

Area winners poultry show

Area residents walked away with many coveted prizes at the Guelph Poultry Association annual show held Saturday at Eden Mills Road and Gun Club. The show was well attended by participants from all over Ontario and combined social activities such as a picnic and races with the serious business of showing poultry, pigeons, rabbits and cavies.

Hugh MacPherson of Eden Mills, an organizer of the event, won five championships as well as 12 firsts, six seconds, and four third ribbons.

The championships were awarded for best hamburger, best buff leghorn, best partridge wyandotte bantam, best golden pencilled hamburger, and best black hamburger.

This successful chicken fancier also won awards in game hens, several second places. He took a first and second in golden pencilled hamburger and a first in silver

pencilled hamburger. Two firsts and a second went to Hugh for his partridge wyandottes, two seconds for barred rock partridge birds and two firsts for buff leghorns.

Elizabeth Hoye of Rockwood showed her colourful Millefleur bantams and won champion of the show as well as two firsts and a second for the three birds entered by this neophyte enthusiast. "I was delighted and so surprised," she commented.

Two Acton juniors entered 12 animals and came home with ten firsts and two seconds as well as two championships. Erica Barr won best standard shown by a junior and best opposite sex standard as well as two firsts and a second for her Buff Orpingtons. She also won two firsts in Millefleurs and three firsts in white Silks, all in junior divisions. Pat Barr won two firsts in white leghorns and a first and second for Dutch rabbits.



THE WINNERS — Erica Barr and friend at the Guelph Poultry Association show.

Erin twp. council

Favor subdivision but let the buyer beware

Erin Township Council studied a map of the pending Armstrong subdivision, at their July meeting, and found it favorable, but they agreed that people coming to that area should be made aware that Lake Ontario Cement Co. has property near there, and

it should be on title that the gravel area is there.

Howard Winch appeared before council, speaking on behalf of his son-in-law Russell Willar, who owns a house and lot on the south corner of the 8th line and 24 highway. They wish to build a new house while living in the

old one, which they will later demolish. He was advised to contact the Department of Highways, and find out from them what they can or cannot do on that site, then proceed from there.

Dogs are still playing havoc with sheep. Clarence Beatty lost three ewes and three

lambs, with seven ewes and five lambs injured, and Roy Wheeler had two lambs killed and 1 injured. They will receive value for same.

An invitation from Hillsburgh District Fire Department was received, for members of council to attend a meeting of the Wellington County Mutual Aid Association, to be held in Erin Township this year. Fire Department representatives from over the county will be there. The program is designed to give help on how to fight fires, and give mutual aid so each municipality can help one another.

Laura Staven had sent a letter stating she wished to open a health resort under the name of "The Last Resort", to help those people wishing to lose poundage. There will be saunas, skin care treatment, diet cooking workshops in the kitchen, exercising outdoors with skiing and walking, and indoor games. Prices will be moderate so people in all walks of life will be able to afford it. The planner agrees she is within her rights. The clerk was instructed to write her that she won't need a zone change, provided she stays within the intent of the letter.

Ed Barden has completed a three day short course on Soils, at Anderson School, held at the University of Guelph. This is sponsored by the Ontario Good Roads Association, and for this Ed received a decal to add to the others on his certificate.

Councillor George Root attended a special meeting of County Council, who have set up a committee especially de-



ERAMOSIA REEVE, Bill Adsett, admires Hugh MacPherson's prize winning bird at the Guelph Poultry Association annual show held at Eden Mills Saturday. The Reeve presented awards, a great many of which went to Mr. MacPherson, an Eden Mills resident.

Champions named

By Mark J. Leahy

Ninety 4-H members from Halton took part in the Halton-Peel Judging Competition at Erin Fair Grounds on Saturday, June 25. The seven classes judged were beef, dairy, horses, sheep, swine, first cut hay, and seed oats. A farm safety evaluation was included to round out the program.

