

Aug. 16 wedding

St. Ann's Memorial Church, Penetanguishene was the scene Aug. 16 of the wedding of Catherine Pilon to Richard Carriere.

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August nuptials

Linda Lesperance and Pat Desroches were recently married during ceremonies at St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church in Perkinsfield. Their nuptials took place on Aug. 9.





July wedding

A pretty July wedding at St. Ann's Memorial Church in Penetanguishene saw Judy Forget, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Forget, marry Ted Robitaille, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leger Robitaille.

Five-car pile-up

One man has been charged in connection with a five-vehicle pile-up Saturday morning that involved at least 14 persons.

Three vehicles were northbound, and two southbound, on Highway 69 south of Forest Harbour Road between Waubaushene and Port Severn around 9 a.m. when the mishap occurred.

Andrew Lemyre, 28, of Toronto, driving south, struck a car driven by Alan Armstrong, 26, of Aurora.

OPP were unable to provide a cause, but Lemyre was charged with careless driving. Anibal Claudino, 26, of Mississauga, driving north behind Armstrong, hit debris lying on the road that came from Armstrong's car.

Martin King, 29, of Waubaushene, also northbound, swerved to miss the first three cars, crossed the southbound lane, and came to rest with part of his vehicle in the west ditch.

Francis Cousineau, 18, of Honey Harbour, the other southbound vehicle, struck Martin's vehicle.

Damage ranged from a low of \$75 for Claudino to \$100 for King and \$500 for Lemyre to \$2,000 for Armstrong and \$2,000 for Cousineau, Midland OPP report.



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Farm delegate

A Junior Farmer exchange delegate from Australia, Ms. Helen Hurley, arrived in the area Friday night to begin a week-long stay in the North Simcoe region as part of a 17 week tour of farms and Junior Farmer programs in Canada.

Ms. Hurley, a native of Melbourne Australia, has been hosted by a Junior Farmer family in each county of Ontario after being selected to represent Victoria by the State Bank of Australia.

Her visit is essentially designed to allow her the opportunity to observe and exchange ideas with young people and clubs in Canada. To date her visits have involved her in tours, speeches to various clubs, games days, meetings as well as a little work on the farms she has been hosted at.

In making comparisons between her home club, and those in our country, Helen feels the two are similar, but the Canadian group s have a more defined Community Betterment program and are more into team games at a provincial level than they are in Australia. "The hierarchy though is basically the same", she stated.

As for the country itself, Helen said she experienced no culture shock whatsoever but was amazed at the large number of barns and outbuildings used here. In her country, there is no snowfall, therefore the need for these types of storage facilities is not so great.

The delegate, a primary school teacher back home, she resides on her father's 350 acres farm, where along with her brother, she helps breed cattle and show harness horses.

Operations in Australia are larger, she said, because of the abundance of land and the small population density. A normal sized farm would be around 700-800 acres as compared to the 100 acre plots averaged here.

Crops are basically the same, oats, barley and wheat as well as the sheep found on her parents' property. Much of the land over there is grassland, and Helen admitted to being 'very impressed' with the efficient use of land farmers make in Canada.

As for the lighter side of her visit, Helen experienced her first corn roast with her friends the Rumneys last weekend and has been

escorted by Ann, also a Junior Farmer, to various parties and gatherings.

'As it happens, I have no set adgenda for this visit,' she said, but is sure to be kept quite busy for the week she spends in the area before moving on to York County next week.

Living with Vern and Betty Rumney and their daughter Ann (as well as the eight dogs and many cats), the single girl will in no way lack for company as plans for pool parties, meetings and gettogethers are being made constantly.

Frankly we got our Franks mixed

We got our Franks mixed up Wednesday. Frank Whiteman of Midland and not Frank Powell of Midland allowed us to run a photo flashback on Page 5 in our paper.

Although both Franks appeared in the photograph along with other Midland Y's Men's Club members in the 1955 photo it was Frank Whiteman and not Frank Powell who brought in the photo.

Thanks Frank!

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