

# Champion Farm Page

## Protect the senses is theme for Fair

**By Hugh Cook**  
A meeting of the Halton Farm Safety Council was held on Tuesday, May 11.

There were four entries in the Safety Poster Competition. The winners were as follows:  
4-H Section - First - Stephen Stanley of R. 2, Rockwood and Second - Fern Lawrence of R. R. 1, Milton.

Public School Section - First - David Stanley and Richard Stanley was second. Both are of R. R. 2, Rockwood.

**Safety ideas**  
The council discussed ideas for

the Milton Fair Safety Displays. The theme for the displays this year will be "Protect the Senses".

It has been suggested that a gas detector for use in detecting deadly silage gases, may be of some use in the county. The council is presently looking into the feasibility of purchasing this piece of equipment. Another suggestion was that a thermometer for measuring the temperature of hay or grain in storage may be of some use to the county. This is also being looked

## Egg prices disastrous will express opinions

**By Henry J. Stanley**  
The Farm Products Marketing Board announced that approval has been given to a request by the Egg and Poultry Producers' Marketing Board for an expression of opinion on proposed major amendments to the egg and fowl producers' marketing plan.

The proposed amendments include authority for the egg

producers' board to control and regulate marketing of eggs in Ontario through marketing quotas, price setting, and the pooling of return for over-quota eggs.

All egg producers are entitled to vote but must be registered with the egg board to establish their eligibility. Ballotting will be by mail and is expected to take place the latter part of June. The proposed amendments will be discussed with egg producers at information meetings which will be held across the province by the egg and fowl producers' marketing board.

Details of the proposed amendments and ballotting procedures will be mailed by the Farm Products Marketing Board to all registered producers prior to ballotting. Lists of producers who have registered with the egg and fowl producers' marketing board will be prepared and all producers who have not yet registered are urged to do so in order to qualify for a ballot.

During the past year, egg prices have been at disastrously low levels, resulting in high losses in almost all poultry operations.



POSTER CONTEST WINNERS in the competition sponsored by Halton Farm Safety Council were Stephen Stanley, 12, left, and his brother David Stanley, 10. Stephen won the class for 4-H club members with a poster on wearing earmuffs on the tractor; David's won the open class for public school students for emphasizing eye safety. —(Staff Photo)

### Hornby

## Trees, plants auctioned by Hornby church women

**By Mrs. Jim Hamilton**  
The North Trafalgar Euchre Club held their weekly euchre party on Saturday night, May 15, at the North Trafalgar Recreation Centre. There were 10 tables of euchre in play with the high prizes being awarded to the following winners, Mrs. Clare Wilson, Mrs. Gerald Teneycke, Mrs. Guy Bussell and Mrs. Frank Peacock. Winners for the gentlemen were Wilbert Nix, Harold Reed and Bill McLean. The lucky draws were won by Bill Thomson and Mrs. Jim Hamilton.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Jim Maxwell and Roy Coupland of Hornby, on the sudden death of their brother Edgar Warwick Coupland who died on Thursday, May 13, at his home in Norval. The funeral service was held at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home, Georgetown, on Saturday. Interment was at Hillcrest Cemetery, Norval.

**May meeting**  
The May meeting of St. Stephen's Anglican Church Women was held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Plant on Tuesday evening, May 11. The president, Mrs. Craig Royce, welcomed the

10 members to the meeting which was opened with the Guild prayer. Mrs. Cliff Hunter will be in charge of purchasing the flowers for around the fountain for the Decoration Day which will be held on June 13. Mrs. Jim Plant will be in charge of arranging their annual dinner and theatre night which will be held on Tuesday evening, June 8.

Following the business part of the meeting, Mrs. Craig Royce auctioned off a number of small trees, shrubs, house plants and rockery plants. Following the sale a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Friends in this district were sorry to hear that Mrs. Ingeborg Karl of Winston Churchill Blvd. died suddenly at her home recently.

