CHILDREN LOOK on in fear while a member of the Raymond Family performs a fire limbo dance at Speyside. The Raymond Family is a steel band group who put on a show for parents, students, and staff at Speyside on Tuesday.



LEAD SINGER for the Raymond Family is daughter Carol. The steel band group entertained at Speyside on Tuesday.

ROBBIE WATSON won

the cheers of fellow school chums at the steel band performance at Speyside. Robbie entered the singing contest and won.

Guide and Brownie news

Second Acton Guldes by Lisa Cadenhead

On Monday, April 17, there were no Guiders at our meeting. We would like to thank Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Musselle and Mrs. Lindsay for helping out with our meeting.

On Saturday, April 29, McDonalds clean-up will take place at 10 a.m. and will end at 1 p.m. After cleaning up the town we will eat lunch at the Scout hall and then pick up our Girl Guide cookies. There will be an enrolment for the tenderfoots of the second Acton Guide company on May 1.

Some Guide mothers tested girls at last Monday's meeting. Mrs. Lindsay tested 14 girls on their first aid stage three. Mrs. Cook tested 12 girls on their athlete badge. Mrs. Musselle passed some of the girls on their keep fit badge. Thanks to these three

In the playoffs for the boys

Canadians and Kings are out

for their fifth and sixth place

effort. In the quarter finals

the Blackhawks edged the

Bruins to advance to the

finals 6-5 in sudden death

In the other game the

Rockies took an easy win over

the North Stars 6-0. This advanced them to the finals

against the Black Hawks.

overtime.

Robert Little news

by Scott Nowlan Tuesday morning and Thursday afternoon parents visited the classrooms of our school to observe their child as part of education week.

All the grade three students are looking forward to a trip to Pioneer Village in May.

Our school had our last planned hot dog day. It was

very successful.

Robert Little had their kindergarten registration and health screening on Thursday, April 20 and Friday, April 21.

All the grade three, four and five students had a splendid time at McKenzie-Smith school watching the H.M.S. Pinafore.

Scooter ball is coming to a close. The boys are finished and into the playoffs. The girls have one more game to play. Miss Preston is to be commended for her good work in taking care of scooter

The final standings are as follows for the boys, Bruins 22, Rockies 21, Black Hawks 14, North Stars 13, Kings 12, Canadiens 11. In the girls' league the Leafs have 24 points, Islanders 24, Rangers 14. Canucks 5.

-Day CARDS by Carlton

Steel band at Speyside

at Speyside school were treated to a musical hour of calypso music by a steel band

yesterday (Tuesday). For some students the Fabulous Raymond Family was an inviting introduction to further study on the Caribbean: for others it was a delightful final touch to a few weeks of class work on the is-

The Fabulous Raymond Family included the father, Mr. Raymond, and his four children. His oldest daughter, Carol, is the lead singer for the group. The Caribbean group played a variety of calypso music, including a steel band version of a few popular North American

the group that the steel drums are made from regular gas station oil drums. These drums are cut and hammered

Students, staff and parents the section of steel the lower the musical note.

During the show the Raymond Family held a singing contest for the students. Those students who had taken a unit on the tropical islands chose My Island in the Sun as their entry the contest. Robbie Watson won the contest for his 50's revival of Blueberry Hill. Children from the audience were asked to play instruments in the band and to sing along with the group.

a calypso version of musical The highlight for many students was the limbo demonstration by the group. Passing under a flaming limbo pole added excitement Mr. Raymond explained to to the program. Children were given a chance to do the

limbo under a regular pole. The booking of Raymond Family was down in one piece. The larger arranged by the school.

Youth Page

Eight children participated in

PETER ARMSTRONG, left, and David English clap along with others to the swinging calypso beat at Speyside school. The Raymond Family performed at the school on Tuesday.

Acton in top third of schools

13 Acton High School students have given the school one of its best showings in the last few years in a cross Canada mathmatics contest.

