

Ballinafad

Reprints of old readers bring W.I. memories

By Mrs. R. Shortill
The Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Slessoraitis on the 8th Line Thursday, Oct. 12. Mrs. Smith convened the meeting which was along the ideas of Family and Consumer Affairs.

attitude and habits formed in the home." Mrs. Marshall had current events. The social hour was in charge of Mrs. Given and Mrs. Eckert.

of casting our ballot; Mrs. McEnery on education related a matter of interest on old school text books. In the old days they were bought for 2c, 4c, 6c etc. They are being reprinted in a soft cover edition which sells for two to four dollars.

Let's talk about HORSES

with Jennifer Barr



I received this letter in answer to the young lady wishing to buy a stallion and wondering about having him gelded. The letter is reproduced in its entirety.

As the man was new to country life and I'd been in farming well over 30 years, I pointed out the dangerous aspects of riding such an animal, even with a saddle, in farm country where mares were aplenty in the fields along the road.

Discussion on the Korean boy was held, also plans for eureka on Dec. 1 to celebrate Institute 75th anniversary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION BRIEFS

During a regular meeting of Halton County Board of Education Wednesday, the members:

—Heard a report on the Halton County Principals' fall conference held at Muskoka Sands Sept. 28-31, from trustee Thomas Watson of Acton. Theme was the role of the principal and the main speaker was Dr. Donald Musella of the Ontario Institute for Studies in Education.

—Welcomed three Ontario College of Education students as visitors to the meeting. One of them was Paul Singleton, son of Halton's director of education James W. Singleton.

—Received a report on changes in the election act and noted that for the 1973-74 term, one separate school supporter will be elected to the county board representing Acton, Georgetown, Milton, Oakville, Esquesing and Nassagaweya, one representing Burlington only.

—Learned Halton Region Conservation Authority is not interested in taking over the Bruce St. School for an administration headquarters, due to the high cost of renovations.

—Asked trustee Tom Watson of Acton to get his salary negotiations committee organized quickly to draft a report on the Minister of Education's recent report on compensation of teachers.

Reprint books
Two minute reports were also given. Mrs. Given's was on voting, stressing the importance

Other members of standing committees, Mrs. Jamieson, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Kirkwood also had short reports.

A copy of Mrs. Gould's speech at the Memorial service has been procured and it will appear in the local papers, afterwards to be placed in the Tweedsmuir history, of which Mrs. Ada Kirkwood is curator.

4-H meeting
Mr. and Mrs. John Pearson and family of Tara visited her parents on Sunday.

The 4-H girls met in the church basement on Saturday.

Four candidates seek seat

Four of the five men who represent the north Halton area on the Halton County Board of Education have made public their intentions to again seek their seats on the board in the Dec. 4 municipal elections.

Trustees Tom Watson representing Acton and Nassagaweya, Esquesing Township's Bill Lawson, north Oakville Trustee Douglas Wood and north Burlington member George Pelletier are all in the race again, they informed this newspaper.

Mr. Wood is a former chairman of the board. All of the north Halton representatives were active on local school boards before the Halton board was formed by amalgamating all existing school trustee groups in the county in 1969.

No signs for Sixth Line

A new guard rail will be installed on the Esquesing Sixth Line bridge, south of 22 Sideroad, and sandboxes will be placed along the road to assist motorists during the winter.

Reeve Tom Hill told Sixth Line resident John Robson Monday night there is no money left in this year's township budget for the erection of signs, but promised the item would be included in next year's budget.

The reeve also warned a new multi-plate culvert may have to be installed at the bridge if it is found to be too weak.

Most residents along the road prefer to have the bridge left the way it is in keeping with the rural atmosphere of the area.

ANNOUNCING COAST TO COAST EXPANSION

LOCAL APPLICANTS WILL BE CONSIDERED To be set up in a wholesale business the successful applicant (male or female) will be responsible for supplying established beauty salons in this area. Retirement with good income possible 3 to 5 years.



RIDERS PREPARE FOR competition at Sunday's Rockwood Trail Riders' show. Entries were down but the final show of the season was termed a success despite raw weather. (Photo by W. Thomson)

27 riders at club's first meet

Because of the large number of horse-oriented youngsters in the district, a local branch of the Canadian Pony Club has been formed. The Esquesing Pony Club held its first meeting October 2, with 27 riders from Georgetown, Acton, Esquesing, Hornby, and Erin attending.