Friends of Sammy Sammit will be pleased to hear that he has returned home from the General Hospital in Toronto, where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cook of Dundalk have been visiting with their daughter Dorothy and children while their son-in-law, Sammy was in the hospital. Birthday greetings are extended to the following who are celebrating their birthdays, Mrs. Ted Walter and Brenda Lockie on

Sunday, May 23, and Lorrie-Arn Beene on May 25.

Mrs. Mary Bradley of Hornby, has been visiting with her daughter Edna Fortner of Morton, Illinois.

**Get well**  
Friends in this district extend get well wishes to Ken Ella who is a patient in the Milton District Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hancock and Mrs. Irene Saunders and son John attended the show at the Ontario Place at the waterfront in Toronto on Sunday May 16.

Geoffrey Drew-Brook will be the co-ordinator for the Salvation Army in the area north of Oakville. The Surfers Car Club will be delivering the literature ahead of time.

**Exchange concert**  
The White Oaks High School Band went to Seaford, Long Island, New York, on an exchange trip concert. A return trip was made on Thursday to White Oaks by the Seaford High School Band. Three of the girls spent the weekend with Judy Saunders and enjoyed it very much. The girls were Angela Del Greco, Lynne Gallo and Linda Schneider.

## Tips offered on elm removal

**By Henry J. Stanley**  
Farmers removing dead and dying elm trees should take special safety precautions, says farm safety specialist Hal Wright, of the Ontario Department of Agriculture and Food. He offers several hints to prevent injury or death.

Always wear a safety hat. Never cut trees alone. A second operator nearby will ensure help should an emergency arise. At the same time, make sure no one is in the vicinity of falling trees.

Watch out for "window makers" - dead limbs which may break off during cutting. If the limbs appear likely to break off, use a cable and tractor to shake them off, making sure the cable is longer than the height of the tree. Fasten the cable as high as possible on the tree.

**Don't use wedge**  
Use wedges as little as possible. The shock of driving them in could cause the dangerous top limbs to break off.

Watch out for partially concealed staples or fence wire if the tree is in a fencerow.

Diseased elm wood has lost its flexibility and strength. Be on guard for trees that snap off prematurely during cutting.

## Farmers want non-returnable bottles banned

"Request the Ontario government to implement and enforce legislation to control and eliminate the discarding of bottles on our roadsides."

That's what delegates to the Ontario Federation of Agriculture's 1966 convention resolved to do. And that's what they did. Early the next year OFA requested the government to introduce controls.

The government hasn't, as yet. Last year Murray Gaunt, member of the legislature for Huron-Bruce, introduced a private member's bill calling for the banning of non-returnable bottles. That bill died on the order paper.

He introduced the same bill again this session. It received first reading May 3, 1971.

"I have received letters of support from all across the province," he says of his bill. "Farmers tell me they run over these bottles on the road and cut their car and tractor tires. They say that they cut up the teats and udders of their cows."

Legislation to cope with this problem is badly needed by farmers. Non-returnable bottles must be banned in this province."

**Likes support**  
"I appreciate the support that OFA gave me on this bill."

In direct response to Gaunt's bill, Energy Minister George Kerr set up a committee - the Litter Control Council - to investigate the problem.

Said OFA's vice-president Frank Wall recently, "I hope that the concern generated by OFA and Murray Gaunt will stimulate some government action."

## Top producers in area herds

A pair of high producing Dual Purpose Shorthorns on Milton area farms recently turned in outstanding records of performance.

Mt. Zion Claudia 2nd, a mature cow in the herd of Allan Patterson and Son, gave 15,087 lbs. milk, 613 lbs. fat for a BCA of 210 and 213. Morlock Rosemary 2nd, owned by C. A. Peacock of Milton, gave 12,067 lbs. milk, 451 lbs. fat, for a BCA of 175 and 163. Rosemary is also a mature cow.

—Many will be heading north to open their summer cottages this holiday weekend.

