

**FARM NEWS**

**More About Seed Grain "Know What You Sow"**

Our article on the seed drill survey made in Halton last spring has apparently created some interest. The subject was discussed at a meeting last night. Some of those in attendance were quite sure that the

samples had been picked up only from the poorest farmers in the county — others were of the opinion that the samples must have been taken from bins of feed grain. This morning, in order to confirm our previous statement, we again looked over the list. All that we can add is that a great many of those listed would feel insulted were they to be classed as poor farmers.

We also contacted Walter C. Eyes, county weed inspector, who collected the samples and he assured us that the samples had been taken directly from the seed drills in the field. All of the farmers claimed they had cleaned their seed — true between 75 and 80 per cent had been cleaned at home. This leads us to suggest again that a large percentage of the fanning mills must be needing an overhaul job, including some new screens. The more one looks over the results of this seed drill survey, the more one realizes why weeds are on the increase on so many Halton County farms. When the farmers from whom the samples were secured received a report back on their seed, many of them must have been just as rudely shocked as we were, to note what they were sowing. This seed drill survey was long overdue and we sincerely hope others may be made in the near future. May we repeat that it pays to "KNOW WHAT YOU SOW."

**County Conservatives Hear Young Ontario M.P.**

Trafalgar Township Hall was the scene of the first organizational meeting held by the Halton County Progressive Conservative executive, since the recent provincial election. It took the form of a dinner, catered to be the Waterloo Women's Institute.

At the conclusion of an excellent meal, the delegates adjourned to the auditorium, where the meeting was called to order by Mr. S. A. B. McCleary, county president.

Mr. McCleary thanked his advisory committee, and all those who helped at the last election, for the splendid cooperation shown in the recent campaign. He commented on the fact that the county now seemed to have a smooth functioning, live-wire organization, and cautioned the gathering to keep it that way in the event of a federal election, which he considered a distinct possibility in the foreseeable future. Mr. McCleary then tendered the congratulations of the entire group to Mr. Stan Hall, MPP, who scored such a wonderful victory at the polls in the county on Nov. 22nd. He commented on the fact that Mr. Hall had been elected by the greatest majority ever given a candidate of any party in the history of this county. Stan Hall thanked those present for their support, and asked them

