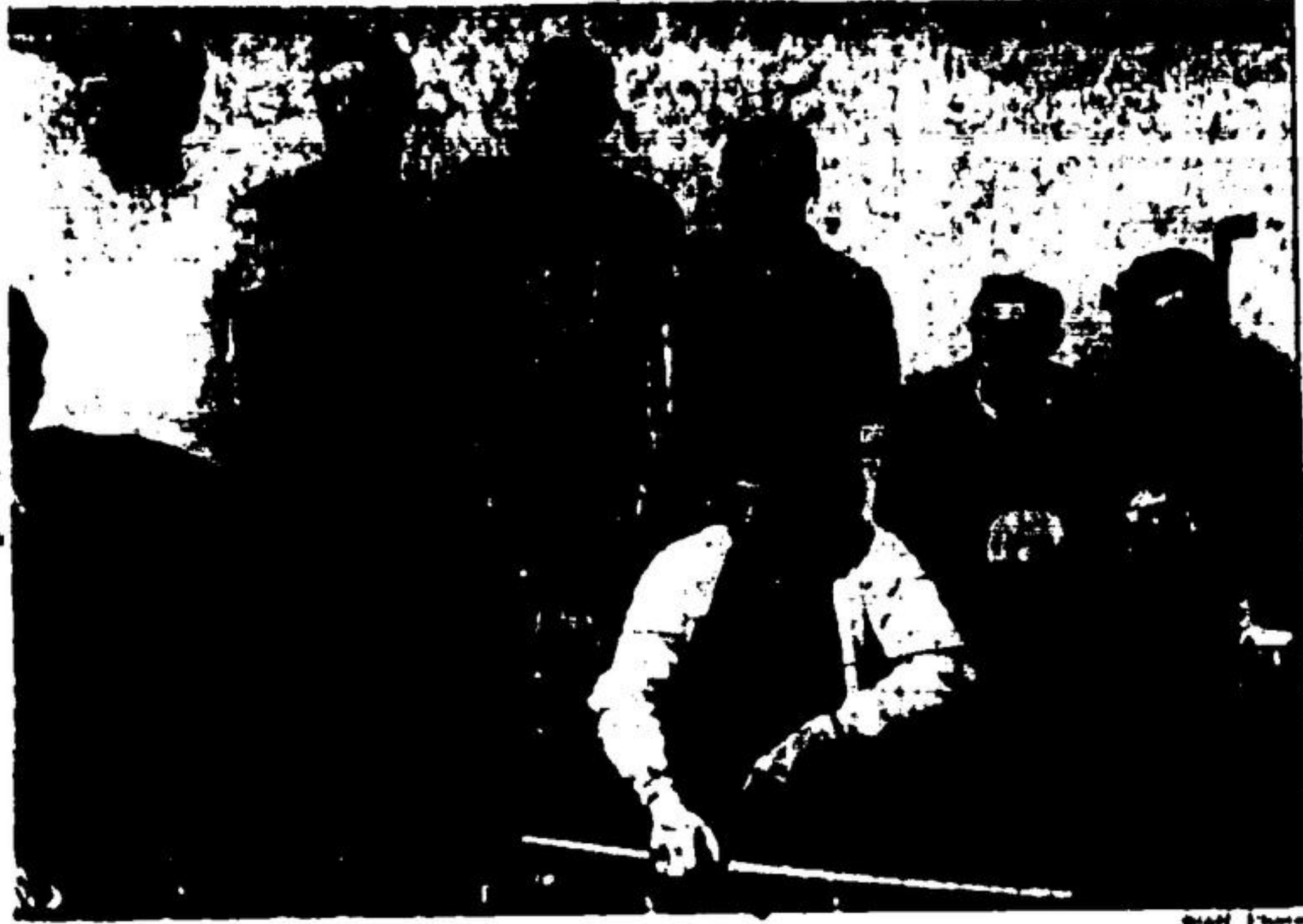
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PLOWING CONDITIONS were excellent at the Brock Harris farm on the Appleby line just south of 10 Suburban as six young plowmen competed for Halton County Junior Plowing League. George Beckton of R.R. 2, Burlington had the high score for the day and earned the J. J. White lock Memorial trophy while Bryan Marshall and Roy May finished tops in the senior class and earned the right to represent Halton County at the International Plowing Match in October. Plowmen with judge George Howat were: Roy May, George Beckton, Bryan Marshall, Larry Pickett, Brian McGill and Brian Rossey.

Voluntary Basis

Change Vaccination Program

Callroad vaccination under the Strachan Act will be placed on a voluntary rather than a compulsory basis on January 1 of next year, the Veterinary Services Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture announced today. However, the Department will continue to pay for the vaccination service rendered to livestock owners by veterinarians.

In Harold Weston, Director of the Branch has outlined all other details of the change in the governing legislation, and has advised the profession that

commencing January 1, 1966, the age limits for vaccination will be from the fourth month birth date to not later than the sixth month birth date.

Although it is legal until the end of 1965 to vaccinate cattle up to and including the sixth month birth date, farmers and veterinarians are urged to take the necessary steps to ensure that the sixth month birth date is observed.

It is further noted that the Department is in the process of amending the Strachan Act to provide for a more comprehensive and effective vaccination program.

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Ladies' Meetings, Visitors Prominent in District News

The W.M.S. met recently at the home of Mrs. Hathaway for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Mullen opened the meeting by singing Psalm 19 to the concert for a time. Mrs. Ed Dredge read Psalm 101 and Mrs. Norris read the Glad Tidings Prayer.

