



OXFORD GROUP LEAVES ON TOUR—Ten Oxford County 4-H Club members left Friday morning for Oswego County, New York State, on a seven-day goodwill visit. The group was under the direction of Norman Watson, associate agricultural representative. Left to right, back row, are: Mr. Watson, Ralph Leuszler, of RR 3, Woodstock; John Murray,

—Free Press Woodstock Bureau of RR 3, Woodstock; Larry Matheson, of RR 1, Innerkip; Robert Lazenby, of RR 4, Woodstock, and Keith Wiffen, of RR 6, Woodstock; front row, left to right, Gordon Groves, of RR 1, Salford; Wallace Williamson, of RR 1, Brownsville; Miss Blanche Virtue, of RR 8, Woodstock; Miss Marie Pritchard, of RR 2, Norwich; Miss Mary Innes, of RR 2, Embro.

District 4-H Members Take U.S. Farm Tour

Two district award winning 4-H Club members were among the 10 Oxford County 4-H Club members who left Thursday last on a seven-day tour of New York State farms.

In the group were Gordon Groves of R.R. 1, Salford; and Wallace Williamson of R.R. 1, Brownsville.

The visit of Ontario young farmers has been arranged to promote better relations between the American 4-H Club members and the Canadian organizations. The Oxford members will visit farms in Oswego county.

The group, under the direction of Norman Watson of Woodstock, associate agriculture representative left by train for Lansdowne, 30 miles east of Kingston. The group motored to Oswego county where each member of the party met a host family for the visit.

Other members of the Oxford delegation selected from 4-H Clubs in the county included: Miss Blanche Virtue of R.R. 8, Woodstock; Miss Marie Pritchard of R.R. 2, Norwich; Miss Mary Innes of R.R. 2, Embro; Robert Lazenby of R.R. 4, Woodstock; Keith Wiffen of R.R. 6, Woodstock; John Murray of R.R. 3, Woodstock; Larry Matheson of R.R. 1, Innerkip; Ralph Leuszler of R.R. 3, Woodstock.

Wally Williamson Tops 4-H Show

The Tillsonburg and District 4-H Calf Club competition was one of the features carded for the fair on Wednesday, and though entries did not come up to quite the numbers expected by officials of the show, there was a good representation, especially in the Holstein group.

There were 12 entries in the Holstein group, three in the Jersey, and just one in the Ayrshire. Wallace Williamson of Brownsville was the tops in this class, scoring firsts in both categories, calf and showmanship.

Billy Mitchell of R.R. 1, Ostrander captured top prizes with his entry in the Jersey class, winning first for his calf and second for showmanship.

Jim Purdy's entry from R. R. 1, Mount Elgin, received first for calf and third for showmanship in the Ayrshire class.

The show also offered three special prizes. Tillsonburg Hardware donated \$2.00 to the youngest showman in the Holstein class, Murray Rule of R.R. 1, Ostrander. Card's Furniture was the donor of a \$2.00 prize awarded for the highest points scored on calf, which went to Billy Mitchell and his Jersey calf. Second prize showing calf, Barbara Mitchell, R. R. 1, Ostrander, received \$1 cash prize donated by R. C. Crandall.

Grant Smith of Burgessville was the judge.

Following is the list of prize-winners. Name, standing for calf, and standing for showmanship, appear in that order.

Holsteins — Wallace Williamson, R.R. 1, Brownsville, 1-1; Lenie Vermeeren, R.R. 1, Ingersoll, 2-7; Betty Moyer, R.R. 1, Mount Elgin, 3-5; Barbara Purdy, R.R. 1, Mount Elgin, 4-4; Gordon Helidon, R.R. 4, Tillsonburg, 5-8; Ross Helidon, R.R. 4, Tillsonburg, 6-10; Murray Rule, R.R. 1, Ostrander, 7-9.

Jersys — Billy Mitchell, R.R. 1,



OXFORD 4-H RALLY — More than 300 members of 4-H Clubs and their parents attended the annual Oxford County 4-H Club rally in Woodstock Thursday night. Ten winners of inter-club competitions were announced and will represent the county on an inter-exchange visit with New York State

—Free Press Woodstock Bureau 4-H Club members in August. Left to right are: Wallace Williamson, of Brownsville; Miss Marie Pritchard, of Norwich; Gordon Groves, of Salford; Gordon McRuer, of Ayr, chairman of the rally, and John Murray, of RR 3, Woodstock.

Name Winners In Inter-Club Competitions

Free Press Woodstock Bureau WOODSTOCK, July 23 — More than 300 Oxford County 4-H Club members and their parents attended the annual 4-H Club rally held in the Woodstock recreation hall tonight.

Guest Speaker The social gathering, designed to bring members from all parts of the county together, heard the Rev. William F. Rae, of Stouffville, speak about the head hunters of New Guinea.

He also showed slides of his adventures while he was a resident of New Guinea.

Norman Watson, associate agricultural representative for Oxford, announced the winners of an inter-club competition who will represent the county in an inter-exchange visit with New York State 4-H Club members in August.

They were: Robert Lazenby, of Oxford Centre, Miss Blanche Virtue, of RR 4, Woodstock, Miss Mary Innes, of Embro, Gordon Groves, of Salford, Miss Marie Pritchard, of Norwich, Keith Wiffen, of Tavistock, John Murray, of RR 3, Woodstock, Larry Matheson, of Innerkip, Ralph Leuszler, of RR 3, Woodstock and Wallace Williamson, of Tillsonburg.