Official placings for the classes were given by Beef, Bob Lasby; Dairy, Ralph Dunton; Horses, Jim Cation; Sheep, Cy Lowden; Swine, Blythe Meek; Seed Oats, John Nurse; and Hay, Cecil Patterson.

Results were as follows:

LIVESTOCK—Juniors—1st Ann Reid, 2nd Susan Marshall, 3rd Stephen Lasby, 4th David McCann, 5th Stephen Wingrove, 6th the Connie Patterson and Murray Royce; 8th Randy Proud, 9th Ruth Gillies, and 10th Valerie Scott.

Intermediates, 1st Kim Wingrove, 2nd Heidi Stadler, 3rd Kim Peddie, 4th Diana Royce, 5th Elaine White, 6th Judy Brown, 7th Laura Marshall, 8th Joyce Parker, 9th David Robinson, and 10th Brenda Brown.

Seniors—1st Joseph Weeden, 2nd Holly Hurren, 3rd Bill Robinson, 4th Eileen Marshall, 5th Marie Murray, 6th Joanne Hears, 7th Randy Fish, 8th Roy Fish, and 9th the Marianne McPherson and Donna Stewart.

FIELD CROPS—Juniors, 1st the Marilyn Bird and Connie Patterson; 3rd the Karen Brown, Tim Kunica and David McCann, 6th Kathy Galbraith,

7th tie, Joe Cartwright and Murray Royce, and 9th tie Denise Dilbey, Ann Reid, David Wilson and Stephen Wingrove.

Intermediates, 1st Carol Ann Laidlaw, 2nd Marilyn McNabb, 3rd tie Diana Royce, Bev Wingfield and 7th Wingrove, 6th the Mary-Jean Robinson and Richard Stanley, 8th Laura Marshall, and 9th tie Don Buchanan and Eartha May.

Seniors, 1st Holly Hurren, 2nd Joseph Weeden, 3rd tie Nancy McKinnon and Donna Stewart, 5th Bill Robinson, 6th tie Beth Marshall, Doug McPhail and Marianne McPherson, 9th Terry Alkema and 10th Ruth Anne Wilson.

FARM SAFETY—Juniors, 1st Gerhard Trevisanus, 2nd Valerie Scott, 3rd tie Karen Brown, Murray Royce, Denise Dilbey, Susan Marshall and David Wilson.

Intermediates, 1st Marilyn McNabb, 2nd Mary-Jean Robinson, 3rd tie Dale Wickson, Jay Kitching, Ross McClure and Elizabeth Bird.

Seniors, 1st the Holly Hurren and Doug McPhail and 3rd Eileen Marshall.

Trophy winners are as follows: Champion Livestock Judge, Joseph Weeden; Champion Dairy Judge, David Stanley & Frank Robinson; Champion Beef Judge, Nancy McKinnon; Champion Sheep Judge, Elaine White; Champion Swine Judge, Diana Royce; Champion Horse Judge, Bill Robinson, and CNE Shield (High Novice), Heidi Stadler.

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Ballinafad

Wedding, holiday trips reunion in the news

by Winifred Smith

Quite a number from Ballinafad attended the Coningsby Cemetery memorial service on Sunday afternoon. It was a beautiful day and there was a large crowd in attendance. The service was impressive. The guest speaker was Mr. Jacobson a retired school teacher and former Hillsburgh resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shortill have returned home after their recent visit to Great Britain and other western European countries.

Visiting with the Garnet Sinclairs on Sunday was Miss Eileen Cole of Georgetown.

A former resident of the community Mr. Harvey Cook called on former neighbors and friends. He was accompanied by his wife and young son David. They now reside in Harrison.

Holidays are taking quite a few of the usual churchgoers away. Mr. Stiles welcomed some visitors to the church on Sunday. Mr. Paul Schwartz with two of his children, Helen and Rene sang the

beautiful anthem How Great Thou Art. Rev. Stiles will occupy the pulpit for the remaining Sundays in July. He will be on holidays for the month of August. Mr. Bob Pinkerton was organist and provided music for the Sunday service.

