

## Choose County Entrants at Esquering Music Festival

At Esquering Music Festival which was held last Tuesday in Esquering Community Hall, Stewarville, selections were made of students who will compete at the county festival in Milton later this month.

Frank Holton, director of music for Brantford schools was adjudicator. In solo classes the top three will go to Milton while in choir classes, the first two choirs will go on to the county festival.

This year, due to large classes at four schools, their choirs did not appear at the township festival. Instead, choirs from Glen Williams, Hornby, Dublin, and Patricia were all granted the right to appear at Milton without prior competition. A double trio from Glen Williams was also placed in this category.

Results of the festival are as follows:

Girls, 7 and under: Karen Bridgen, Ashgrove; Mary Baker, Blue Mountain; Donna Rennie, Dufferin. Dixie Jones, Marlène Irving, Gloria Zilio, Marilyn Leck, Ruth Coles, Susan Bragg-Smith, Jean Hunter, Shirley Kangeuin, Linda Swackhamer, Carol McClean, Carol Forbes.

Girls 9 and under — Cathleen Sosnowski, Patricia Joyce Rennie, Dufferin; Marilyn Wilson, Ashgrove; Carol McCarron, Irene Vary, Carol Barth, Ann Watkins, Susan Cunningham, Audrey Brown, Alice De Vries, Judy Walker, Thomasine Sutton, Sandra Carney.

Girls 11 and under — Mary Sosnowski, Patricia; Sandra Tindale, Waterloo; Aileen Harrop, Pinegrove.

Bonnie Cotton, Betty Allonby, Carol Neelands, Marilyn Barth, Diane Shering, Lillian Phillips, Beverley Holmes, Betty Sanmyia, Christine Melanson, Trudy Scott, June Rennie, Marilyn Rognvaldson, Helen Brooks.

Girls 12 and over: Valerie Nurse, Ashgrove; Elizabeth Michie, Waterloo; Carole Hunter, Pinegrove.

Faye Thomas, Martha May, Joan Stroud, Eileen Shelbourne, Helena Hiltz, Ellen Spice, Loris Miller, Nancy Fishburn, Barbara Marshall, Donna McQuarrie, Gail Dobbie, Margaret Lawson.

Boys 7 and under — Raymond Carter, Norval; Jeffrey Nurse, Ashgrove; Wayne Bowen, Lorne.

Philip Wilson, Ricky Sanmyia, John O'Rourke, Wayne Compton, Keith Hilson, Brian Ellwood, Arthur Lawson, Lloyd Davis, Eugene Turner.

Boys 9 and under: Murray Eyre, Norval; Chris Canham, Stewarttown; Ronald Arpa, Patricia.

Michael Stroud, David Howden, Keith Ella, Danny Robson, Thomas McDonald, David Kidney, Michael Payne, Jimmie Forbes, William Rognvaldson, Wayne Cotton.

Boys 11 and under: Lorne Thomson, Ligne; Johnny Wilson, Pinegrove; Jack Moles, Bannockburn. Bob Stark, Grant Baker, Douglas

Fishburn, Bill McKay, John Barrow, Donald Currie, David Griffin, Gerald Felker, Billy Walker, Herbert Dredge.

Boys 12 and over: Ronald Fishburn, Norval; Raymond Archer, Ashgrove; Earl Burt, Stone School; Charles Gibbs, Ronald Archer, Jack Koetsler.

Vocal Duet — Carole Hunter, Marie Harrop, Pinegrove; Raymond Archer, Valerie Nurse, Ashgrove; Martha May, Bob Stark, Hornby; Marilyn Barth, Carol Barth; Maurice Hepburn, Janke Dykstra; Judy Moles, Sally Thomas; Sandra Tindale, Elizabeth Michie; Bonnie Cotton, Marjorie Gibson; Marilyn Souther, Christine Melanson; Joanne Stroud Douglas Dredge; Marilyn Rognvaldson, Marjorie Gough.

School Choir: Enrolment of 20 and under — Bannockburn; Quatre Bras.

Waterloo. School Choir — Enrolment of 29 and under — Ashgrove, Ligny.

