Champion

a month, including services.

After considering the survey

report, Council can initiate the

program it outlines by adopting a

resolution requesting OHC to go

ahead. Capital costs are shared

by the Provincial and Federal

Sunrise farm tour of great interest

By Henry J. Stanley

tendent

on since

omoted

deputy Toronto

ffective

et been

t at the

will be

intil an

e Adult

ton and

joining

ectional

staff

mpton

Safety at it is

rive at

A new event was undertaken by the Halton Soil and Crop Improvement members this year - a Sunrise tour of projects in the County.

The first visit was to the cornfields of Harvey Nurse, R.R. 2, Georgetown. One field of corn is over eight feet high, considerably ahead of normal for this season of year. herbicide trials were then inspected. Bladex, Lasso, and Atrazine were compared both singly and in combination for control of grasses and broad leaf weeds in corn.

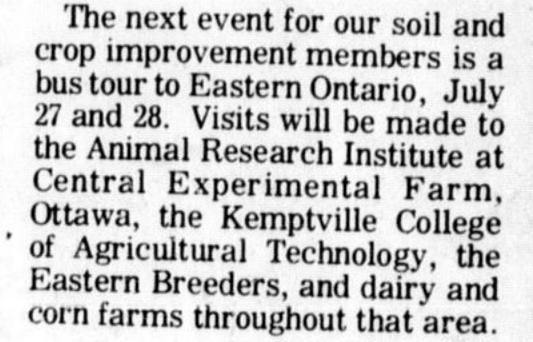
Everyone then travelled by car to Tom McGee's to inspect an Alfalfa field. A portion of this field was treated some six years ago with agricultural limestone as the pH was 5.7, somewhat too low for alfalfa. Yields on the treated section of the field were over one-half ton of hay higher with 75 per cent alfalfa in the stand as compared to only 50 per cent in the untreated section.

Experiment white beans Soy beans, white beans, and turnips were discussed at Bill

Speck's at Hornby. Bill has increased his acreage of soy beans to 80 acres this year and is hoping for a yield of 30 bushel per

experimental crop of white beans, a crop which may have a future in this county.

The last stop was to examine a field of birdsfoot trefoil. As this



crop is resistant to the alfalfa

weevil, and is much more

permanent than alfalfa, farmers

are being encouraged to devote a

portion of their acreage to it.



A VIEW FROM THE MT. NEMO TOWER yards, houses, barns and livestock from the is breathtaking on a clear summer escarpment edge. —(Staff Photo) morning. One can see for miles the farm-

Farm Safety Week

Urge safer farming methods

The rapid increase in the use of 'make hay while the sun shines,' power equipment and chemicals there is no need to sacrifice on Canada's farms makes rural safety in the name of speed," Mr. safety practices much more Thackray said.

Farm and Industrial Equipment Institute is sponsoring Farm Safety Week nationally from July farming methods to the attention of the rural population.

"This is part of the safety chemicals and poison sprays. movement's program to change attitudes towards safety from apathy to concern," J. C. Thackray, President of the Canada Safety Council, said in his campaign message.

Unsafe acts "The great majority of acare caused by unsafe individual safety practices causes far too many deaths and injuries on the people are

young children.

The Canada Safety Council The Canada Safety Council in believes the proper place to start co-operation with The Canadian creating this new attitude towards safety is in the home when children are very young. Paying attention to teaching 25-31. The aim of the campaign is children safety in the farm home to bring the urgent need for safer is particularly important because of the extra hazards found in a rural environment, such as

Hazards of highways

The farm population also faces extra highway hazards because of faster speeds on rural highways and ever-increasing traffic density. Rural areas are the sites of three quarters of all traffic deaths and more than 42 per cent cidents including farm accidents of traffic injuries although their populations represent less than 40 acts. Disregard of common sense per cent of the national total.

Accidents take place when subjected farm. Often the victims are uncontrolled forces.

"Despite the great pressure to greater in the uncontrolled farm

possibility of this happening is

accidents.

work environment.

The new sources of power and more powerful equipment are maintained. inherently progressive developments which save considerable manual labor and increase productivity to the benefit of farmers and the population they feed.

They become hazardous only when they are used improperly. There is plenty of evidence that this takes place much too frequently on farms.

