



Don Dunkeld of Zephyr is a happy man as he shakes hands with an official of the Ontario Plowman's Association. He won the Canadian championship and will represent Canada in the World event next year in Sweden. —Jim Thomas.

Local plowmen win big in national, provincial match

BROOKLIN — Although the World Plowing title went to a Norwegian, the Canadian and Ontario championships went to local men.

Winner of the Canadian Championship was Donald Dunkeld, 42, of Zephyr, who has taken the title for a second time.

Ivan DeGeer, 45, of Mount Albert, was declared the Ontario Plowing Champion. Next year Mr. DeGeer will compete in the Canadian competition and Mr. Dunkeld will try for the world championship in Sweden.

In addition Mr. DeGeer took several of the class awards. He won the Class IV - Group 1 award presented by Agripres Canada Limited, the Class II Champion Allis Chalmers, Rumely Limited award, the Imperial Oil Limited prize of a color television, the Harewood Special award of \$25 for the highest score from a contestant living in the county where the match is held, the F.A. Lashley Special trophy and a set of luggage for receiving the International Harvester Special.

For winning the Ontario title Mr. DeGeer received a set of silverware courtesy of the Bank of Montreal.

Anthony Featherstone, R. R. 1, Milliken, took two awards in Class 1 - Group 1. He was presented with the Farm and Country award and the Simpsons Sears plaque.

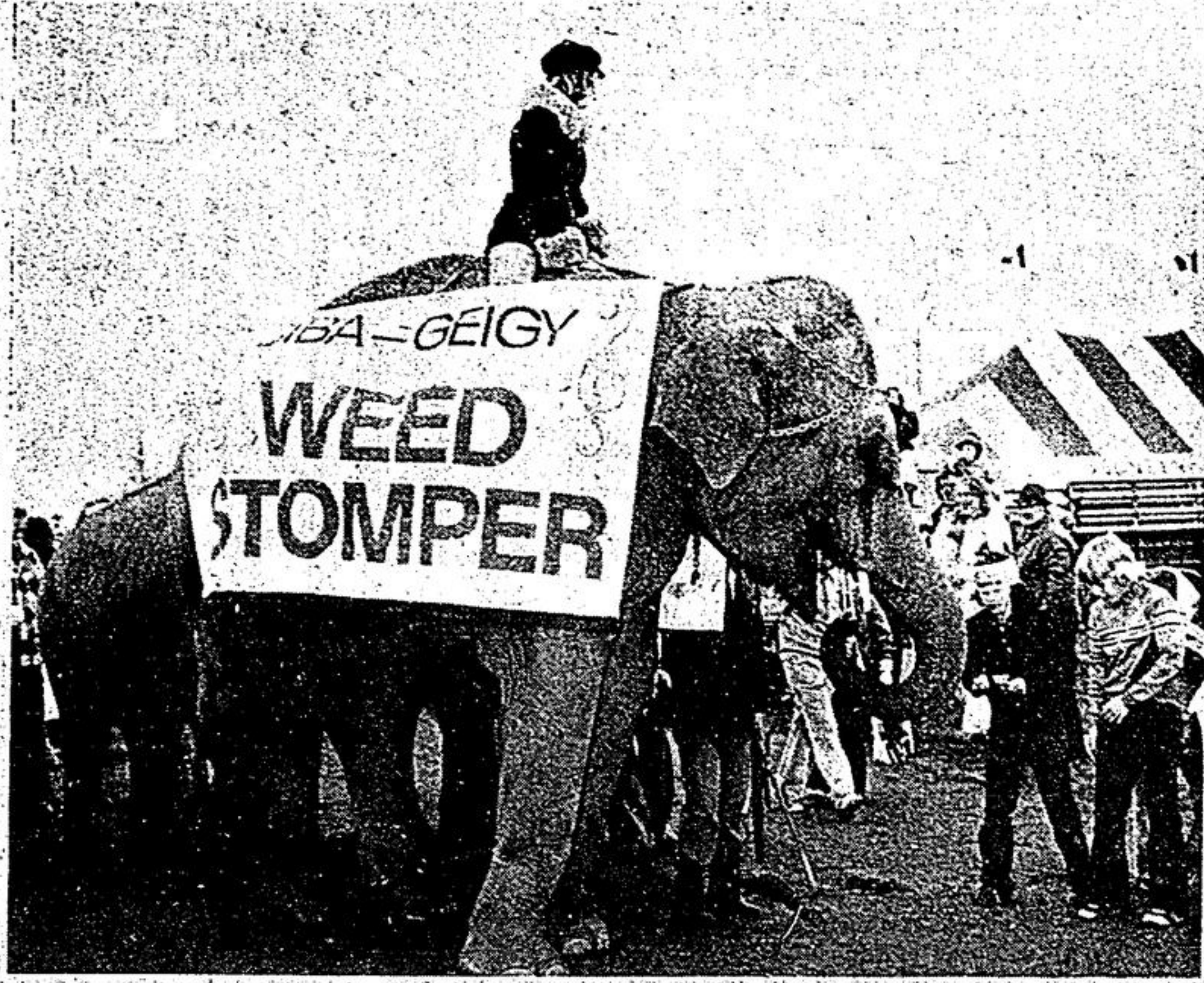
Lorne Britton, R. R. 3, Claremont, won the Class II - Group II competition in the 15 to 17 year old class. He received an award from the T. Eaton Company Limited.

