

# To Choose Halton Dairy Princess From Three Contestants Friday

Judges will have a tough chore this Friday, May 22, when three contestants in the Halton Dairy Princess Competition compete for the opportunity of representing Halton County in the Provincial Dairy Queen contest held at the Canadian National Exhibition.

The representative for Halton will be chosen during the Holstein Twilight meeting of the Holstein-Friesian Association, to be held at Hays Sales Arena, Trafalgar.

Competing this year for the title are Mrs. W. (Shirley) Somerville of Acton; Miss Mary Lou Taylor of Burlington and Miss Lillian Finnie of Omagh.

All three contestants will be interviewed by the judges prior to giving a two minute talk on the Dairy Industry. This year, each contestant receives an equal share of the prize money (\$25), out of which they purchase their white uniforms. The one chosen to represent Halton will also receive other prize monies.

The winner when selected will also be presented with a banner inscribed "Dairy Princess, Halton County, 1959" and a travelling bag, donated by the Pan American Airways. She will also represent Halton at the Canadian National Exhibition for the title of Dairy Queen.

## Meeting to Discuss Pasture Management

Pasture management will be discussed at a meeting sponsored by the Halton Soil and Crop Improvement Association on the farm of Brock Harris, Burlington.

This meeting is called for May 25 and will mark the starting of Halton's Pasture Development Program. This will feature a Pasture Management Competition in which livestock farmers may compete.

The program for May 25 will include as speakers, Howard Henry, Field Crops Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture; Wm. Campbell, Soils Department, O.A.C.; and J. Norman Bird, Pasture Competition judge for this year.

In addition to the competitors enrolled in the competition, the program is designed to be of value to all livestock farmers.

## Chemical Spraying Harmful to Crops

2, 4-D can damage susceptible crops. Spraying with chemicals for weed control will be underway now in Halton. Recently, advances in chemicals for weed control have greatly assisted in the control of Halton's weed problem.

However, spraying for weeds in itself causes additional problems. Crops like tomatoes, turnips, beans, tree fruits etc., may be seriously damaged by infinitely small doses of 2, 4-D and MCP.

There is a definite risk in spraying these chemicals within one-quarter mile of a susceptible crop. However, if care is taken, areas closer than this may be sprayed, under favorable conditions.