Last Sunday riders, ages 8 to 17, and their ponies (term "pony" including horses) met at the farms of Rick Wilcox, Ron Lister, and Peter Kurylowicz, to be graded by Carol Kidd of Willowdale as to riding knowledge and ability.

One meeting a month will be held through the winter, at the Master Feed Research Centre south of Stewarttown, for lectures on care and feeding of ponies and stable management.

In the spring, outdoor meets are planned once a month. The riders will be brought up through the nine levels of grading over the next few years.

British offshoot
The Pony Club was started in the early 1900's, an off-shoot of the British Horse Society, spreading to become an international organization. The first Canadian Branch was opened in the 1930's.

Young keep safe record

Young drivers have managed to keep up their good driving record. Of 14 collisions in the North Halton area patrolled by the Milton OPP during the week of Oct. 8 to 14, the majority have involved older people.

The 14 accidents involved 22 vehicles and resulted in an estimated property damage of \$19,800. Eleven persons were injured in seven of the accidents.

Free Press Local News Items

HIGH school commencement Friday night.
MILTON'S population is up to 7,466.
IN Fire Prevention week, fire drills were held at schools by the Acton Firefighters.
ELECTION signs are pretty well limited to private property in this district.
MILTON high school will be initiating the semester system — like Acton's — next year.
HALTON Centennial Manor residents had a bus tour last week to see the leaves; they ended up with tea and crumpets at the Mohawk Inn.

Wrong name

Last week's newspaper misspelled the name of the second place winner in the historical essay contest, "What Nassagaweya Means to Me." The winner was Brant Mayes, not Grant.

ACTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Presents
MEET THE CANDIDATES NIGHT
At The
Robert Little School
at 8 p.m.
Thursday, October 19

- 3 Candidates to speak
- Question and answer period
- Light refreshments after

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ACTON ASSOCIATION

Because it depends on individual contributions and has no access to large sums of money from big business, the New Democratic Party cannot compete with the other political parties in paid advertisements.

We will try to keep you informed of our aims and platform by voluntary canvassers who will be making a door to door canvass in your area.

Our budget for the Halton riding is a modest \$4,500.00 If you would like to help us to elect Mrs. Carolyn Holstein as your representative in Ottawa, please forward contributions to Box 215, Acton. If you want to help by canvassing — at the polling booths or erecting signs etc. — please phone 853-1293, 1275, 1393, 1555 evenings after five.

Ospringe Milk Maids, visits in news

By Doris Flies
Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Murray McKittrick and family were, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slater and family, Miss Nancy Grundy of Guelph, Mrs. Gordon Bilton and family of Rockwood, Mrs. Florence Grundy, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Grundy and family.

Members of Unit I, 4-H club are Laurel Vlietstra, Susan Jackson, Judy Jackson, Barbara Johnston, Doreen Johnston, Judy Johnston, Kathy Johnston, Jennifer McAdam, Judy Stewart, Susan Stewart, Nora Stubbinton, Janet Vander Heide, Tenny Vander Heide, and Wilmalema Vander Meulen.

Greenock 4-H

The third meeting of the Greenock 4-H club was held at the home of Barbara Gates on Saturday, October 7. Roll call was the amount of milk used in your home in one week and the price of it. It was answered by all the club members.

Notice to Property Owners and Tenants TOWN OF ACTON CORRECTIONS TO THE CENSUS LIST

The Assessment Office for the Province of Ontario has submitted the Annual Census List (Alpha Names List) and it will be posted on October 19th, 1972, in the Office of the Clerk, 42 Mill Street East, Acton, for inspection.

Residents and property owners are requested to examine this list to ensure that their names and relevant information are correctly shown therein.

All requests for additions, corrections or deletions from the list will be received by the Clerk at the Municipal Offices, above mentioned, commencing on Friday, October 20th, 1972, through to Tuesday, October 31st, 1972, from 9.00 A.M. to 5.00 P.M., excluding Saturdays and Sundays.

The last day for filing forms requesting additions or corrections to or deletions from the list will be Tuesday, October 31st, 1972, at 5.00 P.M.

NOTICE TO ELECTORS TOWN OF ACTON Corrections to the Preliminary List of Voters

The Preliminary List of Voters will be posted in the Office of the Clerk at the Municipal Building, 42 Mill Street East, Acton, on October 19th, 1972.

On the same date a copy of the List will be posted within each Polling Subdivision for which it is prepared.

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J. T. HURST
Clerk and Revising Officer
TOWN OF ACTON