Shields "a bother"

A survey by the Farm Safety Council of Ontario embracing 200 farms found that 40 per cent of the tractor master shields were missing and 20 per cent of the power take-off shields were either missing or ineffective.

Apparently, many farmers considered adequate shielding as too much of a bother. But this safety malpractice greatly increases the uncontrolled power hazard and thus the risk of accidents.

While there are many modern machines in use on farms, there are still a great number of older models being operated. Many of and steering which result in

new machinery and to keep their

Tractors, because of their braking characteristics and high center of gravity, are not IS CIMOST OVER designed for highway use. If farmers must use their tractors on roads, they should make sure children are not allowed to accompany them.

Nowhere else is a work area employing powerful machinery so integrated with home life. One result of this is a high proportion of young children killed or injured on farms.

These can be prevented by keeping children away from the work area and being especially alert for children when using machinery around the house and

Modernization

The big majority of farm accidents are caused by improper operating procedures. Modern farming requires modern safety

Farmers must think about the safety consequences of their these have inadequate brakes operations before they start work and make sure they do what is required to make their farms Farmers are urged to follow safer, healthier places in which to safety instructions when using work and live.

the need and demand for admunicipality. In this regard, ditional senior citizen housing in interviews will be conducted with such community representatives and the results of the survey will as municipal officials, businesshave a distinct bearing on how men, social and welfare workers soon Milton's second senior and the clergy.

Survey senior housing needs

second project may be needed

growth factors and current and

future housing needs in the

citizens' housing project will be Senior citizens in Milton will receive letters outlining the Milton's first such project, a 36- Government's housing program G-ROLD - ROLD suite apartment building on and asking them if they wish to Ontario St. N., was officially opened last month. It was oc-See town hall cupied earlier this year. The 36-

Milton Council convinced OHC to

Some interested persons may unit building is full and there is a not be reached by direct mail. waiting list of applicants so OHC urges them to obtain a questionnaire from the municipal take a new survey of needs to see if a second such building was If the survey shows a need for

senior citizens' housing, it will likely be an apartment building, The OHC research team will although consideration is given to estimate the number of senior one-storey units which do not citizens living in Milton whose require stairways. Apartments for couples have a living room, their financial capabilities. bedroom, bathroom and kitchen. Apartments for single tenants have a bed-sitting room. Their survey includes an bathroom and kitchen. All apartments are equipped with stove

assessment of economic trends. new machinery and to keep their older machines properly Chicken-egg war maintained.

"Supreme courts and provincial legislatures aren't going to solve farmers' marketing problems. Only farmers can satisfactorily solve those."

Big producer

A Dual Purpose Shorthorn

owned by Harold R. Patterson,

Milton, recently completed an

outstanding record of per-

Valley Crest Hardy's Princess,

a three-year-old, produced 11,561

pounds of milk, 444 pounds of fat.

The Breed Class Average is 189-

Corporation survey to determine

Milton is currently underway,

Send forms

housing is inadequate or beyond

Already over 200 questionnaires

have been sent out.

Ontario Federation of Agriculture President Gordon Hill was commenting on a recent meeting of egg producers from our provinces. Egg board officials and agriculture ministers from Ontario, Manitoba, Quebec and Nova Scotia met in Montreal hotel on Monday, to discuss marketing problems. They established a committee to propose a solution to present marketing conflicts.

Right approach

"This is the right kind of approach," Hill said in Toronto Wednesday. "Courts and legislatures can give farmerelected marketing boards implement marketing plans, but only farmers can agree on the plans themselves.

STEWARTTOWN

878-6816

"Milk producers and broiler chicken producers have already found this out. Last January Ontario and Quebec milk producers agreed to share markets. Now they produce milk to fill the markets' needs.

broiler chicken producers," continued Hill, "met in early July to discuss markets. Marketing board representatives from nine provinces agreed to request a delegation of federal powers, so they can equitably share the Canadian market."