The school score placed it in the top third of all high schools in Canada, and 14th of 35 in the Peel-Halton region. More than 1,000 schools took part in the contest sponsored by the University of Water-

Warmth Monday and

Tuesday brought the first warm with sunshine in many months. Some headed right out to sit

On the land

Many were out working in their gardens on the weekend.

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Trees or

Shrubs

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Top five scores from each school are taken to get the school score. Larger schools have an advantage because they have a bigger pool of students to draw from for their top scores. Nevertheless, Acton managed to top many larger southern neighbors, including Queen Elizabeth Park, M.M. Robinson, Lord Elgin, Burlington Central, Aldershot, Perdue and Lester B. Pearson.

Mike Donat was the top Acton scorer, placing eighth highest in the Pecl-Halton zone. Martin Osso and Frank Geng were named along with Donat to the honor roll for their mathmatical prowess.

Other students in the contest were Steve Springle, Hogenbirk, Cheryl Springle, Larry Kee, Gloria

Walton, Gwen Gibb, Vicky Bristow, Paula Ruppert, Janice Thornhill, and Linda

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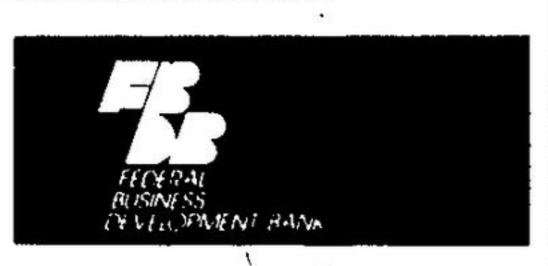
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4-H Club News

HALTON SHEEP CLUB

By Ruth Gillies The third Halton 4-H Sheep Club meeting was held on Wednesday, April 5 at the Agricultural Office, Milton. Joe Weeden opened the meeting. Secretary Ellen Hurren read the minutes of the last meeting. All members were

A movie on feed production was shown first. Club leader Doug Gardhouse discussed the diseases of sheep and how to prevent them. He also told us how to treat them.

