

DRUMQUIN

Severe storm hits area early school registration

By Mrs. Cecil Patterson
Mrs. Michelle Vella of Toronto is enjoying a holiday with her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Tony Saleba and family.
Mr. and Mrs. John Morley and children returned home Sunday August 17 from a two-week holiday at Winnipeg with relatives.
An electric storm accompanied by a deluge of rain hit this area on Saturday afternoon and evening. A large spruce tree at the home of L. S. Morley was struck by lightning and caught on fire. Luckily the Morley family, although dazed by the lightning bolt, suffered no serious effects and were able to squelch the blaze. Fuses in the kitchen were blown and a short circuit in an upstairs bedroom lamp gave cause for alarm. Lightning had hit the same spruce tree a few years ago, so the old saying - lightning never strikes the same place twice - must be wrong.
Birthdays to Randy Finnie, Claire Northcote, Mrs. Erma McDowell, Doyle Cordingly, Donna Leslie, Tommy Marchment, Catherine Newlands.
The electric storm caused considerable damage to Hornby Park, and the local golf course was closed on Sunday, Aug. 17. Many bridges were washed out and the Sixth Line was closed for several hours.
Mr. John Kobzey, principal of Percy W. Merry school, requests

Buds bud

even more

Apparently sunflowers are more prolific than it might have been thought.
A picture in last week's issue of a sunflower with 11 big buds drew a report from M. Provasnik that this kind of production wasn't all that unusual. A picture in Centennial year was available showing a sunflower with 24 blooms.
Now how about that! Can it be topped?

Issue permit another hangar at Ross airstrip

Permission to build another hangar on his airstrip was granted Ross Lake Farm owner Joe Ross at the last meeting of Esquesing Township.
Council endorsed the building permit when Reeve George Currie told them they had no authority to stop Mr. Ross from building.
The Ross airstrip was the subject of a petition aimed at stopping establishment of a flying field earlier this year. Council then learned only the Department of Transport could prevent Mr. Ross from building the airstrip.
How are you getting along with your neighbors? asked Reeve Currie of Mr. Ross. "Excellent," replied Mr. Ross.

-Find cash for the big back-to-school rush, by using a Champion classified to sell unneeded items around your home.

that newcomers to this area register their children for school any day from Aug. 25 to Aug. 29. The school office will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day. The principal will be pleased to meet the parents and children and by so doing, will avoid much confusion on opening day of school, which is Tuesday, Sept. 2.
Mr. and Mrs. John Kobzey attended the Weir family reunion on Saturday August 16 at the farm home of their cousin Mr. and Mrs. Charles Austin at Elora. Nearly fifty attended this special event. Mr. and Mrs. Austin recently acquired their new farm at Elora and are planning to move soon from their present home above Hornby.