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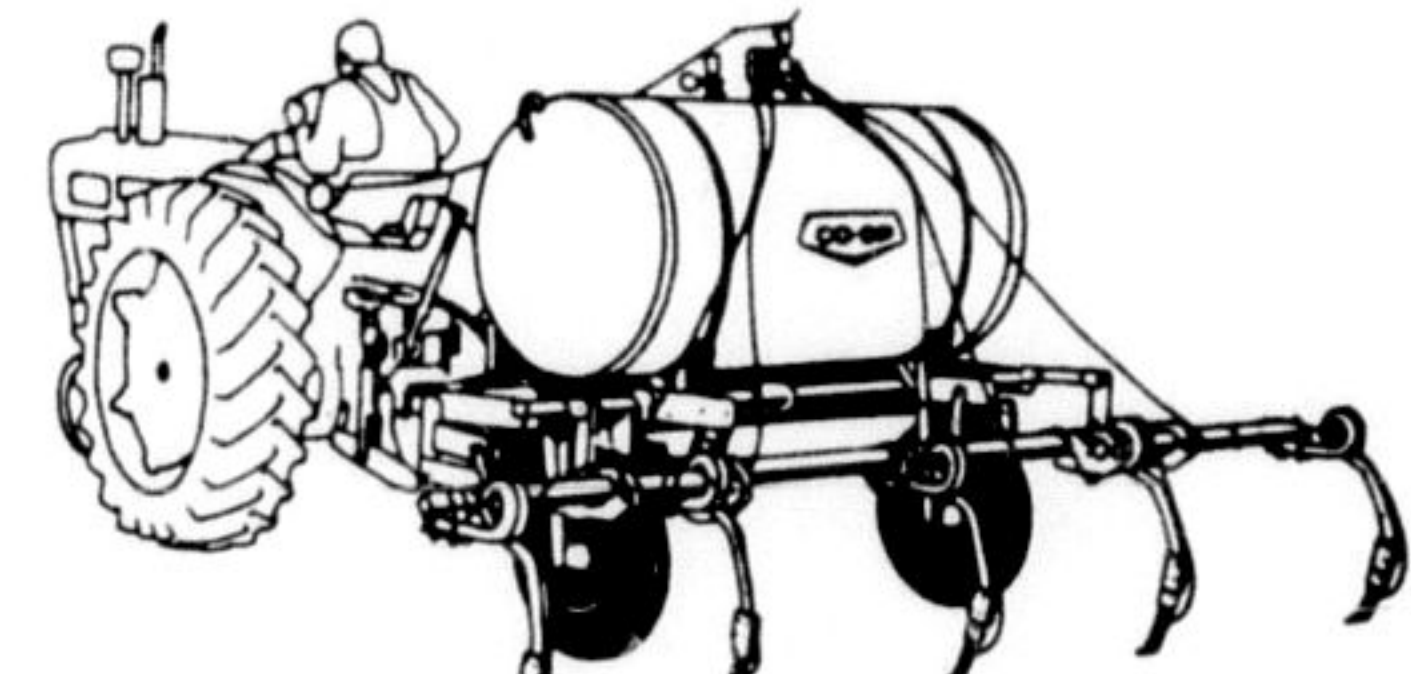
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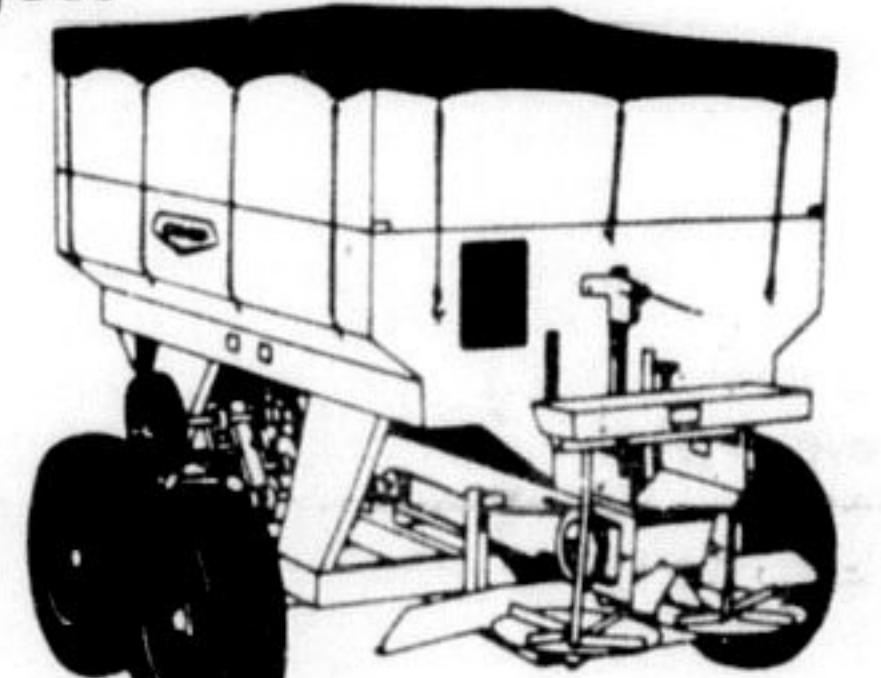