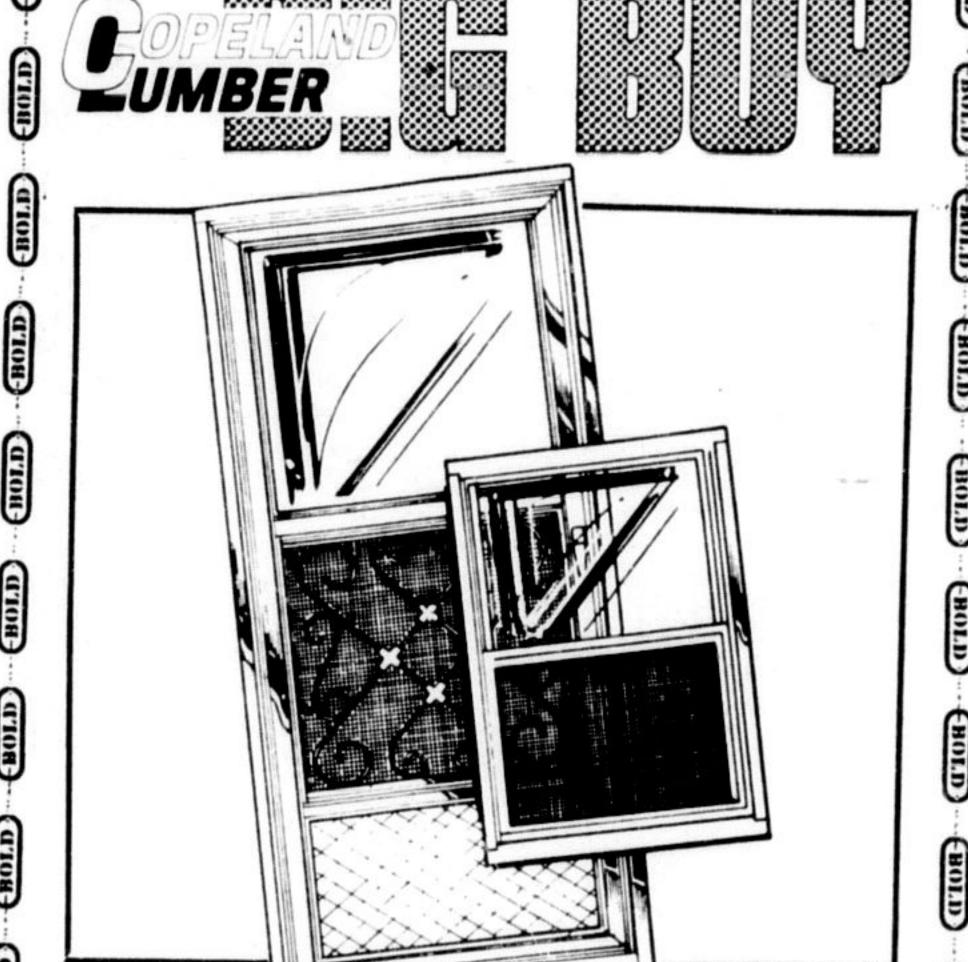
"The so-called chicken-and-egg war is nearly at an end," Hill said. "Farmers in the different provinces are finding that they can agree on marketing. They're finding that agreements between provinces can assure fair markets for all."

Governments.

Farm Page

Housing on a rent-geared-toincome basis is part of OHC's Home Ownership Made Easy (H.O.M.E.) Program. Those receiving questionnaires are asked to return them as soon as and refrigerator. Rent is geared possible to assist the survey to income and the minimum is \$32 team.

> -Halton County Board of Education's central administration office is located in Burlington, effective Monday of



ENHANCE AND INSULATE NOW!

Pre-hung, easy to install doors and windows of quality Insulate now for Summer and

Your Home Improvement Specialist.

COPELAND LUMBER

2172 Main St. E. FREE DELIVERY 878-235? Milton

Tax reform needed not more rebates

basic reform of the entire tax structure."

of Agriculture President Gordon Hill reacted when he heard Ontario Treasurer Darcy Mc-Keough's latest proposals for tax reform. Speaking at the opening of the regular quarterly meeting of provincial and federal finance ministers in Ottawa, McKeough said that pensioners and others on low incomes would get refunds of property and sales tax under a scheme being studied by the Ontario government.

"Ontario already doles out more than \$150 million in tax rebates," Hill said in Toronto Wednesday. "I can't understand why it wants to get in any deeper unless of course it's to keep useless bureaucrats busy.

More fundamental

"We must have a more fundamental reform of the tax system. To start with, the Ontario

Infection often enters trees through fire scars.

