



**ALL ABOARD FOR ITALY**... 20 Holstein heifers, collected at Jim Carney's farm in Esquesing, left Toronto airport for Italy on Monday evening, to participate in a big cattle show and promote Canadian cattle. Herdsman Frank

Meisner of Woodstock is shown loading one of the heifers into a truck at the Carney farm Monday evening. The 20 are on the government's fifth overseas trade mission to foreign countries. (Staff Photo)

**Collected at Carney farm**

**Airlift 20 heifers to Italy**

Esquesing farmer Jim Carney has a new part time occupation - showing off Canada's best livestock in foreign countries on behalf of the Canadian Department of Trade and Commerce.

Jim left Monday evening with 20 excellent Holstein heifers on a four-week trade junket to Italy, where the cattle will be displayed at a three-day international dairy show in Cremona, billed as "The Most Important Centre of Dairy Cattle in Italy". He is one of three herdsmen assigned to handle, prepare and show the heifers.

The trip is the Canadian Government's fifth big cattle junket to foreign countries. They started in the fall of 1965 with a trip to France. Last year Canadian cattle flew to Yugoslavia and Mexico, and this year's trips are to Italy and France.

Mr. Carney was on the flight to Yugoslavia last year and enjoyed it so much he didn't have to think twice before saying "Yes" to Italy's sales mission.

His farm on Five Sideroad has been used as the collecting point for each of the five herds since he sold his own herd of Holsteins a couple of years ago.

The stables in his modern barn are ideally suited for collecting the herds, and are well located for assembling the cattle for shipment -- being close to the airport, Highway 401 and the central Ontario farmlands where the majority of the cattle are selected.

The heifers were loaded into crates at Toronto international airport late Monday evening for the flight to Malpensa, Italy, and from there they enter an isolation station on a farm near Cremona for two weeks. On September 14 they'll move to the show grounds at Cremona for the three-day show September 15 to 17.

During and after the show, Italian cattlemen will submit tender bids on the heifers and all but one will be sold to the highest bidder. The sale will be arranged

by the Holstein-Friesian Association and the Canadian consul in Milan.

The one which won't be sold is a gift to the Vatican from Romandale Farms.

Each heifer was consigned to the shipment by the individual owner, who also puts up the \$600 air freight. Just one of the 20 came from this area -- it was selected from the Georgetown district farm of Art McKane.

Project officer Jim Stewart, who arranges all the Department's trade missions overseas, explained the heifers are the tops in type and pedigree in Canada. Before shipping, all were groomed, cleaned, trimmed and clipped and from their arrival in Italy until sale time, each heifer will be meticulously groomed by herdsmen Carney, Frank Meisner and Paul Jensen of Woodstock. Both Meisner and Jensen have been on previous sales missions and it's the third trip overseas for Meisner.

In-training at Toronto Western Hospital is on holidays this week, she is at Expo with friends. Mrs. Sayers of Acton is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law Ward and Mrs. Bruce.

**Skip contest**

Acton band will not be represented in the competitions at the Canadian National Exhibition this year. Georgetown band, which won championships for three consecutive years, will not be entered this year either.

**Ladies' night**

Tuesday evening the Rotary club enjoyed a ladies' night at the Nassagaweya farm home of member Lou Procius.

**Dairy Princess 148 problems to date, reports competes at Ex Family Counselling Service Monday, Aug. 28**

Carol Swackhamer, Halton's Dairy Princess, will compete for the provincial title at the C.N.E. on Monday, August 28.

Carol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Swackhamer of R.R. 2, Acton, received the county crown at the Hornby Garden party.

Although she is at the C.N.E. all the day of the competition, her interview is at 4 p.m. and she milks at 6 p.m. After waiting, touring, being given lunch and being interviewed, the milking "just takes 16 minutes", she explained.

Forty-one county Dairy Princesses will compete in the 12th Annual Ontario Dairy Princess Competition at the Canadian National Exhibition commencing on Monday, August 21 through Thursday, August 31.

