



END OF AN ERA—The steam locomotive—work horse of the Canadian railway industry for 124 years—will disappear from Canadian National Railway lines this June. The CNR, which pioneered development of the diesel-electric locomotive, will become completely dieselized, eliminating a ten-year program costing the company \$207,000,000. The first steam engine appeared on the Canadian scene in 1836 with the advent of the Champlain and St. Lawrence Railway—long since incorporated into the CNR system. It was almost 60 years before the first diesel appeared—a rail car run by CNR across the continent in 1925 from Montreal to Vancouver in 67 hours. It was followed in 1929 by a two-unit diesel road locomotive in the Toronto-Montreal service. Further development was disrupted by depression and the war, but the program to displace the entire system moved ahead in 1950. The diesel-electric locomotive has proven to be cheaper and faster than its romantic predecessor which has fallen victim to the advance of railroad technology. With the program completed, CNR will have 2,144 diesel locomotives and 28 railcars.

Winners Are Chosen In Rural Music Finals

Winners were chosen when pupils from rural schools in North Halton competed on Friday in a music festival in Robert Little Public School, Acton. Competitors had previously been selected in elimination contests in Esquering and Nassagaweya townships.

G. L. Bender, director of music for Kitchener public schools, was adjudicator for the festival, which occupied the whole day.

The three winners in each section appear in the first paragraphs, and other competitors follow in the results appearing below.

Solo, Girls 8 and under: Carol Thomson, Nass. S.S. 3; Karen O'Rourke, Blue Mountain; Nancy Mahon, Nass. S.S. 6.

Linda Howden, Ligny; Debbs Rogers, Stone; Nellie Vander Wind, Nass. S.S. 1.

Soledad, Girls 11 and under: Jacqueline Kingdon, Hornby; Beth Currie, Nass. S.S. 2; Susan Bonar, Nass. S.S. 7.

Doreen Harrop, Pinegrove; Dawn VanBuskirk, Nass. S.S. 1; Helena Hume, Waterloo.

Solo, Girls 12 and over: Linda Brown, Pinegrove; Karen Dredge, Nass. S.S. 3; Linda Wilson, Hornby; and Betty Baker, Nass. S.S. 4 (tied for 3rd).

Donna Rennick, Dufferin; Sandra Blythe, Brookville.

Solo, Boys 8 and under: Barry Breen, Dublin; Teddy Brown, Limehouse; Allan Paterson, Nass. S.S. 2.

Keith Elliott, Nass. S.S. 7; Robert McGee, Pinegrove; Brian Wheeler, Nass. S.S. 4.

Solo, Boys 11 and under: Tommy Learmont, Hornby; David Woodhouse, Nass. S.S. 8; David Swindlehurst, of Blue Mountain.

Ricky Jarvis, Nass. S.S. 3; Brian Phillips, Bamockburn; John Croft, Nass. S.S. 4.

Solo, Boys 12 and over: John Sanderson, Nass. S.S. 3; Billie Robertson, Nass. S.S. 3; John McGee, Pinegrove.

John McDonald, Limehouse; Peter French, Quatre Bras; Malcolm Johnson, Brookville.

Solo, Boys changed voices: Raymond Berlinguette, Nass. S.S. 3; Lorne Ella, Hornby; Lloyd Davis, Ligny.

Erwin Owendyke, Quatre Bras; Jim Croft, Nass. S.S. 4.

Quatre Bras: Donna Kingdon and Linda Wilson, Hornby; Barry Mahon and Marilyn Hilson, Nass. S.S. 6; Donna Rennick and Annie Kammings, Dufferin.

Heather Baker and Betty Baker, Nass. S.S. 4; Dianne Hous and Karen Dredge, Nass. S.S. 3; Carol Lawson and John McGee, Pinegrove.

Double Trio: Nass. S.S. 6; Pinegrove; Milton Heights, Nass. S.S. 4, Hornby.

Choir, 24 and under: Pinegrove, Bamockburn, Nass. S.S. 3; Nass. S.S. 9.

Choir, 34 and under: Nass. S.S. 6, Brookville; Ligny; Quatre Bras.

Choir, 35 and over: Nass. S.S. 3, Hornby; Milton Heights.

4H's That Signify World Training

"Head, heart, hands and health" are the 4H's that signify the training and development which all members must undergo in Halton and throughout the world.

In Ontario, which had over 24,000 4H members in 1959, the 4H program is directed by the Extension Branch of the Ont. Dept. of Agriculture.

