



Fun Fair Regent Street public school announced fun fair last weekend. Among the activities was this bingo game, other games of chance and many displays. Staff photo

In Ontario

Sheep testing on increase

Sheep performance testing in Ontario increased in 1977, reports Ron Dennis, Supervisor of the program for the Live Stock Branch, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food.

There were increases in the number of breeders enrolled and the number of lambs home and station tested. In 1977, 97 Sheep breeders performance tested their flocks and 5,179 lambs were home tested in these flocks, as compared with 78 breeders and 4,480 lambs which were home tested in 1976.

Thirty-five breeders entered 277 lambs on test at the New Hamburg and Kemptonville Sheep Test Stations, as compared with 217 lambs entered in 1976.

The home-flock testing part of the program provides breeders with useful ewe productivity information for culling the ewe flock, and lamb performance data for selecting genetically

superior flock replacements. Under the home-testing program, lambs are weighed between 40 and 60 days of age and, if not sold, are re-weighed between 110 and 130 days of age. Lamb performance information includes adjusted 50- and 120-day weights, and average daily gain between the two weighings.

At the Ontario test stations, lambs from different breeders' flocks are tested under uniform feeding and management condi-

ons. Average daily gain and feed conversion during the 60-day test period identifies those which are superior. Lambs which are

proven genetically superior and are physically sound are sold at a Station Tested Ram and Ewe Sale held in July.

Chiropractors stress Posture Week

Chiropractors, the media, and interested citizens from all regions of Huronia gathered at the Continental Inn in Barrie Monday night to commemorate National Posture Week, a week set aside to make people aware of the importance of correct posture to good health.

He said that educating youth to the importance of good posture is of prime importance, as it is in the early years that poor posture habits are first learned. Poor posture in a child can lead to permanent postural deficiencies, Dr. Brenner added.

He told the audience that good posture and good health are two factors that go hand in hand. Poor posture can lead to such ailments as heart disease, pinched nerves, and scoliosis, Dr. Brenner stated.

National Posture Week is recognized on a national basis in the United States, but at present, the Simcoe County Chiropractic Council is the only organization in Canada to officially designate the period May 1 to May 7 as posture week. It is the hope of the council that National Posture Week will soon be recognized across the province, and eventually, across the country.

The guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Doug Brenner, from the Kitchener-Waterloo area. His topic was "Spinal Hygiene and Posture", and in his speech he discussed the effects of

Junior Farmers provide opportunity

Junior Farmer Improvement Associations were developed in 1914 to provide an opportunity for young men to discuss farming.

In 1944, with a need for better organization, the Ontario Junior Farmers' Association was formed to include both men and women. The North Simcoe Junior Farmers' Association was established in 1946 with 150 members.

The Junior Farmers program provides an opportunity for young people, especially those in rural Ontario, to help themselves develop personally and to help better their community. Their motto is "Self Help and Community Betterment."

Activities in North Simcoe Organize the Barrie and Orillia Junior Fairs, sponsor the 4-H Sports Day, co-sponsor the 4-H Judging Competition, have directors on the Farm Safety Association and Simcoe County Federation of Agriculture, provide host families for United Kingdom Exchange delegates, participate in fund raising projects for charities, organize recreational activities such as curling, dance, snowmobile rides, hay rides and swimming for local members.

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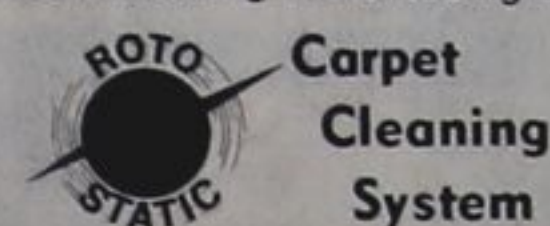
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Introduction.

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To ensure that immigration continues to work for the good of Canada, our immigration law has undergone some significant changes. And whether you're a fifth generation citizen or just a visitor, you ought to know what's new.

The changes.

For the last four years, individuals and organizations have made suggestions for change to Canada's immigration law and policy.

Many of the responses received have become part of the new immigration law, designed to serve everyone's best interests for years to come.

For the first time, the basic purposes and principles of our immigration law are clearly stated in the law itself. All other provisions of the law, and the way they are carried out by immigration officers, now flow from these purposes and principles:

Non-discrimination. Reunion of families. Humanitarian concern for refugees. And the promotion of Canada's economic, social and cultural goals.

Just words you say? Well read on, because the rest of the new law has been carefully written to make it possible for Canada to live up to its word.

of the immigration of a wide range of close relatives. With the new family class, Canadian citizens can now sponsor parents of any age.

Canada has always protected refugees within her borders according to a Convention of the United Nations. This protection is now given the force of Canadian law. In addition, a new refugee class defines the when, how and who of accepting refugees for resettlement in Canada.

Civil rights of those involved in immigration proceedings receive greater protection under the new law. And deportation will no longer be the only possible penalty. There are now less drastic alternatives for minor infractions of immigration law. Immigration will not be easier, but it will be more predictable. Immigrants and visitors should always talk to their Canadian Government visa office before they make a move. That way, they'll know exactly where they stand when they step off the plane.

How it affects Canadians.

The new immigration law is a blueprint for the future. A flexible blueprint that allows for unexpected change. Its influence on the fabric of Canadian society will be subtle and long-range.

Under the new law, the federal and provincial

governments will share many responsibilities. To this end, formal agreements on immigration planning and management will be made with the Provinces.

Each year, after federal-provincial discussions, a target figure for immigration volume will be announced. The number will depend upon national, regional, economic and social goals. Immigrants will be encouraged to settle in places where their particular skills are really needed. They will be discouraged from settling in places where employment is a problem.

Generally speaking, illegal immigrants will find the law tougher than ever. As will those people who exploit illegal immigrants.

The new law, of course, will continue our tradition of strong protection against international criminals and terrorists.

In these ways and more, our new immigration law can only make Canada stronger. And a better place to live.

The future.

The future of immigration in Canada cannot be controlled by an ironclad set of rules. Canada's new immigration law combines humanity, justice, international responsibility and adaptability in a way that no other country's immigration law ever has.

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How it affects immigrants and visitors.

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