Five of the girls will compete the first eight evenings at 6:00 o'clock in the main ring of the Coliseum in the preliminary

In a resume of Halton County Family Counselling Service activities submitted to the County Council last week, director Ronnie Vivian shows he conducted a total of 431 interviews in April, May and June.

The total is broken down into the following categories, husband and wife, husband only, wife only, parent-child, single person, pre-marriage and collateral. Of the 481 total, 323 are accounted for

competitions. Ten girls will be chosen from the preliminary competitions and will enter the semi-final competitions on Wednesday, August 30. The first round of the semi-finals will commence at 5:00 p.m. and the second round at 6:15 p.m.

Five girls will be chosen from the semi-finals to enter the final competition at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 31.

The winner, in addition to being engaged for a full year by the Ontario Milk Marketing Board promoting dairy products, receives a three-week trip to the United Kingdom as guest of the Dairy Industry in that country.

The Ontario Dairy Princess Competition is sponsored jointly by the Canadian National Exhibition, the Ontario Milk Marketing Board, The Ontario Cream Producers' Marketing Board and the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food.

The current reigning Ontario Dairy Princess, Miss Dolly Anne Edmunds, from Renfrew county, is completing a very successful year's work promoting dairy products with the Ontario Milk Marketing Board. She will represent Ontario in the Canadian Dairy Princess Competition which will be held in the Coliseum at the Canadian National Exhibition on Agriculture Day, Friday, September 1.

**Rubin plans Stouffville subdivision**

Rubin Corporation, wholly-owned subsidiary of Revenue Properties, plans a housing development in Stouffville, Ontario, with a value in excess of \$5 million. Contract for the installation of roads, sewers and water has been awarded. Last subdivision registered in the village was in 1959.

The Revenue Properties-Rubin group is currently building sale housing under CMHC financing, in Acton, Orangeville and Fergus. Total value is \$3.2 millions.

A subdivision plan for Guelph is being processed.

**Arrange meeting**

A special meeting was arranged for next Tuesday evening with council, Beardmore and Co. of-

ficials and the Credit Valley Conservation Authority members. They will discuss implications of the dredging of Fairy Lake. The meeting was arranged at the request of Acton council.

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**OSPRINGE**

**Shower for bride-to-be visitors in district news**

(Last week)

By Mrs. D.G. Robertson  
Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George Fletcher (nee Margaret McMillan) on the arrival of a young daughter July 30th.

Bradley Matthews and Gary Archibald of Acton have been holidaying at the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Archibald.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lang and Bonnie holidayed last week at Wasaga Beach and Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hutchison and sons, Toronto, visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Aitken.

Mrs. I. Gilroy of Dundas spent a few days with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Ed Archibald.

Carol and Douglas Moulton of Bolton have been staying with their grandmother Mrs. J. Hiltz, while their parents were at Expo. Mrs. Barry Clarke returned home on Monday, following several weeks visit with relatives in Ireland.

Miss Doris Fines is attending Expo this week, travelling by bus with a group from Erin.

Mrs. A. Wilson (Laura Swackhamer) and daughter Olga from Detroit, Mich., was a recent visitor in the village, and also attended the funeral of Mrs. Gertrude Sunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hampson of Willowdale visited on Saturday with D.G. and Mrs. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Archibald attended the wedding of the former's nephew Ron Strome and Ina Connell at Dundas on Saturday.

Over forty ladies were present Monday evening at the school at a Kitchen and Bathroom Shower for Mariene Fuller, a bride-to-be of early September.

Mrs. R. McPherson conducted an amusing Poem contest with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Ross McEwan and Mrs. D. G. Robertson.

Mariene was assisted in opening the huge array of gifts by her sister Gail and Linda Ferguson. Sincere thanks were expressed by the guest of honor and an invitation to the Trousseau Tea on July 26th was extended to all. Miss Beverly Bruce, nurse-

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PINEVIEW CLASSES START AT 9.10 A.M.  
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