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Georgetown Fall Fair Friday and Saturday This Week

Harness Races, Grand Horse Show Excellent Livestock, Poultry Exhibit

Merry-go-Round, Rides Games for the Kiddies

A big week-end is planned for those who attend the 108th fall fair which will be staged at the park by the Esqueving Agricultural Society of which Harding Price is the presiding officer. The only major factor left to assure a good time is the weather, and it is hoped the weatherman can promise us the same fine day that Milton fair enjoyed last week-end.

It should be a big day for the 2,000 odd school children who have received complimentary passes to the show, for the directors have been promised six rides, including a merry-go-round, swings, cars, etc. There will be games and refreshment booths galore. In fact with the steady influx of new citizens to town and district the grand total of attendance should be well above normal.

And don't forget that the display hall will be open from 7 to 10 in the evening of Friday, October 1st when the work of the school children the various displays can be seen at a more leisure time than on the busy Saturday and fair day itself.

For those who would start the fall season off with a dance we draw your attention to the annual Fair Night Dance in the Arena at which the Dobonnaires' Orchestra will supply the music.

The directors deem it an honour to have the assistant deputy minister of agriculture, J. A. Carroll, to officially open the fair at 2 p.m. on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Carroll is also immediate past superintendent of the Fall Fairs Association of Ontario and has not taken part in the ceremonies in Georgetown since 1946 when he took part in the centennial celebrations of the Society.

Although it looks as if the race track might be a bit heavy due to

the amount of rain recently, there are a number of fine horses entered in both classes and the racing programme should be good, with secretary Jack Clinke of Tillsonburg bringing his starting gate bars for the first time. A quick check among the light horse exhibitors at neighbouring fairs assures a good show in front of the grandstand here. And don't forget our own Girls Pipe Band will supply music throughout the afternoon.

Everything points to a record livestock show especially in the Holstein class where a number of special prizes are offered exhibitors. Among these is the Royal Bank tray for the exhibitor with the most points, plus a cash prize by N. A. Robinson and Sons and 400 lbs. of Pasture-Gro by Swift's through their agent Pat Patterson of Norval. Entries are also in for a good jersey show and sheep entries promise this class will be well filled. Farmers are reminded if they have bacon hogs ready for market, of the T. Easton Co. special which will add to their selling price of hogs.

The young farmers of the district will not want to forget the Commercial Dairy and Beef class competition, and the showmanship class. Two wrist watches have been donated as first prizes in the two age groups, one by the Bank of Commerce and the other by Barber's Gift Shop, as well as the large cash prize list with a \$5.00 prize for every calf entered.

The poultry show will be given a boost this year and the birds shown to advantage when a large tent will accommodate the show.

The Ontario Hydro mobile information bureau will be at the fair and fair-goers are urged to visit this unit and acquaint themselves with the new conversion programme.

There will be no baby show this year due to lack of entries in the last few years. But there are a number of specials offered in the ladies work classes which should



HARDING PRICE

Heading the board of Esqueving Agricultural Society as president for a third time, Harding Price and his directorate are busy with final plans for Georgetown Fair, October 1st and 2nd.

attract exhibitors both young and old.

So that's it, folks, a fall programme of entertainment you won't want to miss, probably your last big outing before the winter sets in.

To correct an erroneous impression, the admission price to the fair is only 50c for adults, children 15c and cars 25c. Children with school passes free.

Tanya of De Grassi, Qualifies, Two Shows

Tanya of De Grassi qualified in two shows over the week-end towards her obedience title of companion dog.

The German shepherd, owned by Miss Laura Treble of Tanhardt Kennels, R R 1, Georgetown, hopes to get her degree next Saturday at the London Dog Show.

AT ESQUEVING COUNCIL

Bond Sale, Fire Area Head Township Business

Three meetings have kept Esqueving councillors extra busy this month, and much business has been transacted.

As already reported, a special meeting was called to open debenture tenders for the \$30,000 Glen Williams school addition. J. L. Graham & Co. and the Bank of Commerce bought the issue, paying 102.80 for the 4 1/2% issue.