In spite of the fact that much of the five day International Canadian & World Plowing Match was marred by rain and cold winds, a new attendance record was set.

A final day crowd of 50,000, which overflowed parking lots, forcing some spectators to park on access roads, brought the total attendance to 160,000. This was a record for both the International and Canadian Matches.

The more than 300 exhibits, on the 100 acre site, were described at the opening ceremonies by Agriculture Minister William Stewart as "the largest display of agricultural equipment ever assembled in North America."

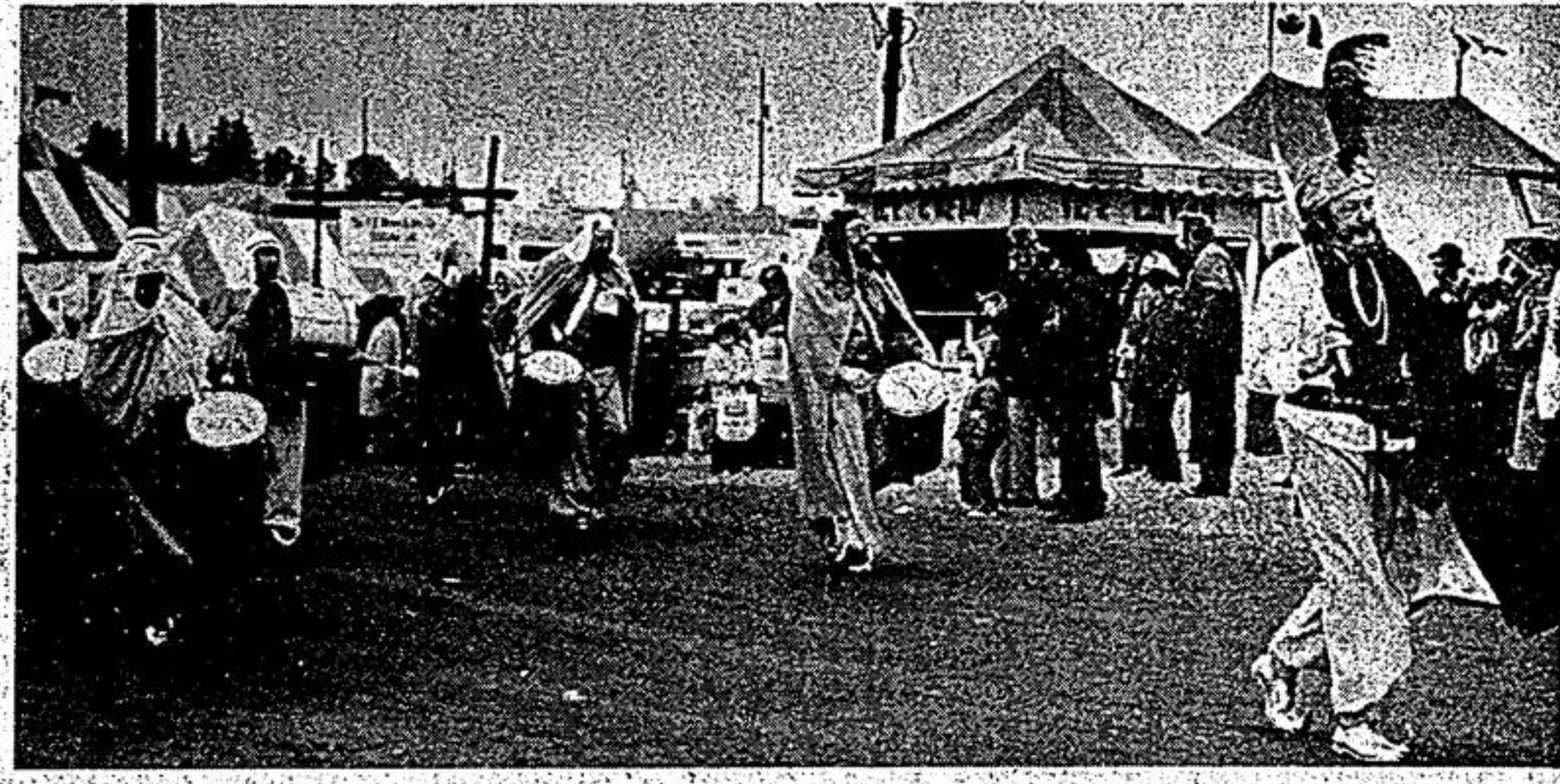
The world title went to 29 year old Gunnar Hersleth, a Norwegian.