Wedding

Another one of our local girls was married on Saturday at Knox Presbyterian Church in Georgetown. She was the former Irene Keir, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Keir. The groom was John Douglas Carroll, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Carroll of Mississauga. We are happy the showers abated and the sun came out to shine on the lovely bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shortill and Mr. and Mrs. W. Gettle were among the guests at the Carroll-Keir wedding on Saturday.

Several relatives from Scotland were guests at the wedding also, and will be staying at the Keirs' and seeing parts of Canada before returning home.

It was beautiful weather for the annual get-together for the Sinclair families on Sunday. It was held at the Ballinafad Community Centre. There were close to 100 people attending. They came from Winnipeg, Thunder Bay, Creemore and Toronto, besides many from the surrounding area. The young enjoyed a ball game and races. Those not so young enjoyed the friendly chit-chat.

The oldest one able to be present was Mrs. Bessie McKechnie, who was a long time resident here, now makes her home at the Hyde Park nursing home. The youngest one attending was Paul Sinclair, youngest son of Allan and Nancy Sinclair of Guelph. Brian and Nancy Sinclair were the most recently married couple and were receiving congratulations from many as they were wed as recently as June of this year. The highlight of the day was the bountiful meal served.

The new home which is being erected on the Sid Spear property is rapidly being completed. It is on the same site as their former home which was destroyed by fire a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marshall attended the get-together of the Jackson families at the home of his sister Mrs. Lil Jackson at Erin on Sunday afternoon.

Pot sends car into fence

An Oakville woman's car hit a tree and then a fence on the Fourth Line Thursday afternoon.

The car, driven by Joan C. McGowan, received about \$1,500 in damages, according to police. The car was southbound on the road, when it struck "a large, deep pot in the road," swerved into a ditch, crossed a driveway and struck a fence and tree.

Damages to property of Fred Brown Sr., of Georgetown, is estimated by police at \$20.

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The Rotary Club at Fergus wish to sell lottery tickets on a car. A check will be made with the Lions Club and Community Centre, to see if they have any objections, if it would interfere with their programs.

A third reading of the by-law took place, and proper seal attached, authorizing the clerk and reeve to execute an agreement with the fire department of the village of Erin, to agree to provide fire protection in the township of Erin.

Churchill August 7 is final summer service

by J. Turner

Rev. A.W. Fosbury will be preaching at Churchill on Sunday. Members of Acton Baptist church are joining Churchill for worship services until Sunday August 7, after which date Churchill Church will close for the remainder of the holidays. During the part of the holiday season members of Churchill congregation will attend Acton Baptist Church.

Rev. and Mrs. A.W. Fosbury visited on Sunday in Moorefield, a former preach-

ing charge. They called Mrs. Riley, and went with her to church where they were warmly greeted by many old friends.

Friends of the community are sorry to hear that Mrs. Harold Griffin is a patient in the General Hospital, Guelph. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Martin, Vineland, visited on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huntsman, Mrs. Arnold Huntsman, Miss Blanche Huntsman, all of Beamsville, and Miss Norma Smart of Niagara Falls visited at the same home after attending the Memorial Service at Coningsby. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berry of Erin, and Mrs. Lorne Keeler of Hillsburgh called in the evening.

Sympathy is extended to members of the family of Mrs. Victor Harding, Guelph who passed away on Saturday. She had been in declining health during the last few months. The Hardings farmed on the Third Concession of Erin Township a number of years ago.

Region has new registrar

A Kitchener man has been appointed land registrar for the Land Titles and Registry Divisions of Halton, consumer and commercial relations minister Sidney Handelman announced.

Heinz Stolch, 57, assumed his new position June 28. Mr. Stolch joined the Kitchener land registry office in 1965 after working in the assessment department for Waterloo County. He became senior deputy land registrar in 1969.

The Halton regional office is located in Milton.

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