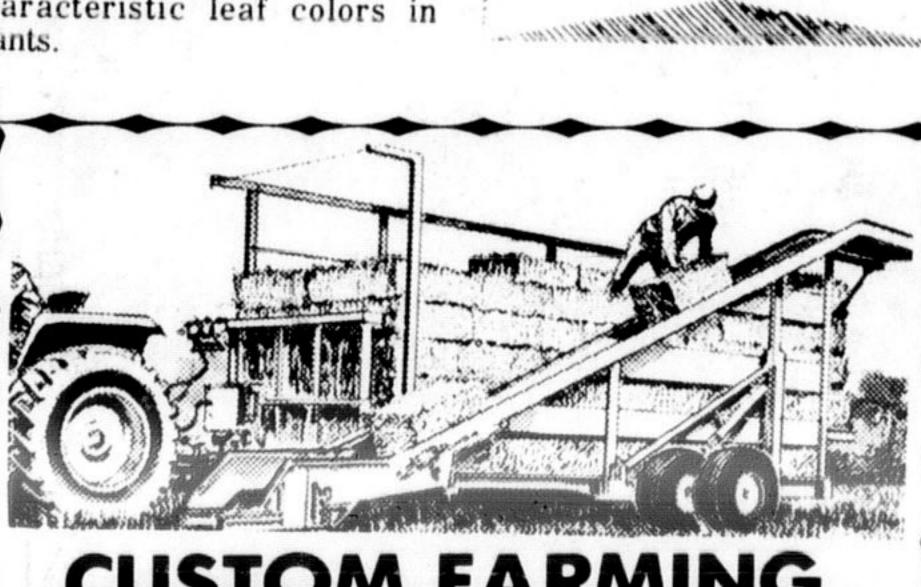
Nutrient deficiencies produce characteristic leaf colors in

"The Ontario government government should eliminate should realize by now that tax education taxes on property. It rebates and credits are not the should introduce a special educaanswer to unfair education tion tax on income to more fairly taxation. What is needed is a distribute the costs of education.

"Then it could do away with all the tax rebate schemes it's That's how Ontario Federation dreamed up to correct the inequities of the present system.



878-6378



CUSTOM FARMING

-COMBING-BALING -PLOWING -DISCING

PLANTING (CORN & GRAIN)

PHONE 878-3454

G. S. HILLMAN

Remember, "George" Doesn't Want All the Business - Just Yours.

• ATTENTION FARMERS • (*) CALL US AND ORDER YOUR REQUIREMENTS

FLY AND INSECT CONTROL PRODUCTS

We have good supplies of Rogor 40, Cygon 4E and Tuco Dimethuate for spraying barns. Also Livestock sprays.

MASTER FEEDS

YOUR ONE STOP FARM AND GARDEN CENTRE

877-3512

877-7375 Store & Warehouse Hours Open till 5 p.m. Monday to Friday inclusive — Saturday till 12 noon

ROCKYRIDGE BOARDING KENNELS REGD. NEW BUILDING IN QUIET WOODED SETTING

INDIVIDUAL PENS WITH ENCLOSED OUTSIDE RUNS

ELECTRICAL HEAT - PICK UP & DELIVERY

RR #2 CAMPBELLVILLE

D. JAMES

EXIT #38 HWY. 401 BASE LINE MILTON (ROCKY RIDGE #10 SIDE RD. HWY. #5 LOCATED 2 MILES SOUTH OF MOWHAWK RACE TRACK

WEST OF GUELPH LINE 14 MILE ON BASE LINE.

NIGHTLY

OPEN UNTIL



for Gas and Scobie's

Tire Service

ELECTRA HP78 Belted Fiberglass

| C73 | 2+2 | 14+15 | \$29.00 | |
|-----|-----|-------|---------|---|
| E78 | 2+2 | 14+15 | §31.00 | |
| F78 | 2+2 | 14+15 | \$32.00 | |
| G78 | 2+2 | 14+15 | \$33.00 | - |
| G78 | 2+2 | 14+15 | \$36.00 | 7 |



DUAL WHITEWALL

53 Base Line Rd.

ELECTRA HP78 Polyester Full 4 Ply

\$28.00 C78 **E78** 14 + 15\$30.00 F78 °31.00 14+15 **G78** \$32.00 14+15 **H78** \$35.00 14+15 **J78** §36.00 15 \$37.00 L78 15

SCOBIE'S

TIRE 878-3222

Milton