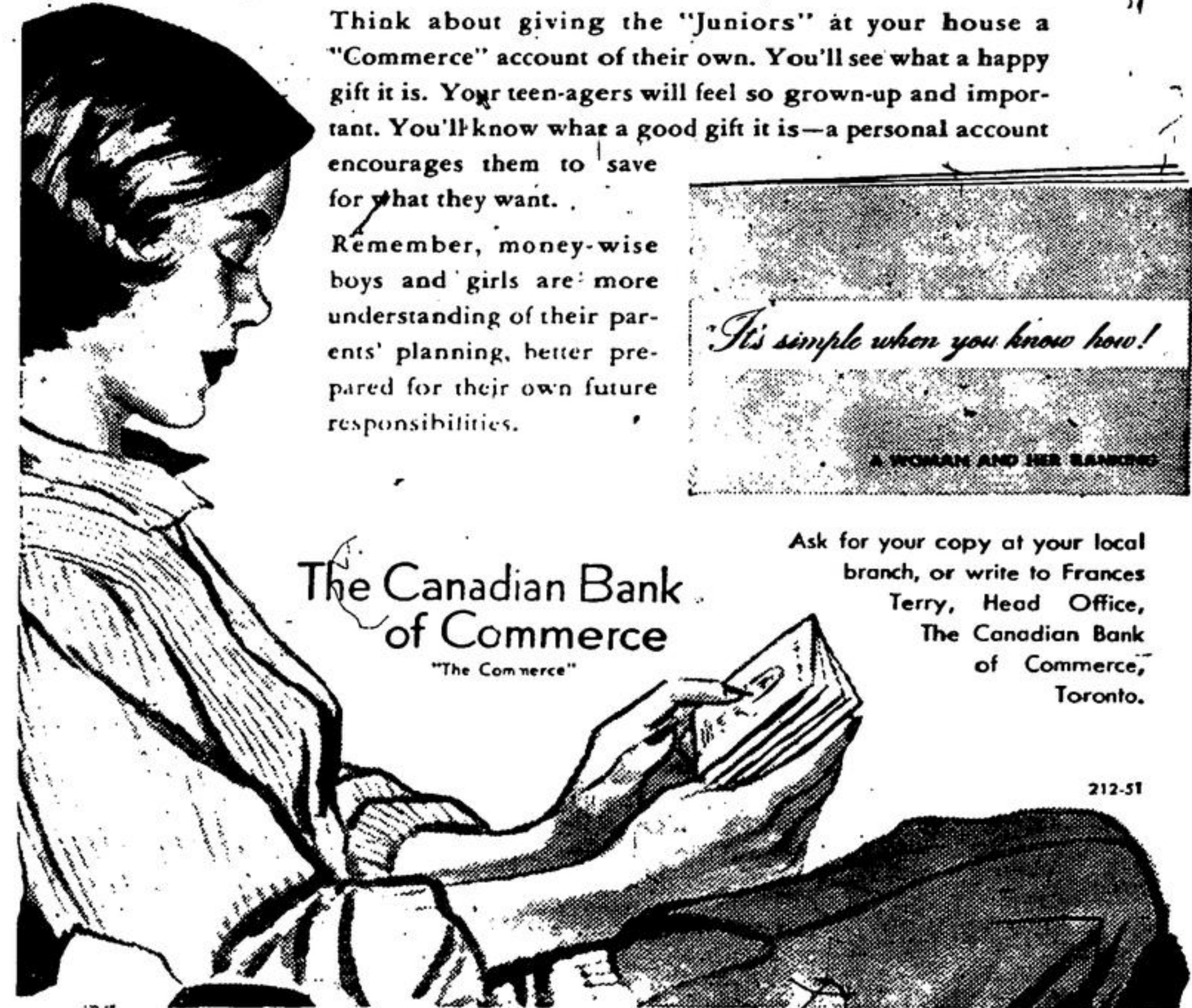
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to convey his best wishes and his thanks to all the members of the various associations they represent. He remarked that during the convention it had been his good fortune to meet many of the new citizens who have moved into Halton, and had found it a privilege to meet such a fine type of person as seemed to have picked this county to live in. Another indication of the high esteem in which Halton was held was the decision by the Ford Motor Company of Canada to build a huge new factory just a few hundred yards away from that very building. In conclusion Mr. Hall said that he would go on trying to represent Halton to the best of his ability and he extended compliments of the season to all.

The secretary read a letter of regret from Sybil Bennett, K.C. that due to a previous speaking engagement she could not be present. She extended once again her congratulations to Mr. Hall and her best wishes to the association.

Mr. Jack Seed, president of the Oakville association, then introduced the speaker of the evening, Bob MacCaulay, the youngest member in the legislature and son of the well-known Conservative cabinet minister in the Ferguson government, Leopold MacCaulay, who was leader of the Conservative party for some time in the days when Mitchell Hepburn was premier.

Mr. MacCaulay, in a pleasing fast-talking way, gave the organizational set-up he used in his campaign, his first, incidentally, and one that he captured by a plurality of over 4,000 votes. He told of his personal canvass (11,750 people visited) and of various ways he took to campaign. Mr. MacCaulay's pleasant style, interspersed with his many quips, pleased the audience, and it is hoped that he will come back to Halton again.

W. Thompson, Oakville, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the speaker.

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING**

The Liquor Licence Act, 1946 Licensing District Number 5 TAKE NOTICE that the Annual Meeting of the Liquor Licence Board of Ontario for Licensing District No. 5, comprising Wentworth and Halton Counties, will be held at Rose Room, Knight Hall, 6 Sanford Ave., in the city of Hamilton in the county of Wentworth on Wednesday the 30th day of January, 1952, commencing at the hour of 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon at which time it will hear and determine applications for the renewal of licences in accordance with the Liquor Licence Act, 1946, and regulations thereunder.

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