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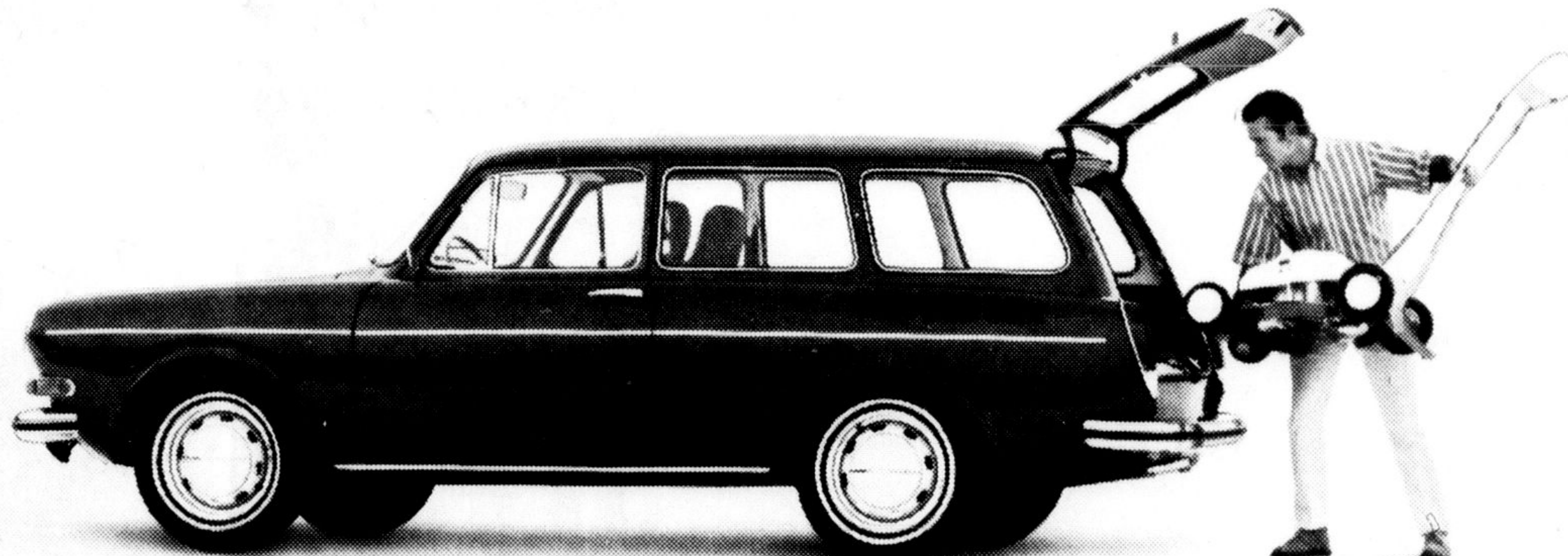
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