Pinegrove, Blue Mountain, Dufferin, Lorne, Stone School, Stewarttown, Clay Hill, Limehouse.

### Third Generation Doctor Dr. M. G. Ranney Dies

Member of a family prominent in Georgetown half a century ago, Dr. Malcolm Grant Ranney, 45, was buried here on March 28th in Greenwood Cemetery.

His grandfather was a medical practitioner in Georgetown and lived in the house on Main Street South now owned by Arthur Reeve. The Ranney name is cut in the cement sidewalk leading to the house.

He was a third generation doctor, succeeding his father, Dr. A. E. Ranney who died a few years ago at North Bay. Dr. Ranney's home was at Kinmount. He died in Toronto on March 26th.

Surviving are his wife, Fern Langlois, his mother, Mrs. Ethel Ranney, North Bay, a sister, Mrs. H. E. Ernst (Marion) of Buffalo, N.Y., and a brother Fred W. of North Bay.

### RURAL CLERGY TO LEARN ABOUT FARMING

Rural clergymen and their wives from all denominations will gather at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, from July 27th to July 31, for a week of good fellowship and systematic instruction in the principles of agriculture. It will be the fourth annual summer school for rural clergymen.

The program is planned to give the rural minister further knowledge of agriculture in relation to human welfare, community life, and the work of the church. It will offer a choice of three courses:

(1) A general course in agriculture, including a course in rural sociology by Dr. N. H. High, director of the Diploma course.

(2) A course in "The Business of Farming" — a study of the production, marketing and processing of agricultural products, by Prof. D. R. Campbell, head, Dept. of Agricultural Economics.

(3) A course in Human Relations and Radio Broadcasting by Dr. G. E. Reaman, head, English Dept.

### Friends Entertain For Lady Leaving Town

Leaving town to make her home in New Hamburg, Mrs. V. T. Cavanagh was guest at two farewell parties last week.

Mrs. W. C. Ure entertained at her home on Market Street and Mrs. Irwin Noble also entertained at her Church Street home. On both occasions, Mrs. Cavanagh was presented with a parting gift, and regret was expressed at her departure.

Mrs. Cavanagh and her mother, Mrs. J. Fasken who has been making her home with her, have taken an apartment in New Hamburg and moved last week-end to their new home. Mrs. Cavanagh's son Bruce has a funeral home in New Hamburg. Mrs. Cecil Cavanagh, who has been living with them for the past year, has returned to her home in Thedford.

She has been a Georgetown resident since 1942 when Mr. Cavanagh was appointed CNR station agent. He retired after a serious illness and died a year ago. Since that time she has worked at McGowan's Specialty Shop.

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### Papermill Employees Have Rose Room Party

With Al Kuhn's Orchestra from Kitchener playing for dancing, lucky draws and spot dance prizes, employees of Provincial Paper Ltd., had their annual party on March 27th in the arena rose room.

Rocco Lorusso won the door prize, and spot dance prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Alva Grieve, VI Clements and Bill Doherty.

Funds for the party came from profits of the canteen operated at the mill and lucky draw prizes are always a feature. This year, those who won these were John Farmer, Will Breen, Norman Herber, Gene Pomeroy, Jim Hiddleston, Ron Bredt, Don Latimer, Chris Vandervoort, Harry Hale, Hugh Dickie, John Caseley, Alex Hendry, Mrs. Ed Shortill and Harry Shortill. The Quarter Century Club at the mill had a special lucky draw, and Bob Williams was the winner.

### MRS. PINNEY PRESIDENT COUNTY CCF PARTY

Mrs. M. Pinney was elected the president of Halton Cooperative Commonwealth Federation at the annual meeting in Milton on March 25th.

Serving with Mrs. Pinney on the executive are: E. Adamson, vice president; J. MacIntosh, secretary; and T. Cooper, organizer. Bert Shane was appointed liaison officer to maintain a contact with other ridings, and J. Alexander is the riding's delegate to the provincial council.

Five delegates and four alternates were also appointed to represent the riding at the Ontario convention which was held in Toronto last week. A membership drive was discussed and pledges for additional members were received from each area. At a meeting in Oakville the end of this month the campaign committee for the coming federal election will be set up.



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