

Farming committee advises Halton

by Honor Sweezy and Susan Llibury
With the storm on Friday we had an extra holiday so our mass was postponed until this morning.

At the kindergarten registration 21 future students registered. You can register any time if you missed Wednesday's registration.

During Holy Week there will be a mass at the church Thursday, a special mass Friday, and masses on Sunday.

Just a reminder to the students that the Skate-a-thon money must be in by the end of the week. With the coming of Easter Mrs. Maronese's class is making Easter baskets to hold the eggs from their Easter egg hunt.

The traditional painting of Easter eggs is also being performed by the kindergarten class. Holy Week is being prepared for in the grade

one and two class. This includes Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Resurrection on Easter Sunday. The children are all looking forward to the Easter Bunnies rounds on Sunday.

In the study of arithmetic grade ones and twos are working on geometry. The threes and fours are also doing a study of geometry.

As well as thinking about the oval shapes of eggs the grade fours are studying three dimensional geometrical shapes in Math. The grade fives being the quietest group, are sliding and flipping geometrical shapes.

Following in the footsteps of the grade fours and fives the grade sixes and sevens are studying geometry in math. Combining the writing skills

and art, the class is changing their names into figures. In Language Arts the grade fives are defining the word Hero, while the grade sixes are studying "What's in a word?"

The grade sevens and eights are turning into star gazers while studying astronomy.

The recent formation of an agricultural committee to advise the region, is to encourage its leaders to consult the farming community on related matters. Henry Stanley, secretary of the Halton Agricultural Advisory Committee, said the committee's formation Mar. 26 is to give input at the Halton Planning

Committee and perhaps the Halton Administration and Finance body as well. Mr. Stanley, who is the Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food in Halton, said from his Milton office Friday the committee hopes to have a two-way flow of information. The committee seeks to advise the region and

hopes it will consult with it on agricultural matters. Mr. Stanley said many regional councillors are from urban areas. He said he would hope they would make use of the information which the committee commands. Milton's industrial park recently took up about 1,400 acres of land.

Mr. Stanley said that is lost forever to farming. It is a non-renewable resource. He said the committee wants the region to develop areas for developments which are not prime farmland. If this means that development takes place to the south to allow the northern part of the region to be left for

farming then it should be done, he said. The committee is composed of 10 members. President is Harold Middlebrook of Milton, former president of the Halton Federation of Agriculture. Other federation representatives are Jim Reid of R.R. 2, Georgetown, Norman Biggar of R.R. 1 Oakville, Keith

Anderson of R.R. 1 Campbellville and Ed Segsworth of R.R. 2 Milton. Arthur Lawson of R.R. 4 Milton represents the Halton Soil and Crop Association. The Halton Milk Committee is represented by George Bird of R.R. 2, Georgetown. Jim McKay of R.R. 3 Georgetown represents

the Halton-Peel Beef Producers and Paul Saliba of Hornby, the Halton-Wentworth Fruit and Vegetable Growers Association. Mr. Stanley said the region had been advised by the federation. The new committee takes in a broader cross section of the agricultural community.

High school news

by Janet Rowe
On April 3 Acton had four entries in the Halton Peel Gymnastics meet.

Cindy Brouillard placed fourth on bars in the junior division with a score of 7.9. Barb Wilson placed fourth on beam with a score of 7.75 and second on bars with a score of 8.3 and fourth all round in the junior division with a score of 29.11 in four events. Cindy and Barb will compete at the Halton's tomorrow evening at Lord Elgin.

"Bump for Life" is here once again. The 10 hour dance-a-thon will take place on April 21 at Acton High. So come on

out and join in, on all the fun.

The Acton High cafeteria, is no longer known as the cafeteria, for on April 9 '79 it was officially named "The Teen Cuisine". This name was suggested by Paul Nolan.

Due to the snow day last Friday and Monday, report card day that was to be on Monday was changed until today.

The drama club is working extremely hard, preparing for their show, "Bye Bye Birdie". The nights of the show are April 25, 26 and 27. The show will be very entertaining for everyone, so don't miss it.

Student gets scholarship

Stephen Dawkins, a student at Acton high school has been awarded two entrance scholarships to the University of Guelph, where he will commence studies in the spring semester on April 30.

For having one of the highest averages on admission, he will receive \$1500 plus \$150 for an average of over 80 per cent. His average leaving

grade 13 was 85 per cent. Stephen will initially be studying economics and business administration. He intends to eventually attend law school.

As well as attending Acton high school Stephen has been working part time at Toronto Woodtreating, Acton. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dawkins, 252 McDonald Blvd. Acton.

Education Week April 22 to 28

M.Z. Bennett Public School will once again identify with Education Week from April 22 through 28.

Each year one week in April is set aside as Education Week. To focus the attention of the community on the schools M.Z. Bennett has set up several functions.