With Reeve Wilfrid Bird away on a trip west, Deputy Reeve Walter Linham has been appointed by council to act in his absence. Cr. George Currie and road foreman William Townsend were sent by council as delegates to a meeting of the Urban-Rural Municipalities Association at the Old Mill early in the month.

A weed spraying outfit, costing \$50 was purchased from S. Mattaway. Professor Ferguson was appointed under the Tile Drainage Act to inspect drains installed on the farms of Fred Nurse and Leslie Giffen. The salary of auditor H. A. Lever was given an upward adjustment.

Action Fire Area No. 2 has been established by by-law, making three fire districts within the township. The township is advertising for a road grader, snow plow and wing, asking for tenders with and without a trade in.

Sheep claims were fairly light, a total of \$47 being paid to George Currie \$22; A. N. Stark \$14 and Robert Irving \$10 for lambs killed. A. N. Stark and Meldrum Stark received \$4 each as valuers.

Six \$3 claims for foxes destroyed were paid to Mrs. Jessie Stark, Robert Ruddle, Lloyd Fisher, Wm. Carhart, A. N. Stark and Gordon Shoebridge.

HYDRO SPEAKER AT LIONS

A. T. Willett showed movies and explained how hydro conversion will be accomplished to Lions Club members at last week's meeting.

Lawson Family Relative Weds at Balmer Heights



MARION EILEEN ROBSON

A graduate this year from Hamilton Teachers College, Marion Eileen Robson has her first teaching position on the staff of Carmichael School in Kitchener. She is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robson, R. R. 2, Guelph, and her mother is the former Mary Norton of Glen Williams.

Social and Personal

John and Bill Whitney spent a recent week in Sudbury with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Tracy.

Mr and Mrs. Joseph Lake called on relatives in town on Saturday. They live in Powassan where Mr. Lake is publisher of the Powassan News.

On Saturday, Ellen Biehn entertained a group of her friends at a

Balmer Heights Farm, Inglewood, was the scene of the marriage of Judith Grant Bongard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Strachan K. Bongard, and Michael Meredith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaler Meredith. Rev. Ross K. Cameron officiated and the wedding music was played by Carly Posen.

The bride wore an embroidered nylon tulle gown fashioned with a Grecian drape bodice and featuring a bouffant skirt which extended to a train. Her fingertip veil of tulle illusion was caught to a band with seed pearls and she carried eucharist lilies and stephanotis.

Her attendants, Mrs. Donald Falconer, matron of honour Miss Joan Hall, Miss Ann Mackersy, Miss Pat Godson, Miss Sue Jarvis and Miss Joan Taylor, wore similar ballet frocks of powder blue nylon tulle, fashioned with Chantilly lace, bodice and featuring a shoulder drape. They carried pink roses and carnations.

David Gossage was groomsmen and the ushers were James Morlock, Donald Eastmure, Harry Meredith, Edmund Meredith and Strachan Bongard.

Following the reception, the couple left on a trip to Virginia.

The bride, whose mother is the former Helen Lawson of Georgetown, is a niece of Mrs. J. Arnott Early of town.

theatre party at the Roxy, followed by a supper at her home on Queen Street which marked her 7th birthday. Guests at the party were Carroll and David Farnell, Mary McNamara, Lynda and Debbie Hyde, Sharon Allen, Lynn Ritchie, Jane Bradley, Alan McDonald, Michael Hall, John Finlay, Villa and Jo Ann Riddout, her sister Carolyn and brother Charles.

Country Setting for Meredith - Bongard Wedding



Their attendants gather around Mr. and Mrs. Michael Meredith after the wedding at Balmer Heights Farm, Inglewood, Ont. From left to right, standing, are Donald Eastmure and Harry Meredith, ushers; Mrs. Donald

Falconer, matron of honour; the bride and groom; David Gossage, best man; Miss Pat Godson, bridesmaid; Edmund Meredith, Strachan Bongard and James Morlock ushers. Seated are bridesmaids Miss Joan Hall,

Miss Ann Mackersy, Miss Sue Jarvis and Miss Joan Taylor. The bride was Judith Grant Bongard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Strachan K. Bongard, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Oaler Meredith.

Remember! Big Fair Night Dance **Georgetown** Friday Night **75c**
Arena **each**