In Halton County considerable assistance is given to the program by local volunteer club leaders who give their time to assist each club. "Learn to do by doing" is the motto of 4H club work, and each 4H member has an individual project that is his responsibility. As well as this training in practical agriculture, members receive training in good citizenship. Each club has a president, vice president, secretary and press reporter, thus the members not only have their own project to look after, but have a responsibility to the other members of their club. This training in meeting procedure and public speaking is of value to all the members.

The 4H program in Halton County is made up of a series of meetings, and special events, such as the Livestock, Seed and Land Judging Competitions. The climax of the club year for 4H members is their achievement day. At this event the results of the members' work throughout the year are displayed and judged at the local fair.

After Achievement Day, two members of each club may be selected to represent their club and the county, in the Provincial Inter-Club competitions held

FARM NEWS

Palermo Juniors to Enter Drama Festival
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Representatives of the Palermo Junior Farmers Club attended a meeting of Junior Farmers from Waterloo, Oxford, and Halton counties, to organize a county drama festival. This festival is being held as part of the program leading up to the Ontario Junior Farmer Drama Festival to be held April 22nd in Guelph.

Halton county will be represented in this competition by the Palermo Junior Farmers' production of "Four Ambes," directed by Mrs. Evelyn Oates, and starring the winner of the best actor award on three occasions, Bill Kelly, assisted by Barbara Inzer, Virginia McLowan and Phyllis Murray.

It was decided that the zone festival would be held in Monday, April 18th, at 8:30 p.m. in the township hall in Drumbo.

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Mrs. Keith Webb Heads Norval Women's Institute

The annual meeting of Norval Women's Institute was held on the evening of April 7th at the home of Mrs. Keith Webb.

After the usual opening and business, Mrs. Webb introduced Mrs. Velma Norris, retiring president of Halton District W.I., who gave a comprehensive talk on Canadian industry and their growth through the years. Mrs. Graydon Chester thanked the speaker and Mrs. Webb presented her with a lovely bouquet.

Mrs. Albert Hunter gave a report of the district directors' meeting held in Milton on April 4th. Mrs. Lorne Cleave presented the state of officers for the coming year. Mrs. K. Webb is president; Mrs. Harold Collins, 1st vice president; Mrs. Harold Gollup, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Don Murray, secretary-treasurer. Other officers include Mrs. Lawrence May, district director; Mrs. Walter Fidler, press reporter; Mrs. Oliver Hunter, Mrs. W. Fidler, pianist; Mrs. E. Paterson, Mrs. M. Wishart, auditors; Mrs. Joe Murray, flowers.

During March the ladies enjoyed two pleasant events in the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Webb. First was a family party when members invited their husbands and families to an evening of euchre. Winners were Oliver Hunter and Mrs. Walter Fidler, high scores; Mrs. Avison and Mrs. Ken Arnold, low scores.

Later in the month the WI entertained their friends at an afternoon vogue and tea in a spring setting of sunshine, flowers and St. Patrick decorations. The winners at cards for the afternoon were: 1st, Mrs. Bill Collins; Huttonville; 2nd, Mrs. Albert Hunter; and two ladies tied for 3rd, Mrs. Sid Robin, Georgetown, and Mrs. Kabyjohn, Huttonville. Tickets were sold on an out-painting by Mrs. Chester, and the winner of the lucky draw was Mrs. Elmer Patterson.

Next meeting of the WI will be the evening of May 5 at the home of Mrs. Don Murray.

Miss Jean Ruddell Chairman of Night School

Miss Jean Ruddell has succeeded Mrs. John Glynn as Night School chairman.

At the annual meeting and election of officers held last Tuesday at the High School, Miss Ruddell was chosen to head the executive which includes Mrs. Dorothy Stone, vice chairman, and Mrs. Robert Harris, secretary.

Appointed to the citizen's committee, the unique organization, which keeps the Night School operational machinery running smoothly were, Mrs. F. Whitmer, Mrs. John Glynn, Miss Florence Luke, Mrs. R. Hess, Mrs. L. Mitchell, Harry Savings, C. Crimes, C. Brandford, Wilf Munn, Al Zervav, Hec Broomhead and Paul Leape.

The committee will meet in May to discuss courses to be offered by Night School for the upcoming 1960-61 term.

Principal J. L. Lambert, vice principal M. Baxter, and a high school board representative, T. Niven, were at the meeting.

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The cost of the Glen Williams Public School graduation dinner was eased considerably when the Glen Home and School converted their regular meeting into a fund-raising bake sale and lucky draw on Monday.

Articles for sale were donated by members and other parents.

The main draw was for a hamper of groceries, won by Donald Lorusso; and ten boxes of chocolates by Mrs. Walmsa, Mrs. Blakenhous, Mrs. Lyle Miller, Mrs. Bill McKeown and Mrs. Mans.

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