On the Monday of the special week, Eric Balkind, principal of Howard Wigglesworth Public School, Georgetown will be on hand for a 7:30 p.m. session on "Parenting and Education". The session will involve a discussion period and a film.

On Tuesday, M.Z. Bennett will hold an

"Open Morning" in which parents are invited to attend and visit classes while they are in session.

The school will host an open house on Thursday evening from 7:30 to 9 p.m. At that time parents and visitors will be welcome to visit the school. During the evening the students will be involved in a variety of activities.

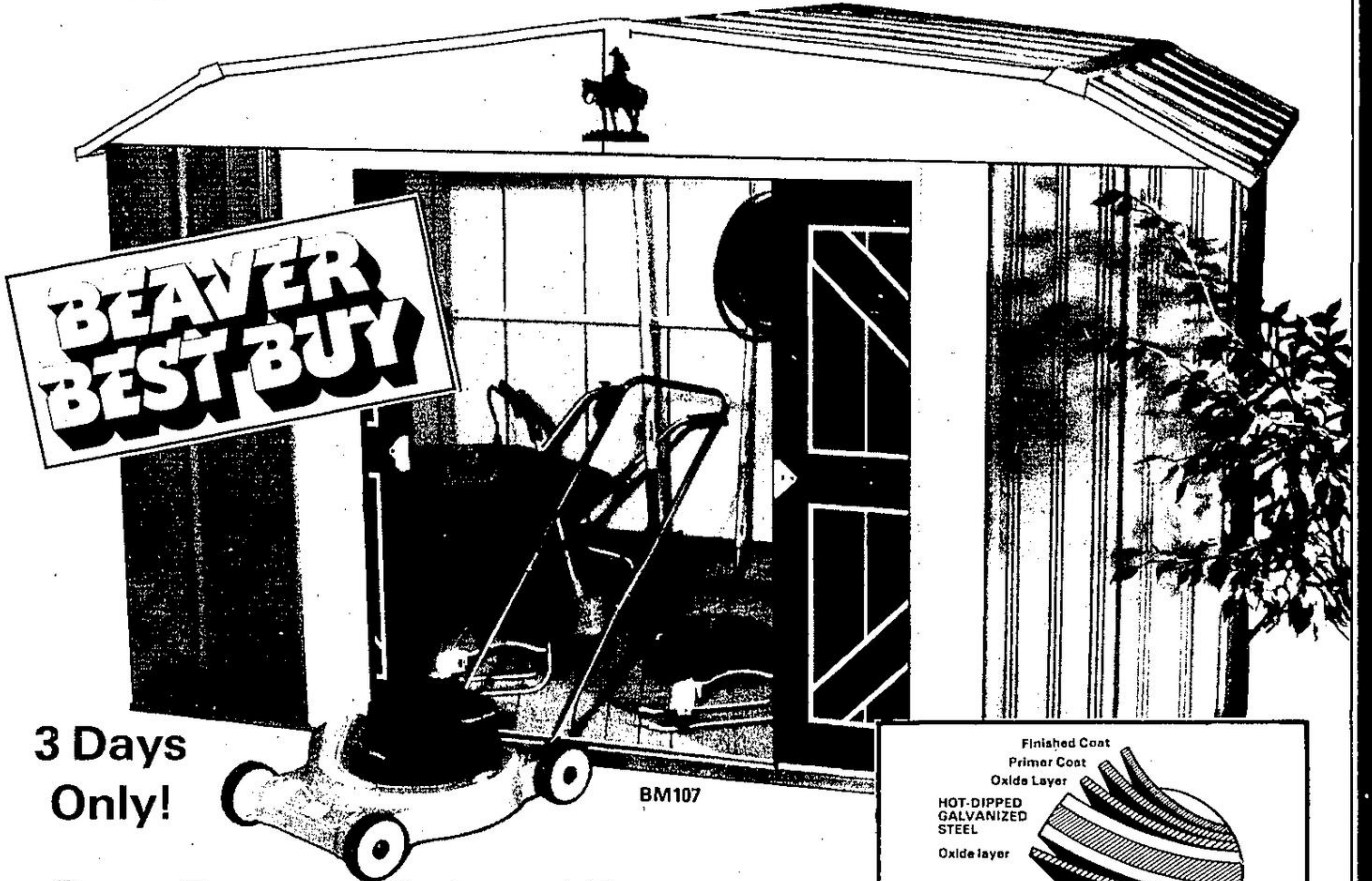
Halton Board of Education Trustee Betty Fisher will be a guest of the school on Tuesday, May 1. Mrs. Fisher and M.Z. Bennett principal Doug Magwood will be on hand beginning at 7:30 p.m. to discuss any topics concerning school board policy, curriculum, etc.



John Hogenbrk loads a bag of fertilizer into a car Saturday during the annual Trinity United church's fertilizer sale. Bags were picked up at the Acton Free Press building.



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