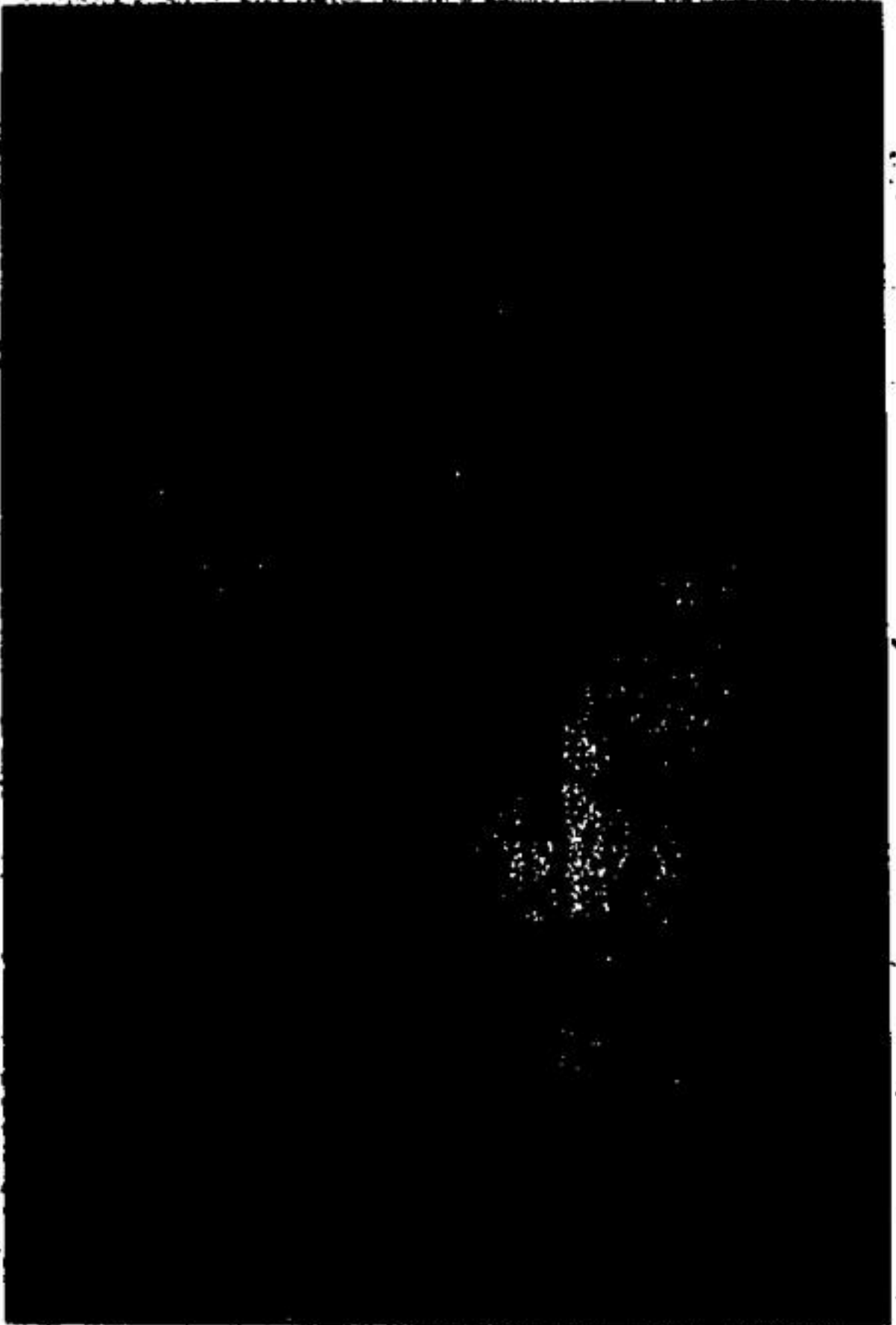
## Workshops Directed By Field Secretary

Halton Presbyterian W.M.S. recently held four excellent workshops. Miss Marjorie Thomson, field secretary of Dominion Board, was director.

Mission Band and Explorer leaders met in Waterdown United Church.

C.G.I.T. leaders convened in Acton United Church.

Two sessions on adult education were held, one in Oakville and one in Acton. Miss Thomson introduced the new mission study on Africa.



ASPIRING DAIRY PRINCESS of Halton County is 17-year-old Lillian Finnie, 6th Line Trafalgar, who is a grade 10 commercial student at the Thomas A. Blakelock High School. Lillian is shown with one of the Holsteins on the Finnie farm.



The most recent translation of the original Hebrew and Greek of the Bible into English is progressing in England under the leadership of Professor C. H. Dodd, chairman of the joint committee on the translation of the Bible.

Dr. Dodd has said that three or four years were still needed before the New Testament would be

on sale, and at least eight or nine years before the whole Bible would be available. This indicates the deep research and scholarship being brought to bear so that the accuracy and integrity of the translation will be assured.