The program for the 15th anniversary was displayed and all agreed. The Moffat Municipal Printing made a real nice job of them.

Mrs. Ed Dredge was in charge of the program and her topic was higher cost of the Chevrolet. The High Cost was paid by our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ and many of us serve the Lord with the cheapest price as we like to choose our lives on our own terms.

The Ladies Aid met the same day but there was not much business to do. Mrs. Nash of Stone Creek has accepted the invitation to speak at the luncheon later in the fall.

There were 14 members and two visitors present.

Race Winners Listed St. Alban's Picnic

Over 100 enjoyed St. Alban's church congregational picnic at Ketchikan Conservation area Sunday afternoon. Running of the program of races and contests were the Rev. R. McMurray, Thomas Lynch and Ernest Coker with assistance of other parishioners. Mrs. Harold Denny recorded the winners. There were prizes for all the youngsters.

Race winners were:
Five years and under, boys and girls running race, James Ellerby, Barbara Turkosz, Gavin McMurray.

Seven years and under girls balloon hop, Gillie McMurray, Barbara Turkosz, Patsy Storey.
Boys seven years and under ankle race, Brad Wallace, James Ellerby, Clifford Creasey.

Girls eight years and under, bubble gum race, Sharon Creasey, Pauline Lynch, Diane Buckman.
Boys eight and under balloon ankle race, Sandy Pratt, James Lynch, Brad Wallace.

Girls nine years, ball and pencil race, Janet Storey, Jane Withers, Janice Storey.
Girls 10 and under, pop bottle race, Laurie Mellor, Susan Drysdale, Bonnie Bristow.

Boys 10 and under, knife and bean race, Stephen Mellor, Brad Wallace, Bill Fricker.
Boys 12 and under, spoon and peanut race, John Last, the Bill Fricker and Randy Coker, James Ellerby.

Boys and girls eight years and under, sack race, Sharon Creasey, Pauline Lynch, James Ellerby, Clifford Creasey.

Girls nine years and under, sack race, Janet Storey, Sandra Denny, Bonnie Bristow.
Girls 12 and under, spoon and peanut race, Susan Drysdale, the Jane Withers and Sandra Denny, Janet Storey.

Girls 13 years, egg push, Rosalind Hall, Brenda Denny, Lucienne Pratt.

Boys and girls, 13 years and under, pie eating contest, girls feeding boys, Rosalind Hall and John New, Brenda Denny and Randy Coker, Joanne Dunn and Bill Fricker.

Boys and girls, nine years and under, pie eating contest, girls feeding boys, Janet Storey and James Ellerby, Sharon Creasey and James Lynch, Patricia Lynch and Michael Mitchell.

Men and women, egg throwing contest, Mary Creasey and Vic Bristow, Mary Dodgson and Rev. R. McMurray.

Men and women, relay race, egg on a spoon, Mrs. McMurray and Fred New, Mary Dodgson and Rev. R. McMurray, Allan Ellerby and Marion Storey.

Men and women, threading the needle, Olive Ellerby and Allan Ellerby, Marion Storey and Wes Storey, Eileen New and Fred Storey.

Degree of C.A. For Rod Force

Rod Force, who for ten years continued his education extra-murally, this month received his C.A. degree. He studied through the Certified Public Accountants Association and finally in the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario.

Mr. Force was educated at Acton Elementary and Secondary Schools and Ryerson Institute in business and merchandising, earning his business administration diploma at the Shaw Business Schools, Toronto.

Four years ago Rod joined his father, H. R. Force Sr., and his brother Don W. Force in the operation of Force Electric Products Limited. He is married, living in Brampton, and has three daughters.

During that time the local industry has substantially expanded its operations including marked progress in foreign trade. Both H. R. Force Sr. and Rod Force have taken part in government sponsored trade missions overseas. The firm has become something of a pattern for independent owned small and medium manufacturers and has cooperated with the Federal and Provincial governments in promoting this "grassroots" type of enterprise, working for Canadian ownership and employment.

The company now looks forward to further expansion primarily through its second generation people and it is anticipated this new generation will take over active operation in the near future. The successful completion of Rod's advanced education and training will mean a lot to the industry, and all those connected with it, during this transition.

The firm started in the 20's and moved to Acton in 1948 and is currently engaged in the manufacture of a wide range of electrical and gas appliances.

H. R. Force Sr. is president, Rod Force vice president for administration and Don Force vice president, sales.

Legion Ladies Tour Chalk River Plant

Legion Ladies Auxiliary in Acton held their fall meeting last Thursday night at the Legion Hall with the president, Mrs. D. Rogers in the chair.

Plans are going ahead for the fall bazaar in October. There will be a social evening on Oct. 28. Members are asked to please contact Mrs. I. Macaulay as soon as possible.

The anniversary dinner will be held Sept. 24. Members are asked to please phone the secretary when they get their letters stating whether they will be attending or not.

The ladies enjoyed a wonderful bus trip last Saturday. They travelled to Pembroke where the Legion served them a lovely Smorgasbord dinner and then went on to Chalk River where they toured the atomic plant there. Last reports were that they were ready to go again anytime. After the meeting, lunch was served and a social hour followed.

Sprechen Sie Deutsch?

German lessons given each Saturday morning at the W. I. Dick School, Milton, sponsored by the Halton County German-Canadian Club, have drawn 21 students. Several are from Acton and district. The lessons in German are given each Saturday during the school year.

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