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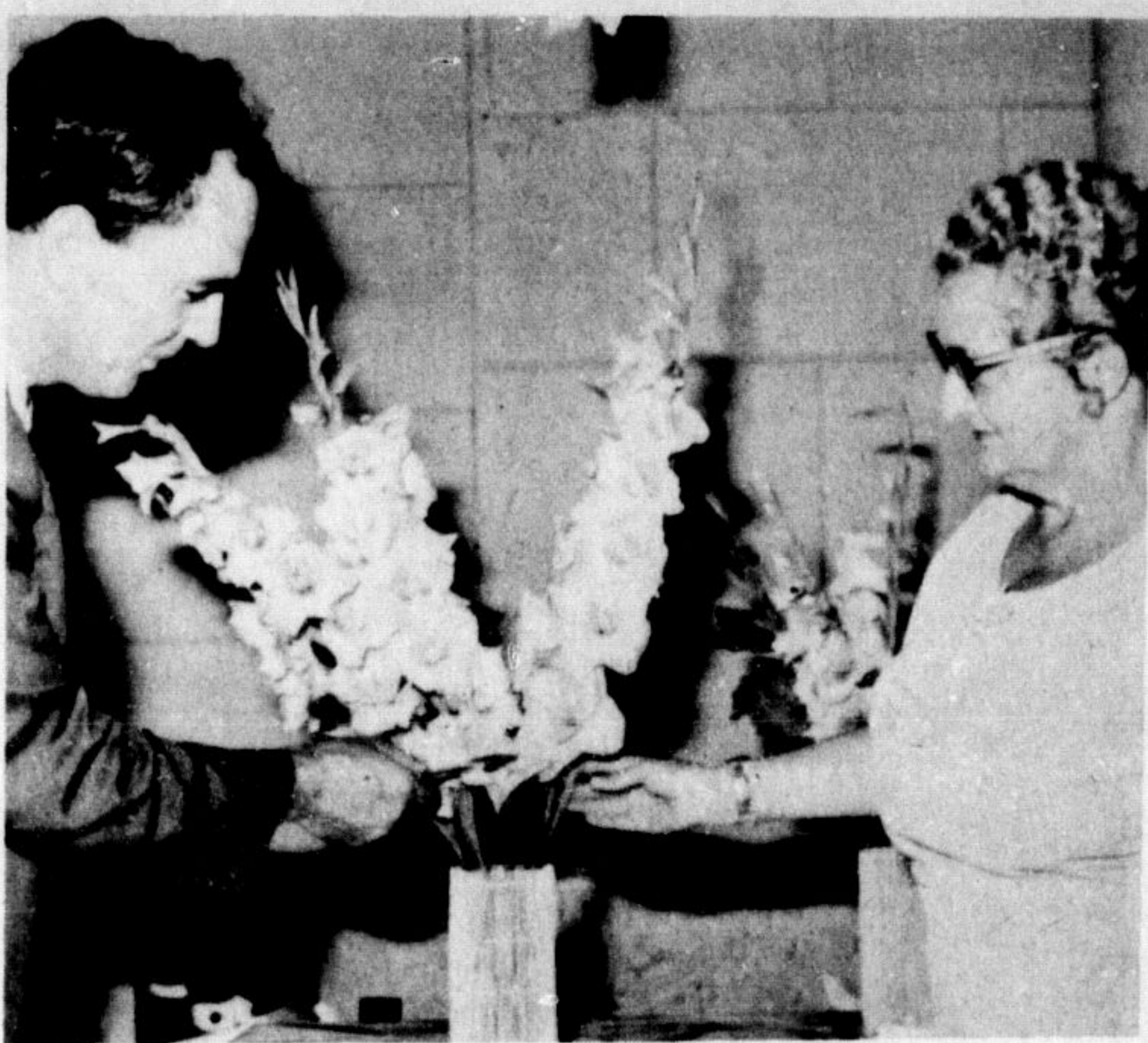
Hornby is hit again by heavy rain storm

By Mrs. Jim Hamilton
The members of the Hornby Women's Institute spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Percy Merry on Wednesday, August 13. The president, Mrs. Cecil Patterson welcomed the ladies and conducted the business session. The roll call "A cold remedy and not aspirin" was answered by the fourteen ladies present and mentioned such old fashioned remedies as onion and goose grease poultices, onion poultices, rest, drink liquids etc. The correspondence included a letter regarding the new home economist for Halton and Peel and also regarding the training school days for the 4-H Club leaders for the fall project, "Meat in the Menu", the advanced Milton Fair prize list and a letter from the adopted child in Hong Kong. As the leaders training school comes on the regular W. I. meeting day it was decided to hold the meeting on the Tuesday, September 9. Mrs. Hugh O'Connor reported for the committee for the display at the Milton Fair. Mrs. Roy Wilson gave the highlights of the visit of the 4-H leader from Wisconsin who had been a guest in her home for a week. This leader had brought a group of 4-H boys and girls up for a visit to some Ontario farms. Mrs. Patterson read a "take-off" entitled, "That's My Boy" which was quite amusing and reminded the ladies of their children when they were young. The topic, "A favorite way to relax" took the form of a discussion with each one taking part. A number of contests and games were enjoyed followed by a bountiful picnic lunch served on the lawn in the shade of the trees.

Anniversary greetings to Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson who will celebrate their wedding anniversary on Friday, August 22.

Get well wishes are extended to Craig Royce who is a patient in the Milton District Hospital where he underwent surgery.

Donald Shea returned home by plane on Sunday evening from Calgary and Banff where he spent last week on a business trip.