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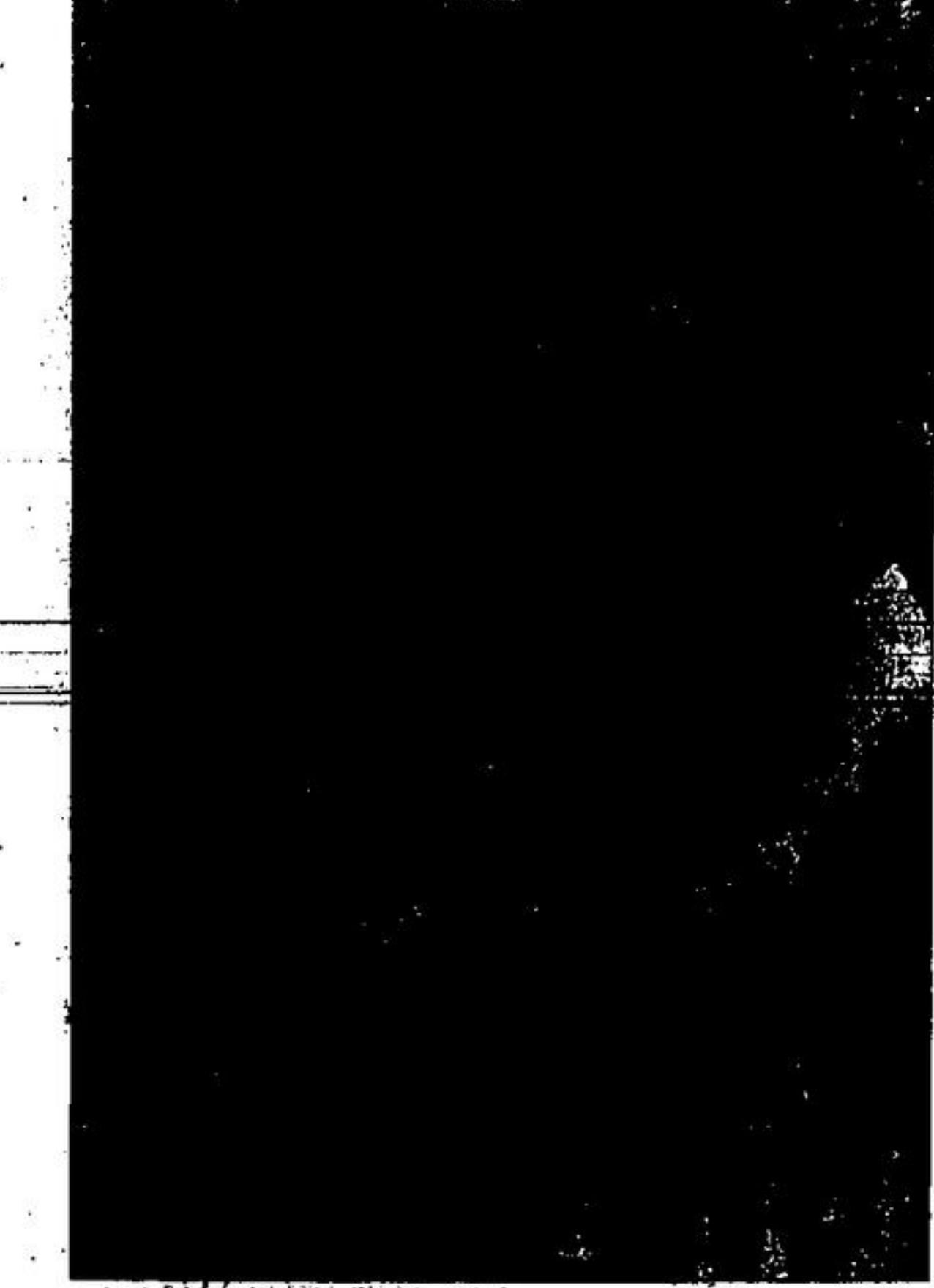
In the last weeks of his life, the former premier of Ontario set down the story of the times, the events and the people that had shaped his career as a soldier, farmer, politician and elder statesman of his party.

He told of courtship with a bulky horse, of whiskey samples in his father's general store, of the hellfire and damnation gospel of his youth.