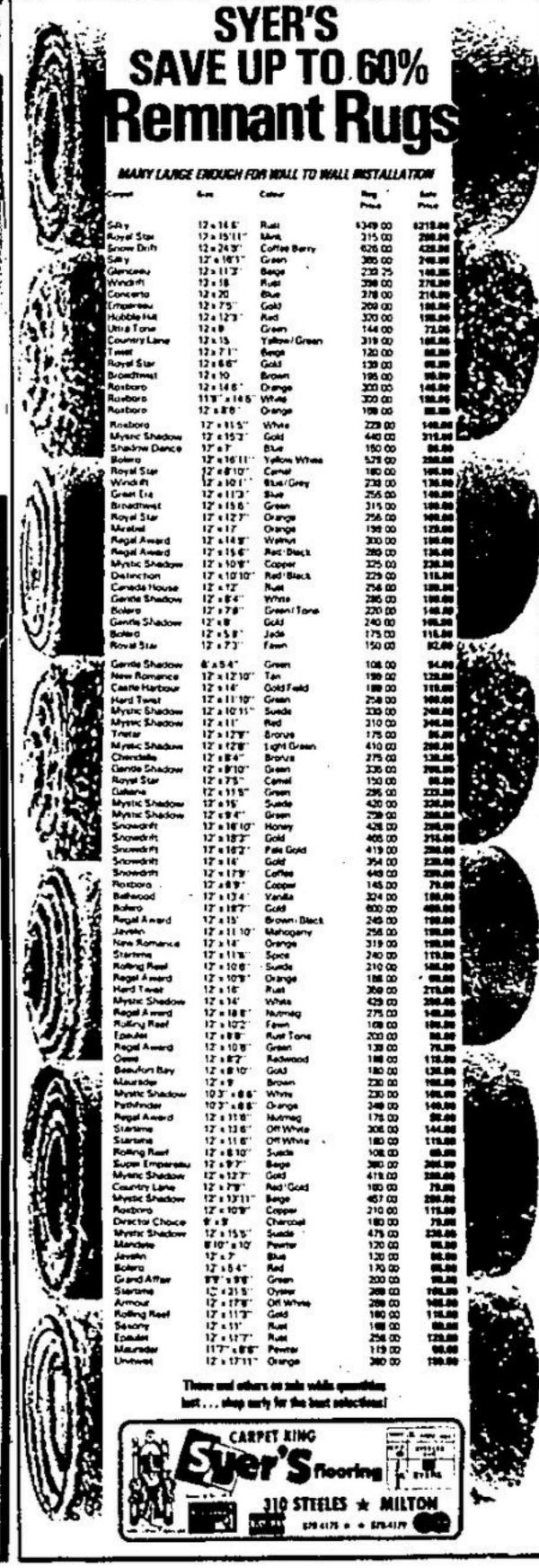
HALTON BEEF CALF CLUB

By Lorie Parsons The first meeting of the Halton 4-H Beef Calf Club was held on April 20. The election

of officers was held and they are as follows: President, Nancy McKinnon, vice-president, Doug Donaldson; secretary, Bev

Wingfield; and reporter, Lorie Parsons. Project books, lesson

material and folders on judging and clipping were handed



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ANNUAL MEETING

Notice

PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE **ACTON AND AREA** ASSOC.

> Wednesday, May 3rd — 8:00 p.m. ST. ALBAN'S PARISH HALL

> > WILLOW ST. NORTH, ACTON

We cordially invite all people interested in, or wishing to be actively supportive, of the Progressive Conservative Party.

Our newer citizens who have recently moved to Acton are especially welcome. You need to know us and we need to know you!

SPECIAL GUEST AND SPEAKER OF THE EVENING WILL BE

Otto Jelinek, M.P.

OUR CANDIDATE FOR HALTON RIDING IN THE FORTHCOMING FEDERAL ELECTION

Agenda will include:

- Election of officers for 1978

- Consideration of change in the organization structure

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If you operate a business or farm and create new jobs between May 1 and October 21, 1978, the Ontario Youth Employment Program will give you a grant of \$1.25 per hour (up to a maximum of \$50.00 a week) towards the wages of each eligible youth you hire for those jobs.

Employers; Anyone who has carried on a business or operated a farm in Ontario for at least one year prior to May 1 may receive grants for up to 6 new positions per business location for eligible youth employees.

Employees; Employees must be atleast 15 but not 25 years old on May 1, 1978. Employees cannot be directly related to the employer. Employees must reside and be eligible to work in Ontario.

Duration; The program is in effect for 25 weeks from May 1 through October



21, 1978. An employer is not required to hire a youth for the full 25-week period.

Terms of Employment; To be eligible for funding, a position created must be in addition to regular and seasonal employment normally provided during the program period. It must provide a minimum of 25 hours of supervised work per week for at least six weeks.

Grant; Approved employers will receive a grant of \$1.25 per hour up to a maximum of \$50.00 a week (40 hours employment) for each youth hired under the program.

NOTE: Grant funds are limited. If you wish to hire a youth any time during the program's duration, please submit your application as soon as possible. In order to hire under the program you must first receive approval from the Ministry of Treasury. Applications for participation cannot be considered after September 4, 1978. For more information on the Ontario

Youth Employment Program and application forms please write: Ministry of Treasury, Subsidies Branch, Queen's Park, Toronto, Ontario M7A 2R8 or telephone 1-800-268-7192 (toll free). In Metro Toronto telephone 965-0570.

Darcy McKeough, Treasurer Ministry of Treasury, Economics & Intergovernmental Affairs, Subsidies Branch.



Margaret Birch, **Provincial Secretary Ontario Youth** Secretariat

William Davis, Premier

Province of Ontario