CLOSELY EXAMINING one of the exhibits at the Milton and District Horticultural Society's annual show on Wednesday are John Simkins, from Oakville who was one of the judges, and Mrs. Wilbert Ford, secretary of the Horticultural Society. The annual event was held at the Pine Street Union Hall.-(Staff Photo)

The Gates-Campbell clan held their third family reunion on Sunday, August 17, at the North Trafalgar Recreation Centre on Steeles Avenue with a small crowd attending. Following a bountiful dinner everyone went outdoors where the children enjoyed a peanut scramble and other games. A guessing game for the adults was won by Mrs. Donald Campbell of Port Perry with Mrs. Lee Smith of Hamilton winning the second prize. The couple travelling the farthest was Mr. and Mrs. Donald Campbell of Port Perry and the couple married the longest was Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith of Woodstock. The pete tots all received little favours. Following the entertainment a short business meeting was held when a committee was chosen to look after the reunion for 1970. The committee elected were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gates and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Smith. A picnic supper was served at 5 p.m. and a social hour spent. Friends attended from Burlington, Hamilton, Acton, Georgetown, Port Perry, Woodstock and Hornby.
Mrs. Margaret Treanor of

Meadowvale visited last Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shea of Derry Road.

Friends in this district extend get well wishes to Cecil Patterson Sr. who was treated at the Milton District Hospital for head injuries received while assisting his son Cecil Jr. to cut up a tree at his home.
The rain storm on Saturday caused heavy damages to the Hornby district for the second time this month. Park benches at the Hornby Park were swept down the flats of the park and some were hanging from the swings and one bench is still missing. Several basements were flooded in the local district and some trees and tree stumps were washed down the ditches.

Mrs. Garry Hamilton, Kent, Kendra and Kimberley and Mrs. Jim Hamilton attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Jenson of Georgetown, which was held in honour of their daughter Shelley who was celebrating her 5th birthday.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fries are enjoying their summer vacation in Florida.

The subject was roses at annual flower show

By Mrs. W. Ford
Milton and District Horticultural Society held a most successful Flower Show in the Union Hall, Pine Street August 13, with 229 entries. The meeting opened by the singing of O Canada. Mrs. W. Ford introduced the guest speaker Mr. Peter Hughes of Norval. The subject was "Roses".
Mr. Hughes gave a short talk on the origin of the rose.
It is an eternal flower he said. Its history dates back further than civilization, the oldest flower known to man and can be traced back 35 million years. This would make it older than Eden. No other flowers are so surrounded by symbolism and superstition, myth and magic. Mythologies tell us of Eve kissing the white rose in the Garden of Eden and it blended with pleasure and has remained pink ever since. Also it is claimed that until the fall of man the rose was without thorns.
The red rose in the national flower of England. Robert Burns referred to it in his immortal lines, "My love's like a red, red rose that's newly sprung in June." There are 8,000 known rose varieties. The rose is part of the North American way of life.
Mr. Hughes showed a film entitled "Johny Rose". This showed cultivation of the soil, irrigation, fumigation, putting paper over the soil to stop weed growth. The cutting and budding for greenhouse, when the cuttings are ready they are sent air freight to all parts of the world.
It is estimated that there are one and a half roses for each person in Canada.
Roses should last five to seven days in the home if properly

cared for. Chlorinated or soft water is not good for them, though.

It is hoped that more chain stores will sell flowers. This would contact more people.

Mrs. Rummy thanked Mr. Hughes for his address and film.
The T. Eaton trophy went to the high score, Mr. Wilmer Thompson 57 points; second high Mrs. G. Coverdale 39 points; third high, Mrs. M. Readhead 25 points; fourth Mrs. P. Cox 21 point; fifth Mrs. A. Clements 20 points; sixth Mrs. A. McCann 18 points.

Special prizes for best in sections: first, Mrs. M. Readhead; second Mrs. A. Clements; third Mrs. P. Cox; fourth Mrs. G. Coverdale.
Childrens 5, Karen Doherty.
Mr. Tinkler was the exhibitor who had never won a first at an annual show.

In section two class 14 roses, W. J. Thompson.

In section three class 35 zinnias, cacti, Mrs. M. Readhead. There were 19 lucky door prizes.

The executive of the Milton District Horticultural Society wish to thank the following prize donors: The T. Eaton Co.

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your telephone manager

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