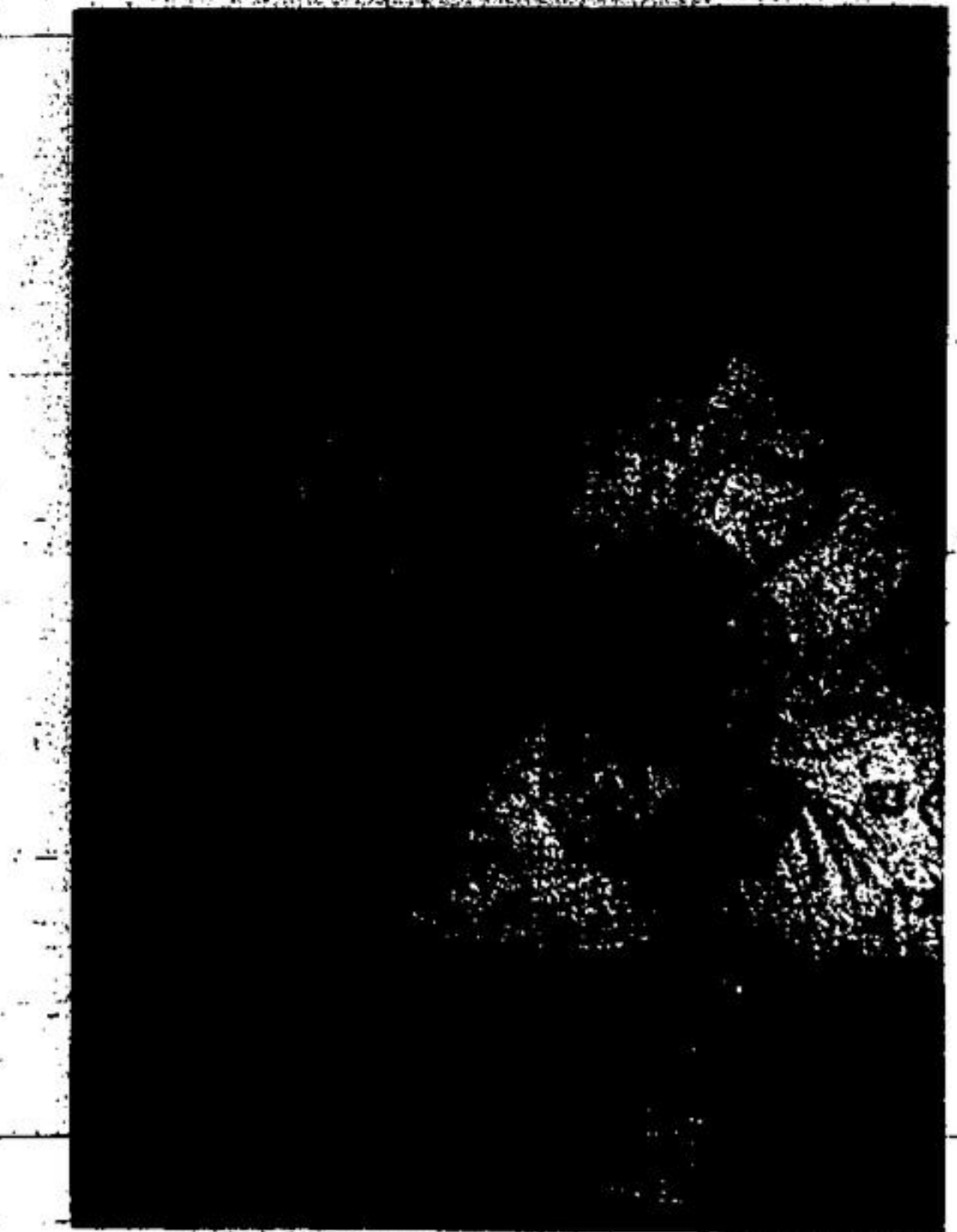
He recalled his first election, his beer-by-the-glass deal with Howard Ferguson, his one defeat at the polls, and the time that his close friend and political enemy Mitchell Hepburn called him a damn fool.

Beginning Saturday, May 23rd, and continuing every day for the following two weeks.

Tom Kennedy's Story will appear in  
**The Globe and Mail**



MRS. SHIRLEY SOMERVILLE of Acton, is one of the three contestants in the Halton Dairy Princess Contest, vying for the Provincial title of Dairy Queen. Mrs. Somerville, age 22, is a bookkeeper at the H. K. Porter Company in Acton, enjoys farming in her spare time. Born in Eramosa Township, she was born and brought up on a farm owned by her father, Mr. Frank Robinson. The pretty contestant married Bill Somerville in 1957 and moved to the Somerville farm the same year. She will compete against Miss Mary Lou Taylor of Burlington and Miss Lillian Finnie of Omagh.



MARY LOU TAYLOR of the Appleby Line, Burlington, is hoping to catch the judges' nod when she competes for the Halton Dairy Princess' Crown on Friday night at Oakville. She is 17, a grade 12 student of Milton High School and an expert at milking her father's Holsteins.



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