This friendly pakaderm was a hit with young and old in the parade Thursday. Below, Shriners march in the parade. The event set attendance records despite some rainy, cold weather.



Barbara Broadbelt, Queen of the Furrows, for North York, seems at home on a tractor. Below Peter Hulshof of R.R. 4, Stouffville, concentrates on cutting a straight furrow.



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Local daily winners

Below is a list of local or former local people who placed in the daily class results at the International Plowing Match from Tuesday through Friday.

Class I - Group I Tuesday

- 1 Anthony Featherstone, Milliken \$75.
- 3 Eugene Timbers, Sunderland \$55

Wednesday

- 2 Anthony Featherstone, Milliken \$65
- 3 Eugene Timbers, Sunderland \$55

Thursday

- 3 Anthony Featherstone, Milliken \$55
- 6 Eugene Timbers, Sunderland \$40

Friday

- 2 Anthony Featherstone, Milliken \$65
- Eugene Timbers, Sunderland \$40

Tuesday

- 1 Greg Timbers, Sandford \$75
- 2 Lorne Britton, Claremont \$65
- 3 Bob Richards, Stouffville \$55
- 5 Kevin Wells, Stouffville \$45
- 9 Bernice Dunkeld, Zephyr \$25.

Wednesday

- 1 Greg Timbers, Sandford \$75
- 2 Lorne Britton, Claremont \$65
- 3 Kevin Wells, Stouffville \$55
- 4 Bob Richards, Stouffville \$50

Thursday

- 2 Kevin Wells, Stouffville \$65
- 3 Lorne Britton, Claremont \$55
- 5 Bob Richards, Stouffville \$45
- 6 Greg Timbers, Sandford \$40

Class II - Group III Tuesday

- 2 Michael Grove, Stouffville \$65
- 9 Douglas Dunkeld, Zephyr \$25

Wednesday

- 4 Michael Grove, Stouffville \$50
- 8 Rich Campsall, Uxbridge \$30

Thursday

- 4 Douglas Dunkeld, Zephyr \$50
- 5 Michael Grove, Stouffville \$45

Tuesday

- Class II - Group IV 21 to 25 years
- 3 Paul Hulshof, Stouffville \$55
- 4 Brian DeGeer, Mount Albert \$50
- 9 Ken Ferguson, Stouffville \$25

Wednesday

- 1 Ken Ferguson, Stouffville \$75
- 2 Brian DeGeer, Mount Albert \$65
- 7 Paul Hulshof, Stouffville \$35

Thursday

- 1 Brian DeGeer, Mount Albert \$75
- 3 Ken Ferguson, Stouffville \$55
- 7 Paul Hulshof, Stouffville \$35

Tuesday

- Class II - Group IV 25 to 35 years
- 2 Ross Kennedy, Little Britain \$65
- 4 Barry Timbers, Sandford \$50
- 7 Bob Tran, Claremont \$35

Wednesday

- 1 Ross Kennedy, Little Britain \$75
- 11 Bob Tran, Claremont \$18

Thursday

- 1 Ross Kennedy, Little Britain \$75
- 6 Barry Timbers, Sandford \$40
- 8 Bob Tran, Claremont \$30

Tuesday

- Class II - Group IV 35 years and over
- 1 Ivan DeGeer, Mount Albert \$75
- 6 Carl Timbers, Stouffville \$40

Wednesday

- 1 Floyd Forsyth, Stouffville \$75
- 2 Ivan DeGeer, Mount Albert \$65
- 5 Carl Timbers, Stouffville \$45
- 9 Donald Dunkeld, Zephyr \$25

Thursday

- 1 Ivan DeGeer, Mount Albert \$75
- 3 Carl Timbers, Stouffville \$55
- 4 Floyd Forsyth, Stouffville \$50

Tuesday

- Class IV - Group IV
- 1 James Campsall, Uxbridge \$75
- 5 John Hulshof, Stouffville \$45

Wednesday

- 3 James Campsall, Uxbridge \$55
- 5 John Hulshof, Stouffville \$45

Thursday

- 1 James Campsall, Uxbridge \$75
- 3 John Hulshof, Stouffville \$55



Timbers Avenue seems appropriate for this street on the site of the World Plowing Match last week. The farm had previously been owned by the Timbers family. The name has also been well-known in plowing circles in this area for many years.